



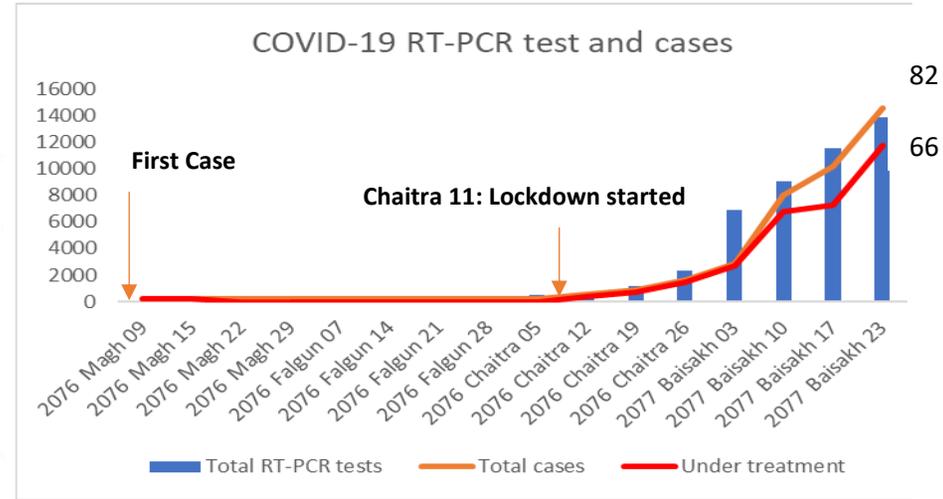
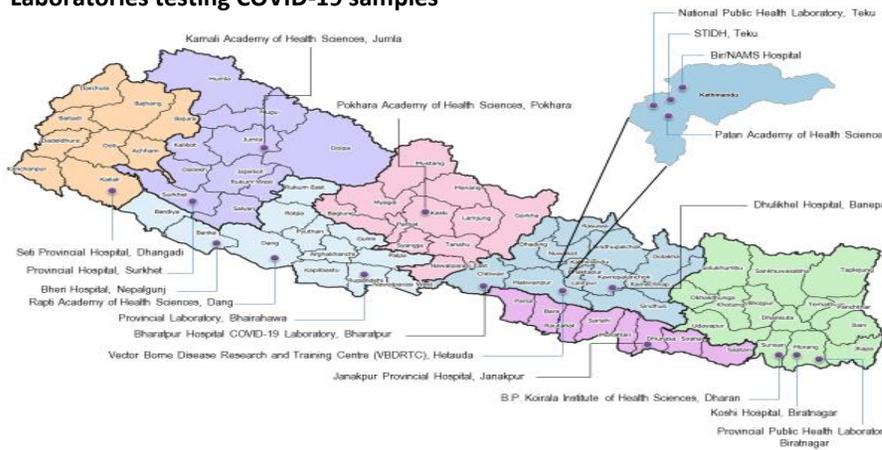
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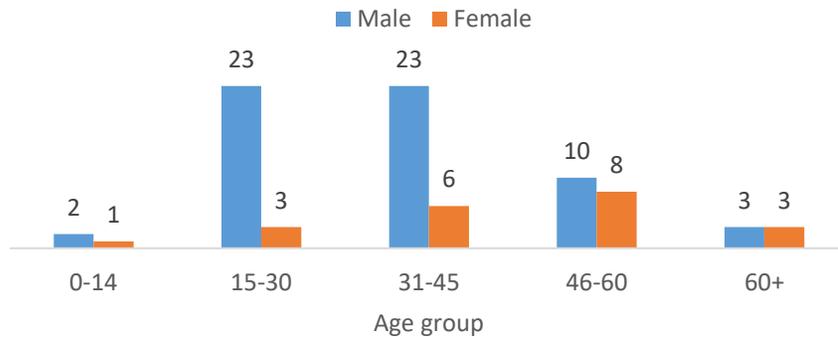
**Health Sector Response to Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)** Tuesday | 23 Baisakh 2077 (5<sup>th</sup> May 2020)

RT-PCR test	RDT test	Positive cases	Treated cases	Cases under treatment	Patients in Isolation	Individuals in Quarantine
<b>13850</b>	<b>52227</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>21099</b>

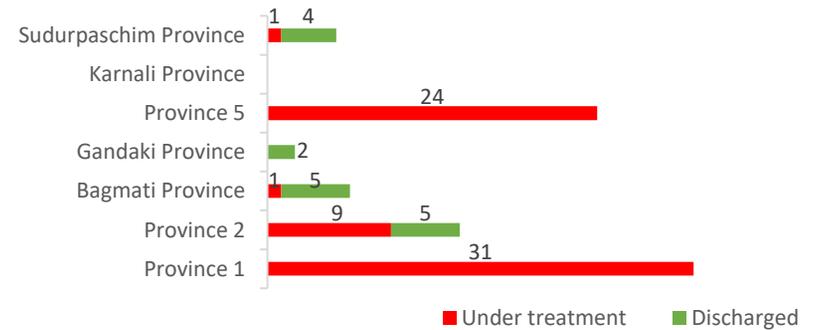
**Laboratories testing COVID-19 samples**



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



**Province-wise COVID-19 cases**



## COVID-19 Under Treatment and Discharged Cases

<b>Under treatment</b>	<b>66</b>
<b>Discharged</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>82</b>



## Major Activities

- Laboratory testing of COVID-19 through RT-PCR has been initiated in Karnali Academy of Health Sciences, Jumla, since yesterday. With this addition, 18 laboratories with RT-PCR capacity are in operation throughout the country.
- Ministry of Health and Population has received different health supplies (N-95 mask-10000 pieces, surgical masks-338000 pieces, PPE-9000 sets and goggles-9000 pieces) from Government of China.
- [Directions on management of risk/hazard allowance to human resources engaged in treatment of COVID-19 infection, 2077](#) has been released.
- [Standard Operating Procedure \(SoP\) on Cleaning and Decontamination of Ambulance Used in Treatment and Management of COVID-19](#) has been released.

## 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 6am to 8 pm) and 1133 (24 hours) have been operationalized since 30<sup>th</sup> 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: 1692

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:	87930 (Active users: 63443)	
Number of self-assessment forms filled:	30468 (Today: 484)	
Total number in red zone	328 (Today: 7)	

## Expansion of Laboratory Service

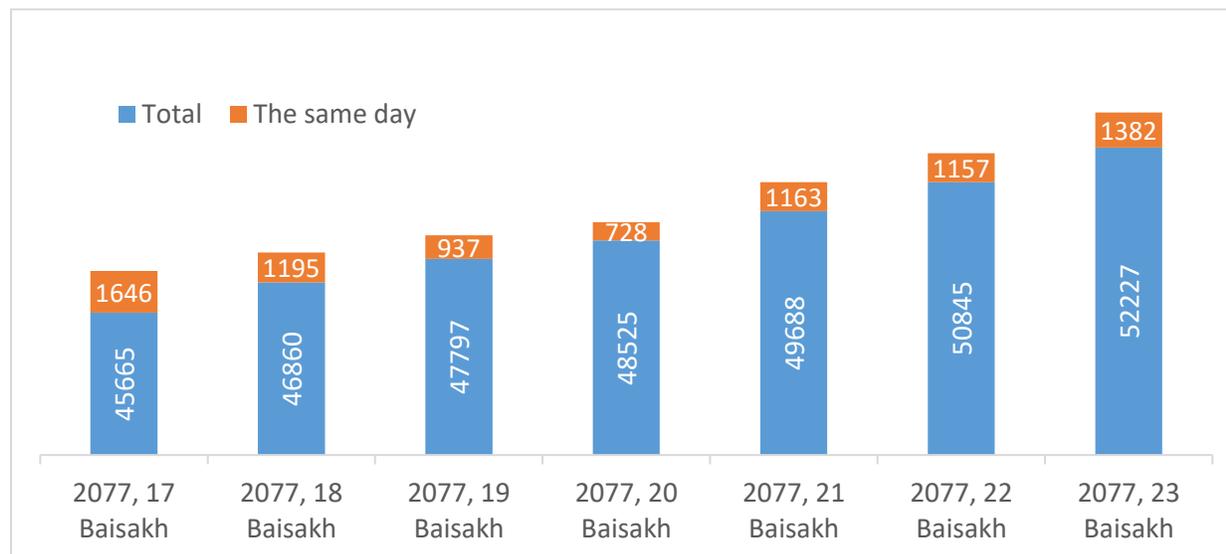
The capacity of National Public Health Laboratory (NPHL), Teku has been strengthened for COVID-19 sample testing and the number of institutions providing RT-PCR (Real Time - Polymerase Chain Reaction) tests has been expanded to 18 institutions across the country, with at least one laboratory in each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

## RT-PCR Test Result as of Today

Total positive cases as of today: **82**

Laboratory	Service initiation date	Total tested	Results awaiting	New test
National Public Health Laboratory and Sukraraj Tropical and Infectious Disease Hospital, Teku, Kathmandu	27 January 2020	8009	0	54
B. P. Koirala Institute of Health Sciences, Dharan	29 March 2020	954	0	2
Koshi Hospital, Biratnagar	10 April 2020	801	31	34
Provincial Public health laboratory, Biratnagar	1 May 2020	113	0	22
Janakpur Provincial Hospital, Janakpur	3 April 2020	113	0	0
Bharatpur Hospital COVID-19 Diagnostic Laboratory, Chitwan	5 April 2020	393	0	0
Vector Borne Disease Research and Training Centre, Hetauda	2 April 2020	435	0	3
Kathmandu University Teaching Hospital, Dhulikhel	5 April 2020	594	2	1
Patan Hospital, Lalitpur	22 April 2020	29	0	2
Bir Hospital, Kathmandu	10 April 2020	150	0	0
Pokhara Academy of Health Science, Pokhara	31 March 2020	512	10	3
Provincial Public Health Laboratory, Rupandehi	5 April 2020	337	0	0
Bheri Hospital, Nepalgunj, Banke	19 April 2020	434	2	47
Rapti Academy of Health Science, Dang	25 April 2020	10	0	10
Surkhet Provincial Hospital, Surkhet	2 April 2020	353	19	0
Karnali Academy of Health Science, Jumla	4 May 2020	8	0	8
Seti Provincial Hospital, Dhangadi	2 April 2020	605	51	24
<b>Total</b>		<b>13850</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>210</b>

## Status of RDT test



## 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	5862	2124	449	47
Province 2	4212	1290	267	31
Bagmati Province	4767	258	943	8
Gandaki Province	4223	726	250	0
Province 5	14454	8922	534	30
Karnali Province	8717	3754	457	0
Sudurpaschim Province	8330	4025	154	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>50565</b>	<b>21099</b>	<b>3054</b>	<b>120</b>
Source	NEOC, Ministry of Home Affairs, 4 May 2020		Provincial Health Directorate, 4 May 2020	

## Standards and Guidelines

SN	Standards and Guidelines	URL
1	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>
	1.1. Protocol for operating COVID-19 Clinic	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y9yz25k6">https://tinyurl.com/y9yz25k6</a>
2	Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) when COVID-19 is suspected	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y9tov4p3">https://tinyurl.com/y9tov4p3</a>
3	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>
4	COVID-19 SOP, Case Investigation and Tracing Form	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ybpt36tm">https://tinyurl.com/ybpt36tm</a>
5	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>
6	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>
7	Guideline to transport COVID-19 patients to hospitals	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yaahnxfz">https://tinyurl.com/yaahnxfz</a>
8	Clinical approach to a patient with suspected COVID-19	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y7pxwysw">https://tinyurl.com/y7pxwysw</a>
9	Introduction to Novel Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19) (Handbook for health workers)	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y8utcbhz">https://tinyurl.com/y8utcbhz</a>
10	Protocol for ILI Clinics (COVID-19 Screening Fever Clinics)	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y6ulxxoc">https://tinyurl.com/y6ulxxoc</a>
11	Flow Diagram for testing people in quarantine for COVID-19	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg">https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg</a>
12	Wondfo SARS-CoV-2 Antibody Procedure	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ya4sjm9y">https://tinyurl.com/ya4sjm9y</a>
13	Guideline on sample collection from people on COVID-19 quarantine	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg">https://tinyurl.com/y8ypcalg</a>
14	Flow Diagram for testing returnees for COVID-19 (RDT or PCR)	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y6uf4nlq">https://tinyurl.com/y6uf4nlq</a>
15	Standards for implementing and managing quarantine for COVID-19, 2076	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/ybnsmc6n">https://tinyurl.com/ybnsmc6n</a>
16	Interim Pocket Book of Clinical Management of COVID-19 in Healthcare Setting	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/yblfakoo">https://tinyurl.com/yblfakoo</a>
17	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>
18	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>
19	A standard protocol on the mobilization of non-military aircraft for COVID-19 management	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/y7gl9ud">https://tinyurl.com/y7gl9ud</a>
20	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>
21	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>	<a href="https://fb.com/mohpnep">fb.com/mohpnep</a>   <a href="https://fb.com/HEOCMoHP">fb.com/HEOCMoHP</a>
	<b>Mobile Application</b>	Search "Hamro Swasthya" on Google Play Store