

Province Karnali

Date: 2077/02/08

SN	Key Achievements and Innovations	SN	Key Asks
1.	The flow of RT-PCR testing has increased than previous weeks	1.	VTM and RNA extraction kits are still in shortage
2.	Field visits for monitoring and supervision of COVID-19 targeted activities are being continued in priority districts	2.	Influx of people from India is increasing at a rapid rate. RDT and PCR kits are insufficient to cover these population
3.	Number of isolation beds has been increased. Additional ventilator has been added in Provincial Hospital, Surkhet.	3.	Few urban municipalities and rural municipalities are still lacking CICT teams.
4.	First confirmed COVID-19 case in Health Service Office, Dailekh is being kept in isolation	4.	RRT teams must be made more active and accountable.
5.	Contact tracing team from Health Service Directorate, Provincial Hospital lab personnel and WHO Medical officer have been deployed in Dailekh	5.	Strengthening of local response team and onsite coaching for contact tracing.

Innovative Programs

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1.	Deployment of Medical Doctors in Strategic Location of Karnali Province aiming to immediate response of suspected COVID-19 patients locally	1.	Continuation of them
2.	Quality of Quarantine has been increased reducing the number of places	2.	RDT and RT-PCR test for all people needs to ensured.
3.	Daily update and strategic plan considering the situation with medical superintendent, COVID-Focal person and other stakeholders.	3.	Enough safety of COVID-19 response front health workers

Thank you