

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Memo No. 21/ COVID – 19/ 2020

Dated: 09.04.2020

COVID INSTANT ORDER-21

Sub : Enhancement of testing capability- Notification of hospitals as COVID-19 sample collection centres- Regarding

Increase of sample collection and testing for COVID-19 is the corner stone of COVID-19 control activities. At present there are 26 COVID sample collection centers in A.P. ICMR has approved the use of Tru nat machines for conducting screening tests for COVID-19. In view of this, Govt of A.P. has decided to increase the number of COVID-19 testing labs in A.P. The state Government has further notified additional sample collection centers located in APVVP Hospitals in addition to the existing 26 Sample collection centers as mentioned below to ensure speedy response regarding sample collection.

The list of COVID-19 sample of the sample collection centres are as below:

Expanded list of COVID-19 Sample Collection Centers (Existing & Newly Added)					
S.No	DISTRICT	HOSPITAL NAME	Name of the nodal officer	Mobile No	Remarks
1	SRIKAKULAM	GGH Srikakulam	DR.M.K. Mahanthy	7989215934	Existing
2		DH Tekkali	Dr K Sesavarao	9440448277	Existing
3	VIZIANAGARAM	DH Vizianagaram	Dr Seetharamaraju	8008553390	Existing
4	VISHAKAPATNAM	Chest Hosptal	DR.Suryakumari	9010099771	Existing
5		KGH,Vizag	DR.Hema	98523 49009	Existing
6		DH Anakapalli	Dr Sravankur kumar	9182834480	Existing
7		AH Narsipatnam	Dr M Neelaveni Devi	9966996366	Newly Added
8	EAST GODAVARI	RMC KKD	DR.Kiran	92904 52515	Existing
9		DH Rajahmundry	Dr G Somasundr Rao	8008553435	Existing
10		AH Amalapuram	Dr K Prabhakar	8008553450	Newly Added
11	WEST GODAVARI	DH Eluru	Dr Ravi Kumar	8008553480	Existing
12		AH Tadepalligudem	DR R Dhamodhar Reddy	8008553490	Newly Added
13	KRISHNA	SMC Vijayawada	DR.Venkatesh	98481 28928	Existing
14		DH Machilipatnam	Dr Ramji Naik	8008553520	Existing
15		AH Nuzived	Dr R Nrendra Singh	8008553529	Newly Added
16	GUNTUR	GGH,GUNTUR	DR.T.V.A.Seshu babu	98484 90781	Existing
17		IDH Guntur	DR.Lakshmi Kumari	94408 79887	Existing
18		DH Tenali	Dr Santh Kumari	8008553550	Existing
19		AH Narasaraopet	Dr Srinivasarao	8008553561	Newly Added
20	PRAKASHAM	GGH Ongole	DR.John Richard	98857 02007	Existing
21		DH Markapur	Dr S Subba Reddy	9985059311	Existing
22		AH Chirala	Dr Trirupalu	9182498812	Newly Added

23	NELLORE	ACSR GMC Nellore	DR.Narendra	99594 33799	Existing
24		DH Atmakur	Dr MV Subba Reddy	9849048447	Existing
25		AH Kavali	Dr K Subbarao	9849172344	Newly Added
26	KURNOOL	GGH Kurnool	DR.Sailaja	96032 21998	Existing
27		DH Nandyal	Dr M Vijaya Kumar	8008553770	Existing
28		AH Adoni	Dr B Linganna	9502300596	Newly Added
29	KADAPA	RIMS Kadapa	DR.Suresh Reddy	99123 11246	Existing
30		DH Proddutur	Dr Lakshmi Prasad	8008553710	Existing
31		AH Pulivendula	Dr Divija	9948878902	Newly Added
32	CHITTOOR	SVRRGGH Tirupathi	DR.Subba Rao	94414 86168	Existing
33		DH Chittoor	Dr E Pandu Rangaiah	8008553650	Existing
34		DH Madanapalli	Dr Ram Murthi Naik	9440272751	Newly Added
35	ANANTAPUR	GGH Ananthapur	DR.Rama Swamy	9866591169	Existing
36		DH Hindupur	Dr K Kesavlu	9849071755	Existing
37		AH Kadiri	Dr Ramakeishnaih	9492154788	Newly Added

- 1) The concerned Nodal Officers shall designate ENT Specialist / DAS trained on sample collection and necessary supporting staff to collect sample by following the protocols.
- 2) The nodal officer shall ensure the availability of adequate PPE, N95 masks and other infection control measures as per protocol.
- 3) The Nodal officer shall ensure that the sample data is entered online in the hospital login on the MSS portal before sending the sample to testing laboratories identified.
- 4) The concerned District Collectors shall ensure that these sample collection centre shall work with all the required facilities and digital assistants are deputed in these hospitals.


SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY

To,
All District Collectors in the State

Copy to :

All Special Officers, State Command Control Room, R&B Building, Vijayawada.

All HoDs of HM&FW Department for necessary action.

PS to Chief Secretary for information

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