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Maharashtra  
reports spike  
of nearly  
60,000 cases

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Maharashtra's case surge continued to skyrocket as the State posted its highest-ever single-day jump of 59,907 COVID-19 cases on Wednesday with the active case tally rapidly breaching the 5 lakh-mark to reach 5,01,559.

The State also recorded an all-time fatality spike of 322 deaths (128 of which were reported in the last 48 hours while the rest were from an earlier period), pushing the death toll to 56,652.

Just 30,296 patients were discharged as the State's recovery rate dipped to 82.36%. While the case tally has now reached 31,73,261, the cumulative recoveries stand at 26,13,627.

"Of the 2,11,48,736 laboratory samples tested thus far, 31,73,261 have returned positive with over two lakh samples being tested in the last 24 hours," said State Surveillance Officer Dr. Pradeep Awate.

Mumbai reported 10,442 cases taking its tally to 4,83,042 of whom 83,185 are active. Twenty-four fatalities took the city's toll to 11,856. All big civic bodies in the Metropolitan Region reported spikes of over 1,500 cases each.