TIFR Hyderabad signs MoU with ESIC Hospital and Medical College (Hyderabad)

TIFR Hyderabad and ESIC Hospital and Medical College (Hyderabad) sign an MoU for developing tests that can rapidly confirm COVID-19 infections. ESIC hospital will be testing these newly developed assays on positive and negative human samples for purposes of validation. We have contributed to the infrastructure, such as the RT-PCR machine, of ESIC COVID-19 testing facility. At this moment, TIFR Hyderabad will provide RNA prep and RT-PCR training to contribute towards generating a skilled workforce, therefore, strengthening the COVID-19 testing capacity in Telangana.