

DBT-IBSD-JNIMS Covid19 testing laboratory gets ICMR nod to start testing

The Department of Biotechnology's Institute of Bioresources and Sustainable Development (IBSD) and Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Medical Sciences (JNIMS) Covid19 testing laboratory at Imphal gets nod to start COVID 19 testing. JNIMS accorded with essential approvals by BDT to facilitate management of COVID-19 are now fully functional. Indian Council of Medical research (ICMR) New Delhi also approved the laboratory on 11th July 2020 for testing of CoVID19 samples.



S. No.	Names of States	Test Category	Names of Government Institutes	Names of Private Institutes
18.	Manipur (8) Govt: 7 Private: 1	RT-PCR	509. S Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Med. Sciences, Imphal-East, Manipur	228. Babina Diagnostics, Soibam Leikai, Ahongei Leirak, Porompat, Imphal East
			510. Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal	
		511. *DBT-IBSD-Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Medical Science, Imphal		
		TrueNat	512. Intermediate Reference Laboratory, Lamphelpat	
		513. District Hospital, Senapati 514. District Tuberculosis Centre (DTC), Ukhrul 515. District Hospital, Tamenglong		
19.	Meghalaya (12) Govt: 11 Private: 1	RT-PCR	516. North Eastern Indira Gandhi Regional Institute of Health & Medical Sciences, Shillong, Meghalaya	
			517. #Civil Hospital, Tura	
		TrueNAT	518. Pasteur Institute, Shillong 519. Civil Hospital, Nongstain 520. M.C.H. Hospital, Zowai 521. Civil Hospital, Nongpoh 522. Civil Hospital Shillong, East Khasi Hills District 523. Khliehriat CHC, East Jaintia Hills District	

Now the laboratory is ready to undertake independent testing as and when the samples are shared by the Government of Manipur. The co-ordinators for this laboratory are Dr. Nanaocha Sharma and Dr. S Indira Devi, Scientists at IBSD Imphal, who are being assisted by all DBT-IBSD Scientists and volunteer Research Associates and Scholars of the Institute

Link: https://www.icmr.gov.in/pdf/covid/labs/COVID_Testing_Labs_20072020.pdf

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