

Precaution a must for prevention: Yogi Nigrani samitis to take up spl monitoring in villages

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Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath said that the coronavirus might have weakened but was not yet finished, hence precaution was the only way to protect ourselves.

"The country and the world have been suffering due to global pandemic Corona. There has been extensive damage in many states. We have to keep in mind that the coronavirus has only weakened, not ended. Caution and awareness are the biggest weapons in the fight against it. Carelessness in the disease can be dangerous, so we have to be constantly vigilant," Yogi said while interacting with mediapersons in Gorakhpur on Friday.

"Keep following the mantra of maintaining two yards distance from each other. Vaccination is the only shield to protect against corona. There are already two vaccines in the country and some more will be available by next month. Everyone will have to join the campaign of trace, test and treat issued by the government. Under this our monitoring committees are going door to door," the chief minister said and appealed to the people not to run away from sample testing and take the vaccine.

Yogi also gave detailed information about Mukhyamantri Bal Seva Yojana



Chief Minister with children at a protection home in Gorakhpur on Friday

started for those ill-fated children orphaned by the Corona pandemic. He said that the government would take up the responsibility of nurturing and educating those children who lost their parents or earning guardianship due to Corona infection.

"Under the scheme arrangement has been made to provide Rs 4,000 per month to

the legal guardian till the child attains the age of 18 years. Along with this, a comprehensive action plan has been prepared for the education of these children through Child Protection Homes, Kasturba Girls Residential Schools and Atal Residential Schools," he said.

In this sequence, along with a free system of higher and

technical education for children above 18 years, tablets will also be given to them. Besides, Rs 1,01,000 will be provided if the destitute girl was eligible for marriage. The state government is already paying Rs 2000 per month to the children living in Child Protection Homes.

The CM said that 174 children in Gorakhpur region have been identified to be benefited

under Mukhyamantri Bal Seva Yojana, who lost their earning guardians due to Corona. Of these, six children have lost both parents. He met five of these children on Friday morning. Yogi said that officials of the Child Development and Nutrition Department have been directed to provide benefits of the government scheme to the children.

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Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath has tasked the Nigrani Samitis with starting a special extensive campaign of door-to-door screening of villages to identify children with symptoms like fever, cough and providing them with medicine kits from June 26.

The chief minister was in Ballia on Friday to take stock of the implementation of government schemes at the grass-roots level. "The children have been divided into four groups — 0-1 years, 1-5 years, 5-12 years and 12-18 years. Under the campaign, the Nigrani Samitis will provide medicine kits to these children accordingly," the CM said while addressing mediapersons.

Those found with fever or cough-like symptoms will be examined by the rapid response teams (RRTs), if need be.

"After successfully controlling the second wave of COVID-19, we are preparing for the probable third wave. Although there is no need to panic, caution is necessary. The current season invites all kinds of diseases like dengue, chikungunya, malaria and encephalitis among others. Considering the sensitivity of the area, the state govern-

ment has started preparations in this regard, be it cleanliness, sanitisation, fogging or aggressive vaccination," he said.

The chief minister also said that vaccination was going on successfully in the state. Till now, the state has administered more than 2.46 crore doses to people.

"In Ballia, as many as 2.64 lakh people have taken the vaccine with minimum wastage. We are giving vaccine cover to over 4 lakh people in the state on a daily basis. From June 21, the state will start administering around 6 lakhs doses a day while from July, the target is to give at least 10 to 12 lakh doses per day. Vaccination will also take place in the village panchayat ghars," he said.

The CM also said that the poor would get ration twice in a month for June, July and August, as the state government would also be distributing 5 kg of ration for three months along with PMGKY.

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Reiterating the resolve to protect the farmers, the CM said that even during the Covid period, wheat procurement from the farmers continued smoothly. "Last year, around 48,000 MT of wheat was procured in Ballia but this time, more than 85,000 MT of wheat has been procured. The state has set a new record of wheat procurement in the ongoing season," he added.

After the Gorakhpur visit on Thursday, Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath reached Ballia where he inspected the District Hospital. The CM inquired about the well-being of patients in the Covid and non-Covid wards. He also took stock of the arrangements at the vaccination centres and Covid care centres.

The CM then visited Haibatpur village in the district where he inspected the distribution of food grains under the Prime Minister Garib Kalyan Yojana.

4 more Rohingyas living illegally in Meerut land in UP ATS net

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The sleuths of Uttar Pradesh Anti-Terrorist Squad (UP ATS) claimed to have arrested four more Rohingyas living illegally in Meerut. The cops also claimed to have busted a gang of agents who arranged forged papers to help Rohingyas in their illegal stay in India. The accused were identified as Hafiz Shafiq, Azizur Rehman, Mufizur Rehman and Mohd Ismail. The cops said they recovered incriminating documents, including forged identity cards, passports, a laptop, a pen drive and foreign currency.

Addressing mediapersons here on Friday evening, ADG (Law & Order) Prashant Kumar said: "Human trafficking of this nature can change the demography, if allowed unchecked. Such people were also causing huge economic

losses to the country by way of Hawala transactions."

It was being investigated as a case of human trafficking, the ADG said, adding that no PFI link was found so far.

He further said the gangs of agents make fake United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees cards and charge a lot of money to help people enter India illegally. These people are involved in criminal & anti-national activities, he added. On Thursday, the UP ATS had arrested two Rohingyas, identified as Mohammed Rafique and Mohammed Amin, from the Makhdomo Nagar area under the Kotwali police station of Aligarh. They were allegedly living in India using forged documents. The ATS team also recovered six gold biscuits, Aadhaar cards and UNHCR cards from their possession.

The ATS arrested the two

on a tip-off given by Noor Alam and Amir Husain, who were arrested in Ghaziabad last week. ATS sources further said that the arrested accused had been involved in helping other Rohingyas enter the country through different channels.

ADG, ATS, GK Goswami, who led the operation, said it was for the first time that Rohingyas had been caught in Aligarh with six gold biscuits weighing 100 grams each. In March, the UP ATS had busted a gang that was helping Rohingyas gain illegal entry into different parts of the country. The cops had arrested two brothers from Myanmar and they were identified as Farooq alias Hasan and Shahid.

The ADG said that they had facilitated jobs for many Rohingyas in the meat processing units in Aligarh, Kanpur, and Unnao. He said further interrogations with the arrested

accused were underway.

Meanwhile, a youth was allegedly abducted in Kushinagar and a ransom was demanded for his release. According to an FIR lodged by Narad Gupta, a resident of Ward No. 25 in Indiranagar, two youths reached there on a motorcycle on Thursday evening and called his son Sandeep, asking him to accompany them to attend a party at Kaptanganj crossing near Sharda Hospital. His son went with them and just an hour later, he received a call and was told that his son had been kidnapped. He was asked to arrange Rs 20 lakh for his safe release. Sandeep was doing a pathology course from a para-medical college in Gorakhpur. The police registered a case against Ajeet aka Bhattu and two unknown friends, and were making efforts to rescue the victim.

Only 7 UP districts record double-digit Covid cases

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Fresh Covid cases in Uttar Pradesh continued to show a declining trend as on Friday, only 291 patients were detected in the last 24 hours while 774 recovered. Now, just seven districts of the state have fresh cases in double digit, ACS (Information) Navneet Sehgal said. He said there are 5,343 active cases in the state with the recovery rate touching 98.4 per cent while the positivity rate was 0.09 per cent. The overall positivity rate in the state was 3.1 per cent, he said.

The state has vaccinated 2,46,15,054 people so far. On

Thursday, 4,04,192 people were vaccinated. The vaccination of the 18+ group has now reached 53,13,940 in the state, he said.

In Lucknow, 30 fresh cases were recorded while 20 patients. However, nine patients succumbed to the deadly infection.

At KGMU, there was one death due to mucormycosis while 11 more patients were admitted, taking black fungus case tally to 417.

Meanwhile, Deputy CM Dinesh Sharma has allocated Rs 1 crore from his MLA funds for better medical facilities and setting up of pipelines for oxygen and the provision of ambulance services in CHCs.

Grad ceremony at Memaura air base

Lucknow (PNS): A graduation ceremony was held at the Air Force Station Memaura in Lucknow on June 17 to mark the culmination of the 163th Fighter Controllers Course (FCC). The course, which comprises 11 officers from the Indian Air Force (IAF) and also three officers from friendly foreign countries, commenced on January 4 earlier this year. After completion of combined training and graduation of foreign officers in March, the IAF officers continued to be trained in specific professional aspects. The function marked culmination of FCC and donning of the coveted controllers badge for the graduating officers. The valedictory function was presided over by Air Commodore Pawan Kumar.

13 cos likely to set up data centres in Noida

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The UP government said 13 companies, including domestic and MNCs, have evinced interest in setting up data centres in Noida and were likely to make investments of over Rs 22,000 crore.

Among these major companies are Hiranandani group, which has started work on the project with an investment of Rs 6,000 crore and the Adani group, which is setting up two projects of 50 MW each in the district with a combined investment of Rs 4,900 crore. Besides, Indospace Capital Advisors would be investing Rs 1,500 crore and has already applied for land, NTT Global Data Centres, UK, has also been allotted land in Gautam Buddha Nagar (Noida) to set up a 70 MW data centre with an investment of Rs 1,500 crore, STT GDC, Singapore would be setting up an 18 MW project with an investment of Rs 1,100 crore and has already got the land allotted.

Apart from these, the state government has also received intents of investment from companies like Sify Technologies, CTRLS Data Centres, Web Works, RBDC Pte, Singapore, Brookfield Asset Management, Canada, Mantra Data Centres, and

Spain. In a report titled '2020 India Data Centre Market Update', JLL has said that Delhi-NCR region was expected to emerge as a new data centre hotspot as demand from government departments and IT/ITeS were expected to drive further growth.

"As the data centre landscape continues to evolve, the industry is expected to grow exponentially to reach 1,007 MW by 2023 from its existing capacity of 447 MW," the report said, adding that with the growing reliance on digital connectivity, demand was likely to ramp up further due to the imminent rollout of 5G rollout, IoT-linked devices, data localisation and cloud adoption. "India's data centre sector will require an investment of \$3.7 billion over the next three years to fulfil the 6 million sq ft greenfield development opportunity for the industry," it stated.

Savills India also in its latest report titled "Poised for growth: Data centres in India", states that data centre demand in India between 2021-2025 is expected to touch over 2,500 MW with the adoption of 5G, Internet of Things (IoT), Artificial Intelligence (AI), increasing use of cloud services and in smart cities and

states that the real estate demand for data centres is set to see an upward momentum by 15-18 million sq ft in the next 4 to 5 years across major Indian cities. At present, the data centres are mostly located in cities like Mumbai, Chennai, NCR, Bengaluru and Hyderabad.

MSME and Exports Promotion Minister Sidharth Nath Singh said that due to the state government's aggressive IT policy, Uttar Pradesh was gradually turning into the country's IT hub. "The government has already spoken to all stakeholders and shared the draft guidelines with them. Formal government orders could not be issued due to the ongoing Covid pandemic. But we are now expediting it and it is likely to be issued soon," he said.

"There is huge interest in the data centre sector in UP and the response has been beyond our expectation. Many serious and solid players are interested, including Microsoft and Google. The empowered committee would be meeting soon to decide on this. We would issue letters of intent (LoIs) to interested companies soon" an official of the Industry department said.

Congress leader alleges threat to life from Lallu

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Bickering within the UP unit of Congress party continued to hog limelight when a senior leader lodged an FIR perceiving threat to his life from state party chief Ajay Kumar Lallu on Friday.

Senior Congress leader and former secretary Sunil Rai filed a case against Lallu and told mediapersons in Lucknow that he has been receiving several international calls from unknown callers handing out life threats to him and dire consequences if he did not stop opposing Ajay Kumar Lallu.

"These callers have been threatening me not to say a word against Lallu," he alleged. Rai further said that he had filed an FIR against Lallu six months ago when the latter tore down a hoarding put up by him. "I had put up hoardings around the UPCC office on New Year. The hoardings carried photographs of Priyanka Gandhi, Sonia Gandhi, Rahul Gandhi and some other leaders. Since Lallu's picture was inadvertently left out, the UPCC chief got the hoarding pulled down and trampled upon them," Rai said.

The FIR was lodged at Hussainganj police station under Sections 323 (Punishment for voluntarily causing hurt), Section 427 (commit mischief and thereby causes loss or damage to the amount of fifty rupees or upwards) and Section 352 (Punishment for assault or criminal force otherwise than on grave provocation).

"However, the police, apparently under pressure from Lallu, did not initiate any action against him. I will now take up the matter at all possible levels," he said. Demanding security as

there was imminent threat to his life, Rai said that he has also written to Congress interim national president Sonia Gandhi and general secretary, Priyanka Gandhi Vadra recently urging them to remove Lallu from the state president post as he was working against party interests. Alleging that the UPCC chief had an anti-upper caste mindset and did not allow leaders, other than those belonging to the OBC category, to actively work for the party, Rai claimed that several upper caste leaders were thrown out of the Congress in UP in the recent past.

The Congress leader claimed that if Lallu was not immediately removed, the party would be decimated in the state.

Meanwhile, a media report on Thursday said that UP Congress chief Ajay Kumar Lallu and media chairman Nasimuddin Siddiqui had met Samajwadi party president Akhilesh Yadav in Lucknow recently, giving a new twist to the politics of Congress before the 2022 Assembly polls in the state. However, the Congress leaders contradicted the report and claimed it as false propaganda against them.

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