

DELHI

MULTI-PRONGED CONTAINMENT APPROACH -

Delhi adopted a multi-pronged approach including increased testing, stringent management of containment zones, home isolation for patients with mild symptoms including provision of pulse oximeters and remote monitoring of vitals by trained nurses, and serological surveys. Large-scale expansion of COVID specific health infrastructure was carried out. The Sardar Patel COVID Care Centre was inaugurated, a 10000-bedded facility including two segments - a COVID Care Centre for isolation of asymptomatic individuals and a Dedicated COVID Health Centre equipped with oxygen support for symptomatic cases. A dedicated WhatsApp helpline number was announced following the COVID outbreak.