

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT SHEEP HUSBANDRY OFFICER BANDIPORA

NOVAL CORONA VIRUS (COVID 19)
MESSAGE
TO
Sheep Farmers, Nomads and Chopans
PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR LIVESTOCK

DO'S

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FOLLOW THESE DO'S AND DONT'S

- Follow good hygiene and bio-security practices



- Wash your hands before and after contact with animals



- Wear masks and gloves as preventive measures to curtail spread of infection

- Make sure animal housing conditions are clean
- Avoid contact with animals in case you are sick



- Take advantage of telemedicine services provided by a veterinarian in case you are COVID positive and need emergency treatment of your livestock

- Avoid Red Zone areas while handing over livestock to Chopans



- Hand over livestock to Chopans far away from villages and towns



- Ensure animals are vaccinated (PPR, Sheep Pox, ET) before migration to highland pastures



- Maintain social distancing while grazing livestock at highland pastures



- Take minimum number of persons with you for grazing of livestock at highland pastures



- Contact departmental staff at Bahak and First Aid camps in case of any eventuality

-  Stay at the same transit camp while migrating livestock to higher reaches
- Gather livestock under one particular Chopan for grazing purpose at highland pastures
-  Bring old aged persons and children with you to highland pastures
- Move your livestock through Red zone areas
-  Take persons who are immuno-compromised and having respiratory problems with you to highland pastures
-  Make any contact with pets and other domestic animals if your are COVID positive
-  Move with the livestock for grazing at highland pastures if you are COVID positive

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