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PIB'S BULLETIN ON COVID-19

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- **143 cr vaccine doses have been administered so far under Nationwide Vaccination Drive**
- **India's Active caseload currently stands at 75,456**
- **Active cases account for less than 1% of total cases, currently at 0.22%; Lowest since March 2020**
- **Recovery Rate currently at 98.40%; Highest since March 2020**
- **6,450 recoveries in the last 24 hours increases Total Recoveries to 3,42,43,945**
- **6,358 new cases in the last 24 hours**
- **Daily positivity rate (0.61%) less than 2% for last 85 days**
- **Weekly Positivity Rate (0.64%) less than 1% for last 44 days**
- **67.41 cr Total Tests conducted so far**

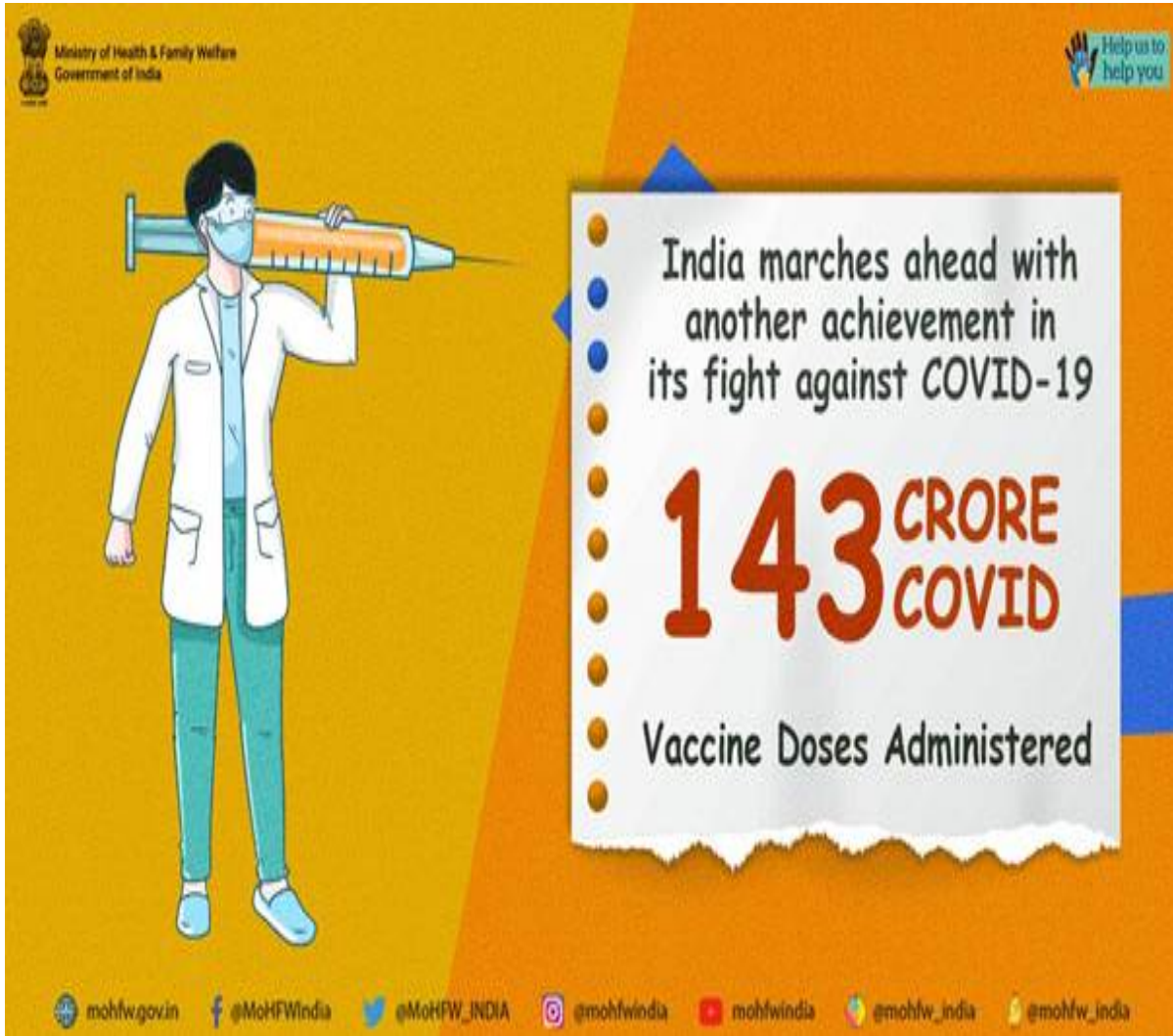
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Cumulative Vaccine Dose Coverage					
	Healthcare workers	Frontline workers	People Aged 18-44 Years	People Aged ≥ 45 Years	People Aged ≥ 60 Years
1 st Dose	1,03,87,043	1,83,84,989	49,51,42,331	19,35,18,168	12,08,30,878
2 nd Dose	96,88,051	1,68,50,329	31,94,71,734	14,70,85,153	9,33,23,060

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As at 8 AM on 28th December, 2021

72.87 Lakh
doses administered
in last 24 hours

India’s Cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage exceeds 143 Cr

More than 72 Lakh doses administered in the last 24 hours

Recovery Rate currently at 98.40% is highest since March 2020

6,358 New Cases reported in the last 24 hours

India's Active Caseload currently stands at 75,456

Weekly Positivity Rate (0.64%) less than 1% for last 44 days

India’s Cumulative COVID-19 Vaccination Coverage has exceeded 143 cr covid-19 today afternoon. This has been achieved through 1,51,91,424 sessions.

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



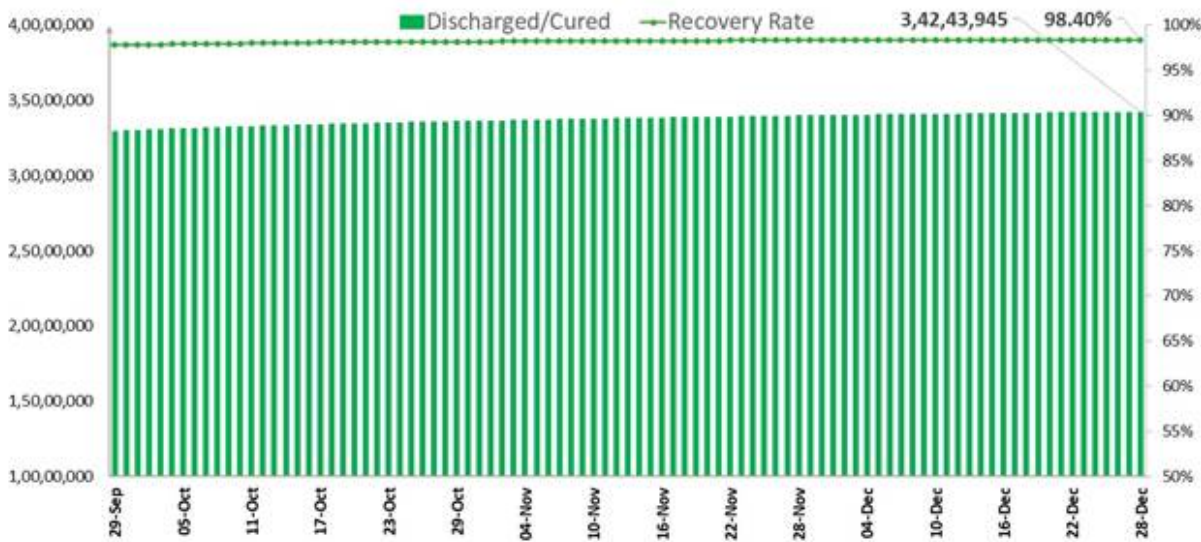
HCWs	1 st Dose	1,03,87,043
	2 nd Dose	96,88,051
FLWs	1 st Dose	1,83,84,989
	2 nd Dose	1,68,50,329
Age Group 18-44 years	1 st Dose	49,51,42,331
	2 nd Dose	31,94,71,734
Age Group 45-59 years	1 st Dose	19,35,18,168
	2 nd Dose	14,59,77,986
Over 60 years	1 st Dose	12,08,30,878
	2 nd Dose	9,33,23,060
Total		1,42,46,81,736

The recovery of **6,450** patients in the last 24 hours has increased the cumulative tally of recovered patients (since the beginning of the pandemic) to **3,42,43,945**.

Consequently, India's recovery rate stands at **98.40%**, highest since March 2020.



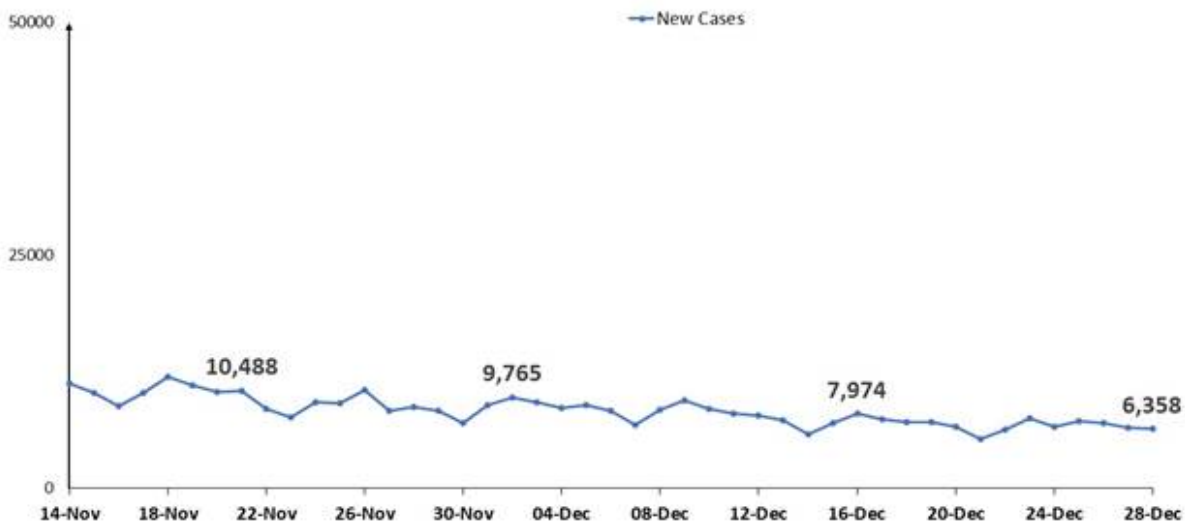
Recovered cases over 3.42 Cr & Recovery rate at 98.40%



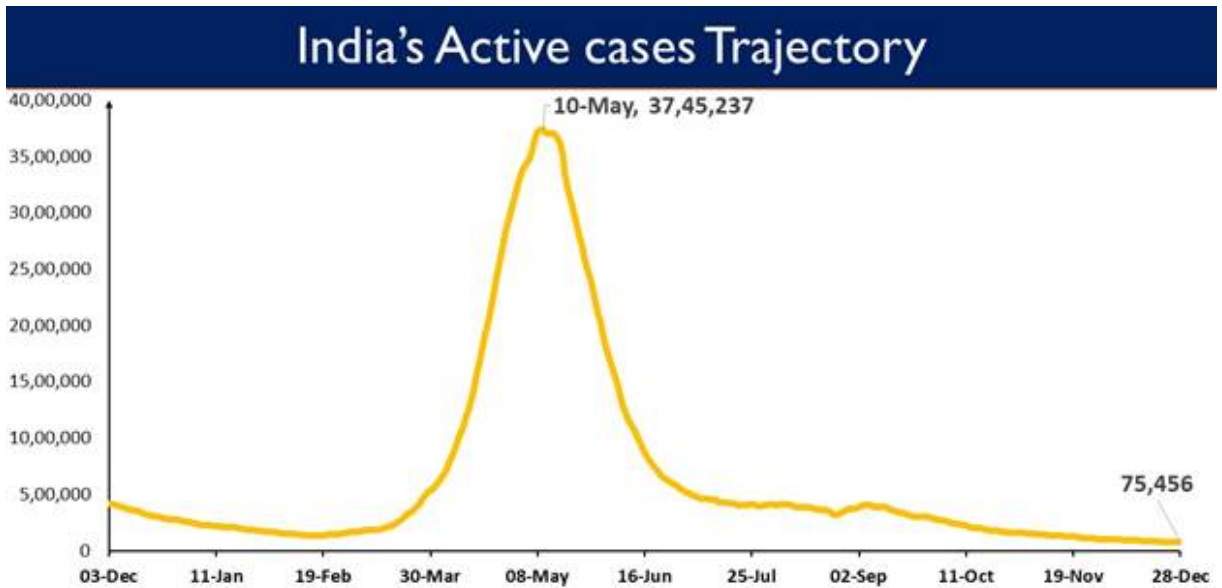
Sustained and collaborative efforts by the Centre and the States/UTs continue the trend of less than 15,000 Daily New Cases that is being reported for last 61 days now.

6,358 new cases were reported in the last 24 hours.

6K New Cases reported in last 24 hrs

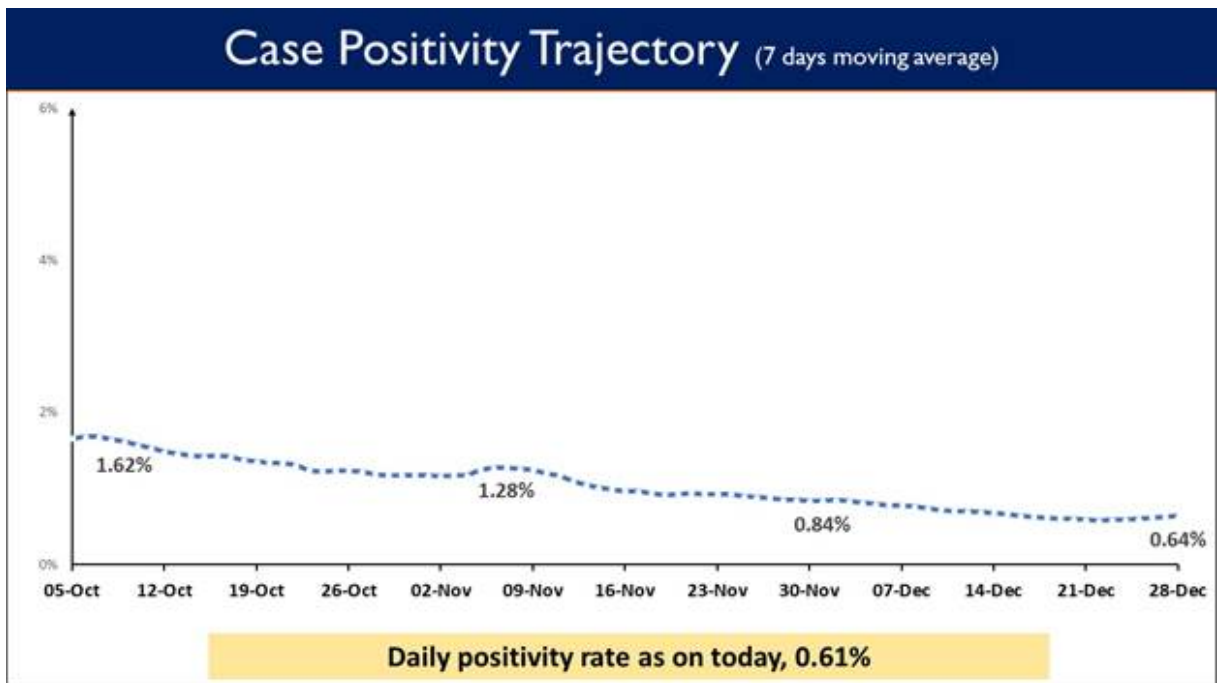


India's Active Caseload is presently at **75,456**. Active cases constitute **0.22%** of the country's total Positive Cases, which is **lowest since March 2020**.



The testing capacity across the country continues to be expanded. The last 24 hours saw a total of 10,35,495 tests being conducted. India has so far conducted over **67.41 Cr (67,40,78,531)** cumulative tests.

While testing capacity has been enhanced across the country, **Weekly Positivity Rate at 0.64% remains less than 1% for the last 44 days now.** The **Daily Positivity rate reported to be 0.61%.** The daily Positivity rate has remained below 2% for last 85 days and below 3% for 120 consecutive days now.



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Update on COVID-19 Vaccine Availability in States/UTs

More than 149.06 Crore vaccine doses provided to States/UTs

f More than 16.80 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 **in** COVID19 vaccination drive, the Union Government will procure and supply (free of cost) 75% of the vaccines being produced by the vaccine manufacturers in the country to States and UTs.

VACCINE DOSES	(As on 28 th December, 2021)
SUPPLIED	1,49,06,76,985
BALANCE AVAILABLE	16,80,89,481

More than **149.06 crore (1,49,06,76,985)** 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 **16.80 Cr (16,80,89,481)** balance and unutilized COVID Vaccine doses are still available with the States/UTs to be administered.

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Union Health Ministry engages with States/UTs to review the rollout of vaccination for the age group 15-18 yrs and Precautionary dose for identified vulnerable categories

Vaccination of age-group 15-18 yrs to start from 3rd January, 2022 and Precautionary dose for HCWs, FLWs and co-morbid 60+ group from 10th January

Doctor Certificate/Prescription NOT required to establish co-morbidity; Doctors advice an indication for 60+ persons to consult with their doctors before opting for a precaution dose

Union Health Secretary, Shri Rajesh Bhushan, chaired a workshop through video conference (VC) today with all States and UTs to review the rollout of vaccination for the age group 15-18 and Precautionary 3rd dose for vulnerable categories; Healthcare workers (HCW), Frontline workers (FLW), and those in the 60+ age group who have comorbidity.



As announced by the Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi on 25th December, 2021, the vaccination for the age-group 15-18 yrs is scheduled to begin from Monday, 3rd January, 2022 while administration of precautionary 3rd dose for the vulnerable categories is to commence from Monday, 10th January, 2022. The detailed guidelines regarding this were issued by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare on 27th December, 2021.

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🔑 More than 72 lakh (72,87,547) vaccine doses administered in the last 24 hours.

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📍 India registered more than 6 Thousand (6,450) #COVID19 recoveries in the last 24 hours.

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

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