

Government of West Bengal
Department of Health & Family Welfare

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COVID19 Data Analysis Cell

To contain the spread of COVID19 in West Bengal, it is necessary to set up a dedicated Data Analysis Cell with the following members:

1. Prof. Sujoy Ghosh, Department of Endocrinology, IPGMER & SSKM Hospital, Kolkata
 2. Prof. Biman Kanti Ray, Department of Neuro Medicine (BIN), IPGMER & SSKM Hospital, Kolkata
 3. Prof. Tamal Kanti Ghosh, Special Secretary (M.E.), Health & Family Welfare Department
 4. Prof. Diptakanti Mukhopadhyay, Department of Community Medicine, COM & Sagar Dutta Hosp.
 5. Dr. Pramit Ghosh, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine Deben Mahato Govt. MCH, Purulia
 6. Dr. Asit Biswas, Deputy Director of Health Services
 7. Shri Toby Kar, Swasthya Bhaban
 8. Shri Pradipta Chaudhuri, Swasthya Bhaban
 9. Shri Jagadish Kundu, Swasthya Bhaban
2. The mandate of the COVID19 Data Analysis Cell will cover:
- a) Collection and collation of data from multiple sources, including the districts, on real time basis;
 - b) To examine the data received, to detect patterns and under currents, etc.
 - c) To use data analytics tools to provide predictions about the disease outbreak and appropriate policy inputs
 - d) To analyse data for determining the current and likely hot spots of COVID19 infection, based on inputs received and material available in the public domain;
 - e) To advise on the pockets/ likely areas where additional testing or random testing could be started, as a screening device;
 - f) To present a data- based daily bulletin on the current situation and future projections;
 - g) To advise the Government in pre-empting and improving disease surveillance in overall terms;
 - h) Any other matter related to the above.
3. The Cell will start functioning immediately.
4. Dr. Asit Biswas will act as the Member Convenor of the Cell and coordinate its activities.



(Vivek Kumar)
Principal Secretary

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