

**Media Bulletin on COVID 19, Dated:17.10.2020 Evening**

World Health Organization (WHO) has declared the Novel Corona Virus, COVID-19 as Pandemic. Till now it has affected many countries/areas/territories, confirmed cases **3,90,23,292** people and caused **10,99,586** deaths. (source: - <https://covid19.who.int/> at 6.00 pm)

Till date in India, the **Confirmed** Cases are **74,32,680 (+62,212)**, **recovered 65,24,595(+70,816)** including **1,12,998(+837) deaths**. The situation of Confirmed COVID-19 cases in North Eastern states: - Assam (**1,99,749**), Meghalaya (**8,303**), Manipur (**14,715**), Nagaland (**7,604**), Mizoram (**2,245**), Arunachal Pradesh (**13,169**), Sikkim (**3,531**). (Source: [AarogyaSetu App](#) at 6.00 pm)

**The detailed status of surveillance activity for COVID-19 up to 17 October, 2020 (evening) is given below:**

Sample tested (RTPCR)	<b>1,77,351</b>	Patient recovered	<b>26,199</b>
Sample tested (RAT)	<b>2,51,627</b>	Total no of patients under treatment/Active case	<b>2,776</b>
<b>Total Sample tested</b>	<b>4,28,978</b>	No of Death	<b>326</b>
Sample positive (RTPCR)	<b>6,378</b>	COVID-19 positivity rate	<b>6.84%</b>
Sample positive (RAT)	<b>22,949</b>	Recovery rate	<b>89.40%</b>
<b>Total Sample positive</b>	<b>29,327</b>	Fatality rate	<b>1.11%</b>
Sample Negative	<b>3,99,651</b>	Tests per million	<b>1,07,309</b>

In order to contain the spread of the virus, Tripura Government has strengthened the surveillance and control measures against the disease.

**The detailed status of surveillance activity for COVID-19 of 17 October, 2020 (from yesterday evening to today evening) is given below:**

Sample tested (RTPCR)	<b>680</b>
Sample tested (RAT)	<b>1550</b>
<b>Total Sample tested</b>	<b>2230</b>
Sample positive (RTPCR)	<b>12</b>
Sample positive (RAT)	<b>122</b>
<b>Total Sample positive</b>	<b>134</b>
Patient recovered	<b>187</b>
No of Death	<b>03</b>