

## **OPENING OF CHARITABLE ISOLATION CENTER FOR COVID-19 PATIENTS IN THE VICINITY OF SLUMS IN SOUTH DELHI**

The novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19) is a recent epidemic growth, which has spread to over 220 countries of the world since its outbreak. As per the data of the World Health Organization (WHO) as of 4th July, 2021 India is the 2<sup>nd</sup> infected country based as per WHO report, more than 30545254 confirmed cases total Deaths 402034, Total Recovered 29650936 and Active Cases 492284. Since the end of March 2021 the second wave has started, and on 7<sup>th</sup> May 2021 highest number of cases (4, 14,188) in a day has been identified and on 10<sup>th</sup> June 2021 highest number of deaths (6,148) on 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 in a day has been confirmed.

WHO has issued a strategic preparedness, response plan for countries at risk. This is based on the experience of previous epidemics shared by World health authorities. There is special emphasis on strict 'quarantine and isolation of suspected/diagnosed cases, hence 14<sup>th</sup> Days isolation is mandatory requirement for treatment of Covid Patient. India is a developing country with a weak health care system. India Health department has always provided services to the countrymen during natural and man-made disasters. During this pandemic, the largest rehabilitation institute, hospitals, local clinics, and some non-government organizations of the country have come forward to contribute and support this pandemic. Ngo's buildings converted into dedicated isolation and quarantine centers to provide facilities for the COVID-19 patients. In view of this 2<sup>nd</sup> Wave of COVID-19 pandemic this article, I shared our experience of establishing and managing a Charitable Jai Bheem Covid quarantine and isolation center for covid-19 patients in the vicinity of area poor population in New Delhi, national capital of India. When the epidemic was its peak in Delhi and availability of healthcare infrastructure was at lowest level. The well-equipped covid center providing free treatment, creating awareness, conducting awareness camp and distribution of hygiene kits (Masks, Soap, Sanitizers, and Gloves), tele-consultation, Food free of cost to the people specially to the have-nots for their protection to fight against Coronavirus Pandemic in Delhi.



**CHARITABLE JAI BHEEM COVID ISOLATION CENTER**  
**55-B, TUGHLAQABAD INSTITUTIONAL AREA, NEW DELHI – 110062**

Items for Medical Professionals	Items for each beds (Patients)
PPE Kits	Bed
Triple Layered Mask	Sanitizers
Disposable gloves	N95 Mask
Surgical Caps	Mattress
Liquid Soaps	Bedside Table
Scrub Suits	Chair
Eye Shields	Table
Infrared thermometer with cells	Bedsheets
BP Apparatus	Pillows
Pulse Oxymeter with cells	Pillow covers
Suction apparatus with suction	Closed Dustbin
Nebulizers	Bucket and mug
Sthethoscope	Light Bulb
Glucometer with strips	Pedestal Fans
Medicine trolleys	Plate/ Spoon/tea mug
Biomedical waste bins	Markers
Biomedical waste collection bags	Cotton 500g packs
Almirah	Spirit
MEDICINES FOR PHARMACY	Oxygen cylinder with flow meter

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