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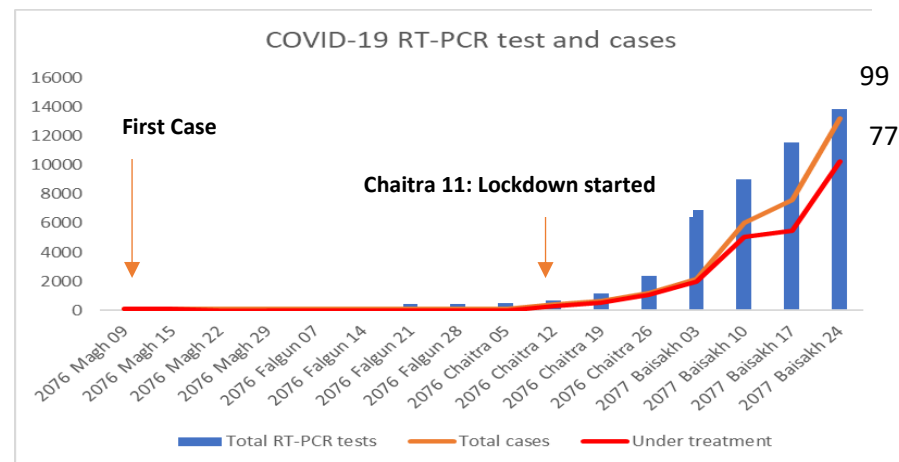
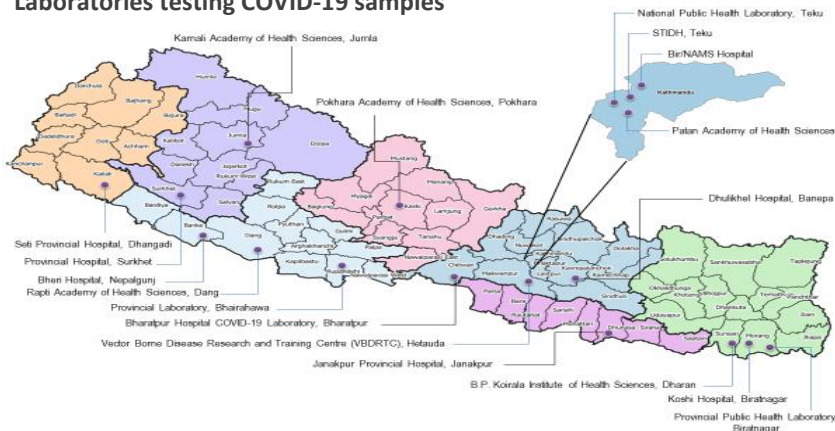
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**Health Sector Response to Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)**

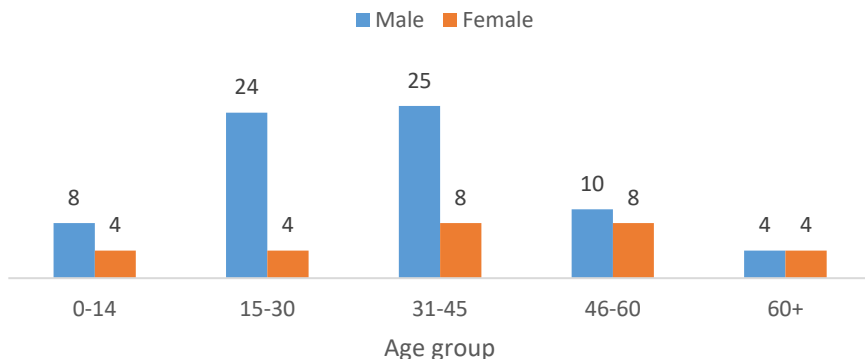
Wednesday | 24 Baisakh 2077 (6<sup>th</sup> May 2020)

RT-PCR test	RDT test	Positive cases	Treated cases	Cases under treatment	Patients in Isolation	Individuals in Quarantine
<b>14096</b>	<b>52970</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>19734</b>

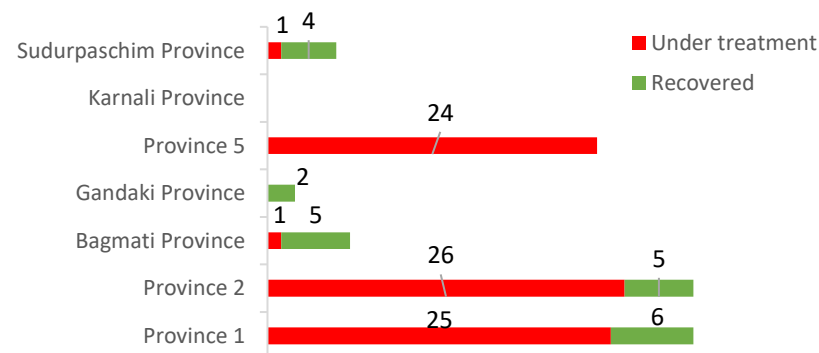
**Laboratories testing COVID-19 samples**



**COVID-19 cases according to age-group and gender**



**COVID-19 cases according to Province**



Seventeen (17) new cases of COVID-19 have been identified today according to the test conducted at National Public Health Laboratory. All these infected people are the residents of Birgunj, Parsa district. They are 2 months, 3, 9, 12, 13, 15, 17, 40 and 65 years males; and 6 months, 13, 13, 29, 32, 35 and 62 years females. Health condition of all 17 people is stable and they are receiving treatment at Narayani hospital, Birgunj.

### COVID-19 Under Treatment and Discharged Cases

<b>Under treatment</b>	<b>77</b>
<b>Discharged</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>99</b>



## Major Activities

- Six COVID-19 infected individuals (21, 26, 28, 29, 30 and 34 years males) who were under treatment in Koshi Hospital, Biratnagar tested negative after reconfirmation done through RT-PCR and thus were discharged from the hospital.
- Association of International NGOs in Nepal (AIIN) handed over different health items – PPE sets, surgical gloves, thermal gun including others to Ministry of Health and Population (MoHP) in the presence of Honorable Minister, MoHP, for the diagnosis and control of COVID-19.



1. Handing over health items to MoHP



2. Interaction with External Development Partners (EDP)

## Logistics Management

Department of Health Services (DoHS) has been supplying necessary items such as disinfectant sprayer pump, PPE, N95 masks, gowns, goggles, gloves, thermometer as per the demand and need.

## Information and Communication

Two Call Centers 1115 (from 6 am to 8 pm) and 1133 (24 hours) have been operationalized since 30th Falgun, 2076 (13 March, 2020) to provide counselling service regarding COVID-19 prevention and treatment. People are requested to call these Call Centers for any queries related to COVID-19. Total number of service users: 1857

With the aim of facilitating general public to self-assess their health status in regards to COVID-19, “Hamro Swasthya” mobile application has been operational since 16 Chaitra 2076 (29 March, 2020).

‘Hamro Swasthya’ mobile application download number:	89222 (Active users: 64,744)
Number of self-assessment forms filled:	33,212 (Today: 356)
Total number in red zone	333 (Today: 3)
Viber group “MoHP Nepal COVID-19”	Active users: 292,944



## Expansion of Laboratory Service

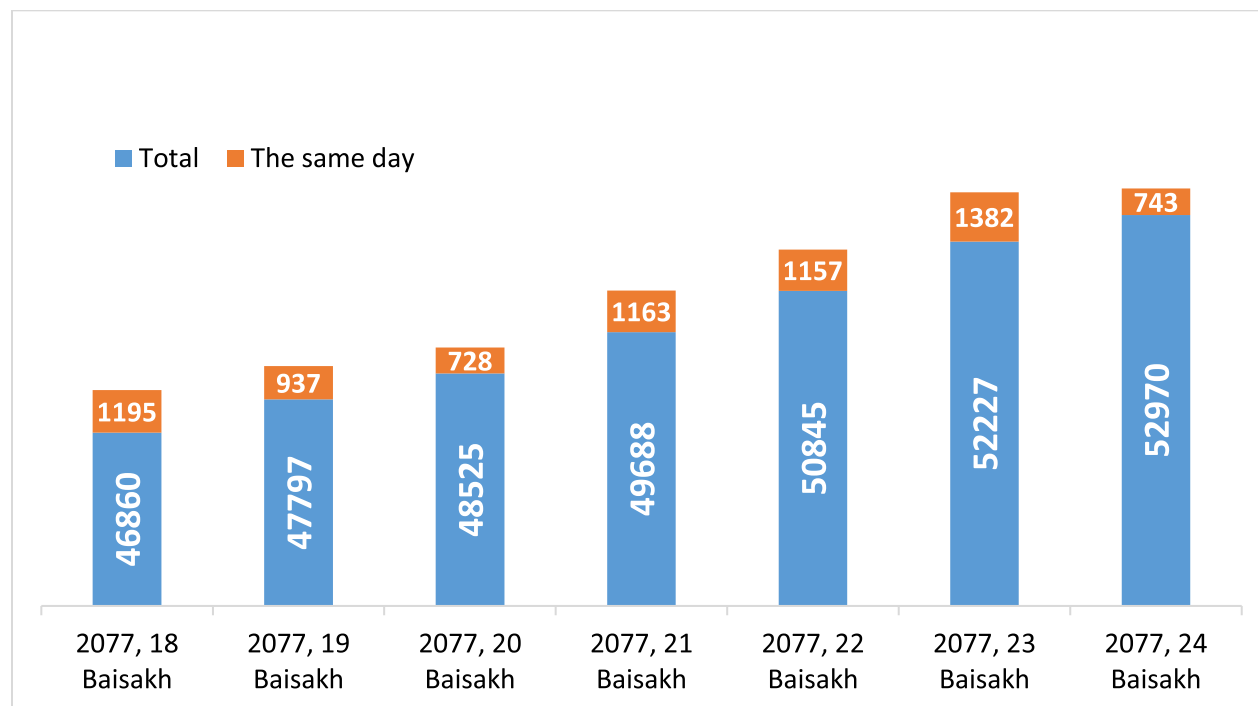
The capacity of National Public Health Laboratory (NPHL), Teku has been strengthened for COVID-19 sample testing and the number of institutions providing RT-PCR (Real Time - Polymerase Chain Reaction) tests has been expanded to 18 institutions across the country, with at least one laboratory in each province.

## RT-PCR Test Result as of Today

Total positive cases as of today: **99**

Laboratory	Service Initiation date	Total tested	Results awaiting	New test
National Public Health Laboratory/Sukraraj Tropical and Infectious Disease Hospital, Teku, Kathmandu	13 Magh 2076/ 01 Baisakh 2077	8146	0	137
B. P. Koirala Institute of Health Sciences, Dharan	16 Chaitra 2076	977	0	23
Koshi Hospital, Biratnagar	28 Chaitra 2076	801	31	0
Provincial Public health laboratory, Biratnagar	19 Baisakh 2077	117	0	4
Janakpur Provincial Hospital, Janakpur	21 Chaitra 2076	113	0	0
Bharatpur Hospital COVID-19 Diagnostic Laboratory, Chitwan	23 Chaitra 2076	393	0	0
Vector Borne Disease Research and Training Centre, Hetauda	20 Chaitra 2076	460	0	25
Kathmandu University Teaching Hospital, Dhulikhel	23 Chaitra 2076	594	92	0
Patan Hospital, Lalitpur	10 Baisakh 2077	38	0	9
Bir Hospital, Kathmandu	28 Chaitra 2076	150	0	0
Pokhara Academy of Health Science, Pokhara	18 Chaitra 2076	522	10	10
Provincial Public Health Laboratory, Rupandehi	23 Chaitra 2076	337	0	0
Bheri Hospital, Nepalgunj, Banke	07 Baisakh 2077	434	64	0
Rapti Academy of Health Science, Dang	13 Baisakh 2077	29	0	21
Surkhet Provincial Hospital, Surkhet	20 Chaitra 2076	372	17	19
Karnali Academy of Health Science, Jumla	22 Baisakh 2077	8	8	0
Seti Provincial Hospital, Dhangadi	20 Chaitra 2076	605	51	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>14096</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>248</b>

## RDT Test Status



## Province-wise Information on Quarantine and Isolation






Province	No. of quarantine beds	No. of people in quarantine	No. of isolation beds	No. of patients in isolation
Province 1	5966	2018	449	38
Province 2	4222	1256	267	31
Bagmati Province	4766	262	947	17
Gandaki Province	4223	657	145	8
Province 5	13531	7884	534	40
Karnali Province	8727	3758	487	0
Sudurpaschim Province	8329	3899	154	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>49764</b>	<b>19734</b>	<b>2983</b>	<b>136</b>
Source	NEOC, Ministry of Home Affairs, 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2020		Provincial Health Directorate, 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2020	



## Standards and Guidelines

SN	Standards and Guidelines	URL
1	Directions on grants provision to hospital providing treatment for COVID-19 infection, 2077	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ybnphelh">https://tinyurl.com/ybnphelh</a>
2	Directions on operation of COVID-19 Unified Hospital, 2077	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y9dls9d3">https://tinyurl.com/y9dls9d3</a>
3	Interim guideline on delivery of COVID and other health care services in the context of COVID-19 epidemic - 2076	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yc7ksfya">https://tinyurl.com/yc7ksfya</a>
4	Protocol for operating COVID-19 Clinic	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y9yz25k6">https://tinyurl.com/y9yz25k6</a>
5	Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) when COVID-19 is suspected	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y9tov4p3">https://tinyurl.com/y9tov4p3</a>
6	Interim Clinical Guidance for Care of Patients with COVID-19 in Health Care Settings	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y9qwe6nf">https://tinyurl.com/y9qwe6nf</a>
7	COVID-19 SOP, Case Investigation and Tracing Form	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ybpt36tm">https://tinyurl.com/ybpt36tm</a>
8	Guideline on the use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) in the context of COVID-19	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y883n8du">https://tinyurl.com/y883n8du</a>
9	Brief procedure for the management of the bodies of people who died due to COVID-19 - 2076	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yaws7ug2">https://tinyurl.com/yaws7ug2</a>
10	Guideline to transport COVID-19 patients to hospitals	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yaahnxfz">https://tinyurl.com/yaahnxfz</a>
11	Clinical approach to a patient with suspected COVID-19	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y7pxwysw">https://tinyurl.com/y7pxwysw</a>
12	Introduction to Novel Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19) (Handbook for health workers)	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y8utcbhz">https://tinyurl.com/y8utcbhz</a>
13	Protocol for ILI Clinics (COVID-19 Screening Fever Clinics)	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y6ulxxoc">https://tinyurl.com/y6ulxxoc</a>
14	Flow Diagram for testing people in quarantine for COVID-19	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg">https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg</a>
15	Wondfo SARS-CoV-2 Antibody Procedure	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ya4sjm9y">https://tinyurl.com/ya4sjm9y</a>
16	Guideline on sample collection from people on COVID-19 quarantine	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg">https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg</a>
17	Flow Diagram for testing returnees for COVID-19 (RDT or PCR)	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y6uf4nlq">https://tinyurl.com/y6uf4nlq</a>
18	Standards for implementing and managing quarantine for COVID-19, 2076	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ybnsmc6n">https://tinyurl.com/ybnsmc6n</a>
19	Interim Pocket Book of Clinical Management of COVID-19 in Healthcare Setting	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yblfakoo">https://tinyurl.com/yblfakoo</a>
20	Safety measures to be followed at the point of entry (import) in the context of COVID-19 pandemic	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yacxz3zw">https://tinyurl.com/yacxz3zw</a>
21	Interim Guideline for the Establishment and Operationalization of Molecular Laboratory for COVID-19 Testing in Nepal	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yd3u3va3">https://tinyurl.com/yd3u3va3</a>
22	A standard protocol on the mobilization of non-military aircraft for COVID-19 management	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y7glt9ud">https://tinyurl.com/y7glt9ud</a>
23	Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) on Cleaning and Decontamination of the ambulance used in treatment and management of COVID-19	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y6ufnsag">https://tinyurl.com/y6ufnsag</a>
24	Directions on management of risk allowance to human resources engaged in treatment of COVID-19 infection -2077	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ya78b2qw">https://tinyurl.com/ya78b2qw</a>

## Additional Information

	<b>COVID-19 Hotline Service</b>	1133 (24/7)   1115 (6 AM to 10 PM)   9851255839, 9851255837, 9851255834 (8 AM to 8 PM)
	<b>Web Portal</b>	<a href="https://covid19.moHP.gov.np/">https://covid19.moHP.gov.np/</a>   <a href="https://heoc.moHP.gov.np">https://heoc.moHP.gov.np</a>   <a href="http://www.edcd.gov.np/">http://www.edcd.gov.np/</a>
	<b>Official Viber Community</b>	Search "MoHP Nepal COVID-19" on Viber to join the community
	<b>Social Media</b>	fb.com/moHPnep   fb.com/HEOCMoHP   fb.com/edcdnepal
	<b>Mobile Application</b>	Search "Hamro Swasthya" on Google Play Store