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PIB'S BULLETIN ON COVID-19

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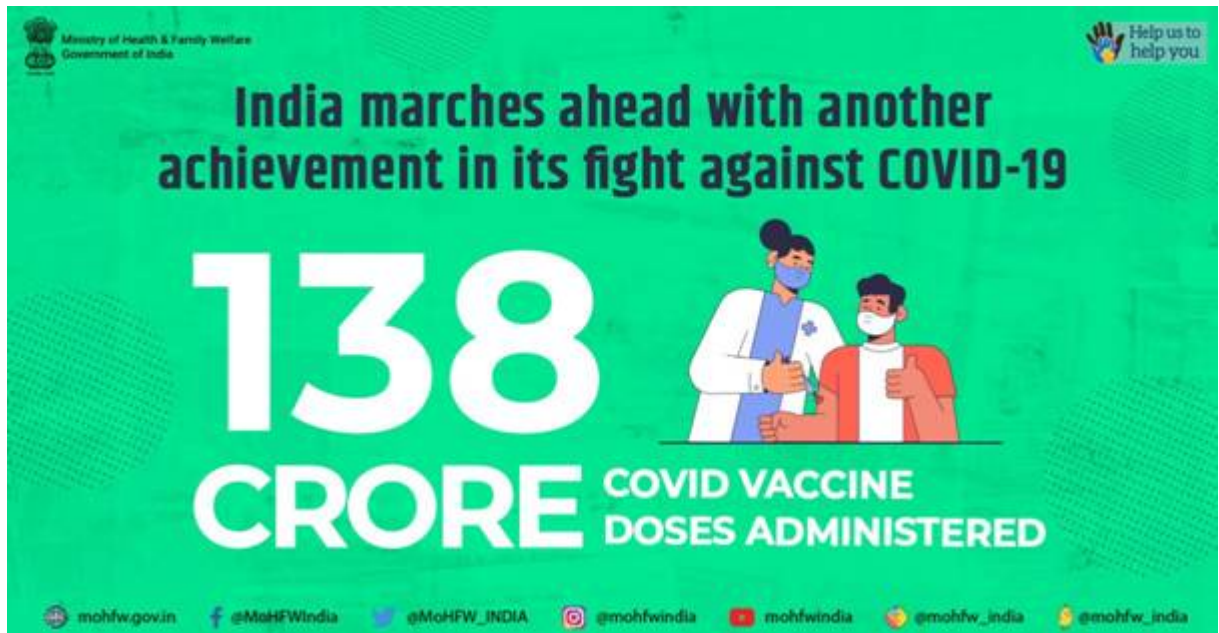


- **Over 138 cr vaccine doses have been administered so far under Nationwide Vaccination Drive**
- **India's Active caseload currently stands at 82,267; lowest in 572 days**
- **Active cases account for less than 1% of total cases, currently at 0.24%; Lowest since March 2020**
- **Recovery Rate currently at 98.39%; Highest since March 2020**
- **8,077 recoveries in the last 24 hours increases Total Recoveries to 3,41,87,017**
- **6,563 new cases in the last 24 hours**
- **Daily positivity rate (0.75%) less than 2% for last 77 days**
- **Weekly Positivity Rate (0.60%) less than 1% for last 36 days**
- **66.51 cr Total Tests conducted so far**

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India's cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination coverage exceeds

137.67 CRORE

Cumulative Vaccine Dose Coverage					
	Healthcare workers	Frontline workers	People Aged 18-44 Years	People Aged ≥ 45 Years	People Aged ≥ 60 Years
1 st Dose	1,03,86,261	1,83,83,973	48,68,79,459	19,15,95,978	11,97,15,150
2 nd Dose	96,45,996	1,67,72,043	29,37,59,017	14,00,66,251	8,95,16,231

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As at 8 AM on 20th December, 2021

15.82 Lakh
doses administered
in last 24 hours

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India's Cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage exceeds 138 Cr

More than 15 Lakh doses administered in the last 24 hours

Recovery Rate currently at 98.39% is highest since March 2020

6,563 New Cases reported in the last 24 hours

India's Active Caseload currently(82,267) is lowest in 572 days

Weekly Positivity Rate (0.60%) less than 1% for last 36 days

India's Cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage has exceeded 138 Cr today afternoon. This has been achieved through 1, 44,91,123 sessions.

The break-up of the cumulative figure as per the provisional report till 7 am today include:



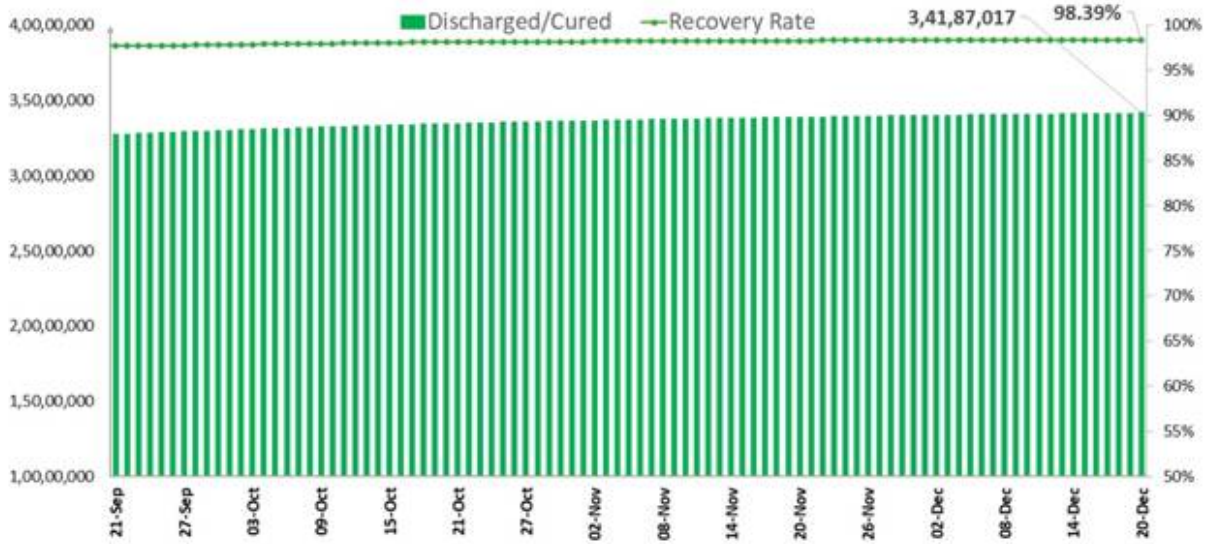
HCWs	1 st Dose	1,03,86,261
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FLWs	1 st Dose	1,83,83,973
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Age Group 45-59 years	1 st Dose	19,15,95,978
	2 nd Dose	14,00,66,251
Over 60 years	1 st Dose	11,97,15,150
	2 nd Dose	8,95,16,231
Total		1,37,67,20,359

The recovery of **8,077** patients in the last 24 hours has increased the cumulative tally of recovered patients (since the beginning of the pandemic) to **3,41,87,017**.

Consequently, India's recovery rate stands at **98.39%**, highest since March 2020.



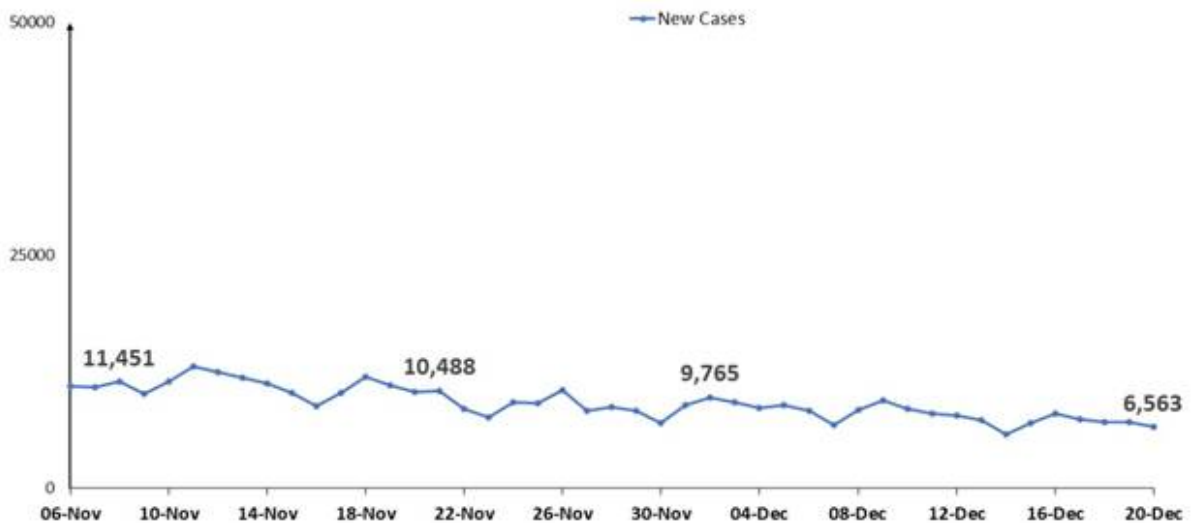
Recovered cases over 3.41 Cr & Recovery rate at 98.39%



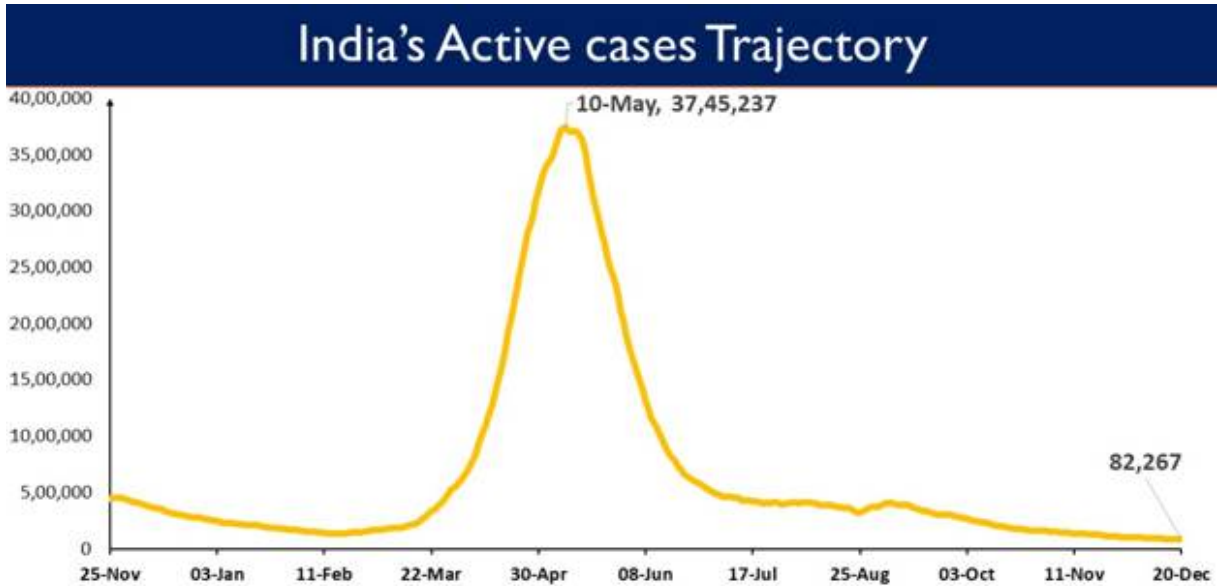
Sustained and collaborative efforts by the Centre and the States/UTs continue the trend of less than 15,000 Daily New Cases that is being reported for last 53 days now.

6,563 new cases were reported in the last 24 hours.

6K New Cases reported in last 24 hrs

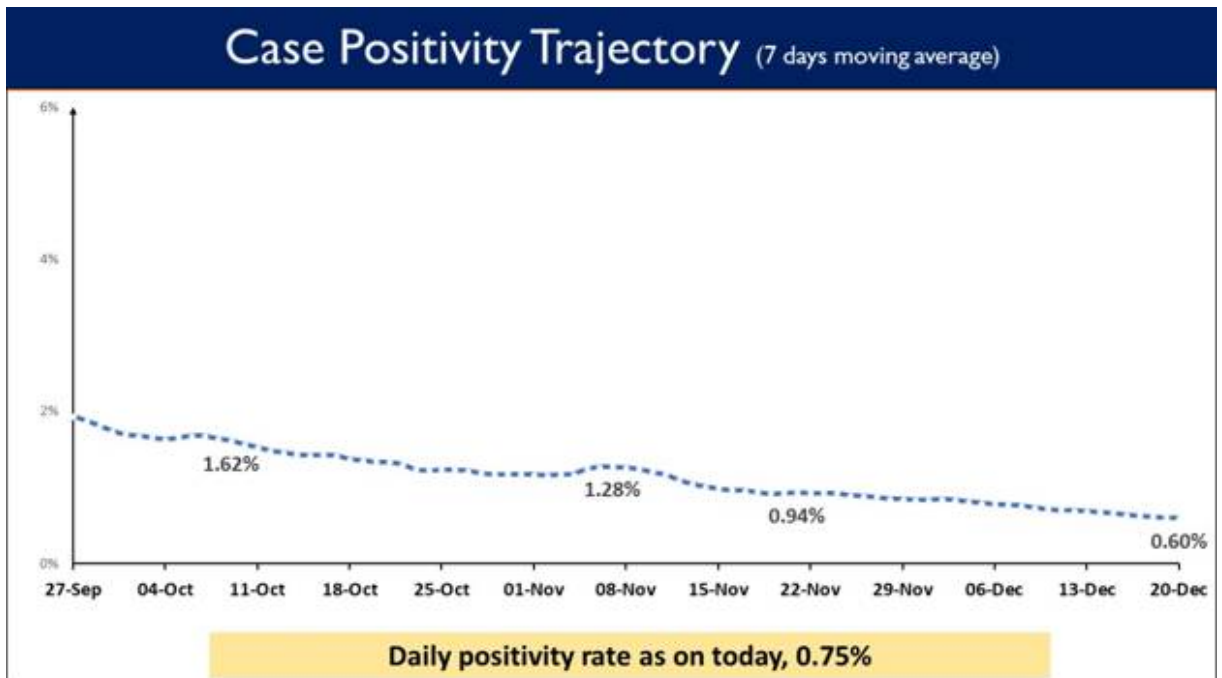


India's Active Case load is presently at **82,267**. This is lowest in **572 days**. Active cases constitute **0.24%** of the country's total Positive Cases, which is lowest since **March 2020**.



The testing capacity across the country continues to be expanded. The last 24 hours saw a total of 8,77,055 tests being conducted. India has so far conducted over **66.51 Cr (66,51,12,580)** cumulative tests.

While testing capacity has been enhanced across the country, **Weekly Positivity Rate at 0.60% remains less than 1% for the last 36 days now.** The **Daily Positivity rate reported to be 0.75%.** The daily Positivity rate has remained below 2% for last 77 days and below 3% for 112 consecutive days now.



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Update on COVID-19 Vaccine Availability in States/UTs



More than 145.61 Crore vaccine doses provided to States/UTs



More than 17.99 Crore balance and unutilized vaccine doses still available with States/UTs

The Union Government is committed to accelerating the pace and expanding the scope of COVID-19 vaccination throughout the country. The nationwide COVID 19 vaccination started on 16th January 2021. The new phase of universalization of COVID-19 vaccination commenced from 21st June 2021. The vaccination drive has been ramped up through availability of more vaccines, advance visibility of vaccine availability to States and UTs for enabling better planning by them, and streamlining the vaccine supply chain.

As part of the nationwide vaccination drive, Government of India has been supporting the States and UTs by providing them COVID Vaccines free of cost. In the new phase of the universalization of the COVID19 vaccination drive, the Union Government will procure and supply (free of cost) 75% of the vaccines being produced by the vaccinemanufacturers in the country to States and UTs.

VACCINE DOSES	(As on 20 th December, 2021)
SUPPLIED	1,45,61,51,715
BALANCE AVAILABLE	17,99,80,556

More than **145.61 crore (1,45,61,51,715)** vaccine doses have been provided to States/UTs so far through Govt of India (free of cost channel) and through direct state procurement category.

More than **17.99 Cr (17,99,80,556)** balance and unutilized COVID Vaccine doses are still available with the States/UTs to be administered.

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t The speech covers several aspects relating to Omicron. Do listen

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— Dr Mansukh Mandaviya (@mansukhmandviya) December 20, 2021




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 **More than** 15 lakh (15,82,079) *vaccine doses administered in the last 24 hours.*

Together we can win the battle against #COVID19.#We4Vaccine#LargestVaccinationDrive#Unite2FightCorona
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 India registered more than 8 Thousand (8,077) #COVID19 recoveries in the last 24 hours.

Together, we can win the battle against COVID-19.

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