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Sub: Winning Corona war

Respected Sir,

Warm Greetings from Association of Physicians of India(API)

Thank you very much sir, for the Video conferencing we had on 24th with you.

On behalf of API I had assured to adapt your mission of Fighting & Winning over the current Corona Epidemic of our Nation. We had shared our Suggestions & Requests too.

Today we, Doctors & Health care professionals are happy that within 24 hours, our vibrant PM Ji has come out with requested support to fight effectively Corona war.

1. MCI has declared **Teleconsultation** legal with fitting Guidelines.

Definitely this action of yours will play a key role in reducing crowd in Hospitals & on the roads. Strengthening the concept of **Social Distancing**.

2.API stressed that **PPE** must be equally distributed to Nurses & Assistants beyond Doctors. It is happening sir.

3.**Corona Hospitals** were suggested & it is a reality today.

4.API wanted **Rapid diagnostics** must be made available at affordable cost.

I am learning ICMR is assessing Indigenous kit made in Pune & will soon certify.

In addition the following informations are available:

a.Home kit to detect Antibodies with finger prick

<https://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/2020/03/27/coronavirus-covid-19-home-test-kits/>

<https://www.alphabiolabs.co.uk/workplace-testing-services/coronavirus-testing-kit/>

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b.Cephied Gene Xpert can deliver results in 45 minutes

<https://www.israel21c.org/israeli-rapid-covid-19-lab-diagnostic-kits-in-production/>

c. MylabPatho detect COVID 19 in 4-7 hours.

Waiting for Authorisation

d.CoSara Diagnostics can supply 10,000 kits/day from April

<https://www.livemint.com/news/india/covid-19-cosara-diagnostics-can-supply-10-000-kits-day-from-april-11585134975098.html>

5.API and our Parent Professional Organisation, Indian Medical association (IMA) requested Health Insurance for Doctors & HCP.

Immediately you have declared 50 lakhs Insurance for 20 lakhs members.
Amazing sir.

One request sir: the eligibility for this Insurance cover is only for Doctors & HCP in Public sector. Since we are now engaging Private sector also in the Routine & ICU care of Corona case by segregating Beds & ICU, Doctors & HCP in Private sector too who are engaged by Government to care Corona Patients, must be included.

6.Corona is a Health Epidemic.

This is precipitating **Economic Epidemic** too.

Hence illaffordable must be supported substantially to sustain their life.

Our Honourable Prime Minister has announced lot of supports.

We are suggesting to deposit upto Rs 5000 monthly in the Janatha Yagna accounts, around 38 crore accounts.

We offer our sincere heartfelt thanks to our Vibrant Visionary Prime Minister of our Nation & assure to strengthen his hands to fight & win the Corona war.

Confident of your understanding & support, sir.

Thanking you

Regards & Respects.

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