

Outreach: COVID-19 effort on testing at DBT's inStem has reached a milestone

The DBT's Institute for Stem Cell Science & Regenerative Medicine (InStem), Bengaluru have recently reached a milestone of 10,000 samples testing (May 29, 2020) since day 1 of testing (i.e. Apr 13, 2020), with 500+ samples arriving from districts in northern Karnataka and Bangalore itself. The level of commitment and support from the campus community has been outstanding especially the faculty members, young researchers, technical and administrative staff who have volunteered for this work.



SARS-CoV-2 testing pipeline at the testing laboratory of Bangalore Life Science Cluster

The institute has done extensive testing for COVID-19 has been done at this need of need of hour. Since state healthcare systems are severely overburdened, many research institutions have stepped in to fill this gap by offering available infrastructure, skilled researchers, and resources.

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