

Are we well equipped to deal with the Corona Virus crisis?

- The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has taken adequate steps in this direction to equip the designated healthcare facilities to take care of the infected Corona Virus patients, should they require an admission.
- The relevant SOPs for isolation and home quarantine, sample testing, laboratory facilities and discharge of the admitted patients are well available in the public domain on the website of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW).



What are the few common myths?

1. Does the disease spread through food especially eating chicken, eggs and meat?

There is no conclusive evidence that the properly cooked food transmits the disease.

2. Does the disease spread through pets?

The transmission of disease has not been seen through pets.

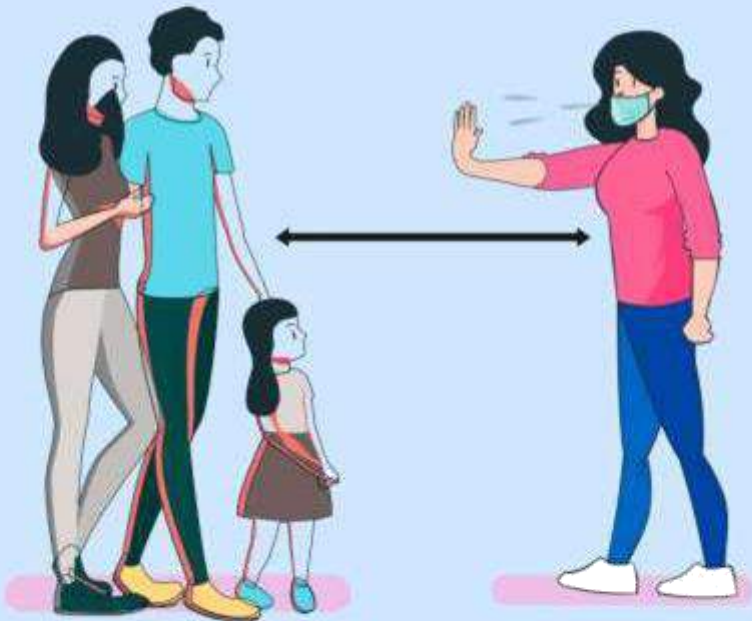
3. Does the dead body of a person infected with Corona Virus transmit the infection?

There is no transmission of Corona Virus infection from the dead body of the person.



How can I help in containing the disease?

- One can help by following good personal hygiene, handwashing and cough etiquettes.
- One can also avoid/restrict unnecessary travel, participation in public gatherings and can ensure a reasonable social distancing.
- This can contribute greatly in breaking the chain of active transmission.





What are the helpline numbers to be contacted in case of need?

**The Helpline Number for
Corona Virus is +91-11-23978046**

Toll Free No: 1075

For any updates, visit the website of
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.