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PRESS RELEASE

Progress of COVID-19 Immunization on 29. 01. 2021

	Immunization Centre	No of recipients
1	NHSL	1886
2	Colombo North Teaching Hospital	803
3	Colombo South Teaching Hospital	781
4	Army Hospital	600
5	Army Camp Panagoda	400
6	Lady Ridgeway Hospital for Children	382
7	BH Homagama	190
8	BH Mulleriyawa	108
9	IDH	80
10	Navy Camp Welisara	56
	Total	5286

- The health staff and other frontline workers in COVID-19 prevention activities attended very enthusiastically for the immunization programme.
- All categories of staff showed same enthusiasm.
- No side effects reported.
- We will be carrying out the program all over the country tomorrow.
- We hope to immunize a large group of healthcare staff and other frontline workers in COVID-19 prevention tomorrow.

Chief Epidemiologist

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