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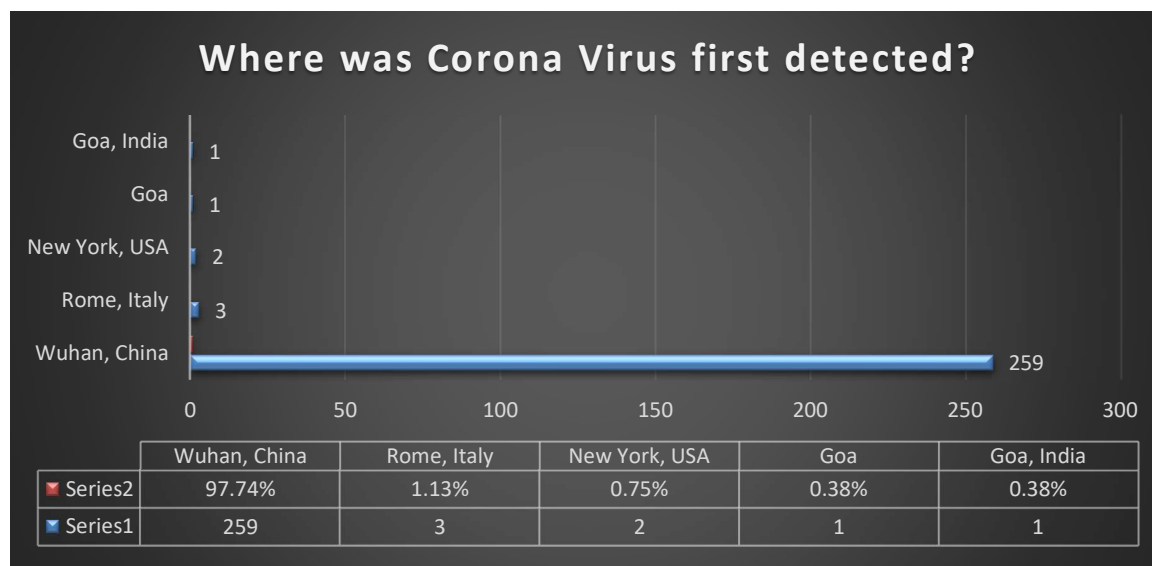
## A survey and analysis of awareness on Coronavirus (Covid 19) pandemic in Chinsurah

### Background:

You and I Foundation, Hooghly a local NGO had taken an initiative to do a survey to find out the awareness of people within the city of Chinsurah under Hooghly Chinsurah Municipality on Corona Virus pandemic during this crisis situation. We all know that at this point of time the whole world is passing through a hard time when almost all the country is badly tackling this outbreak and till now there is no answer to face this outbreak except creating mass awareness within the people so that we can minimize the contamination of this outbreak. In this situation we have taken this initiative to find out how our citizen of Chinsurah is well aware about this outbreak. Hence, we created a questionnaire in Google forms and circulated the link to our known people through WhatsApp, most of them are from upper strata.

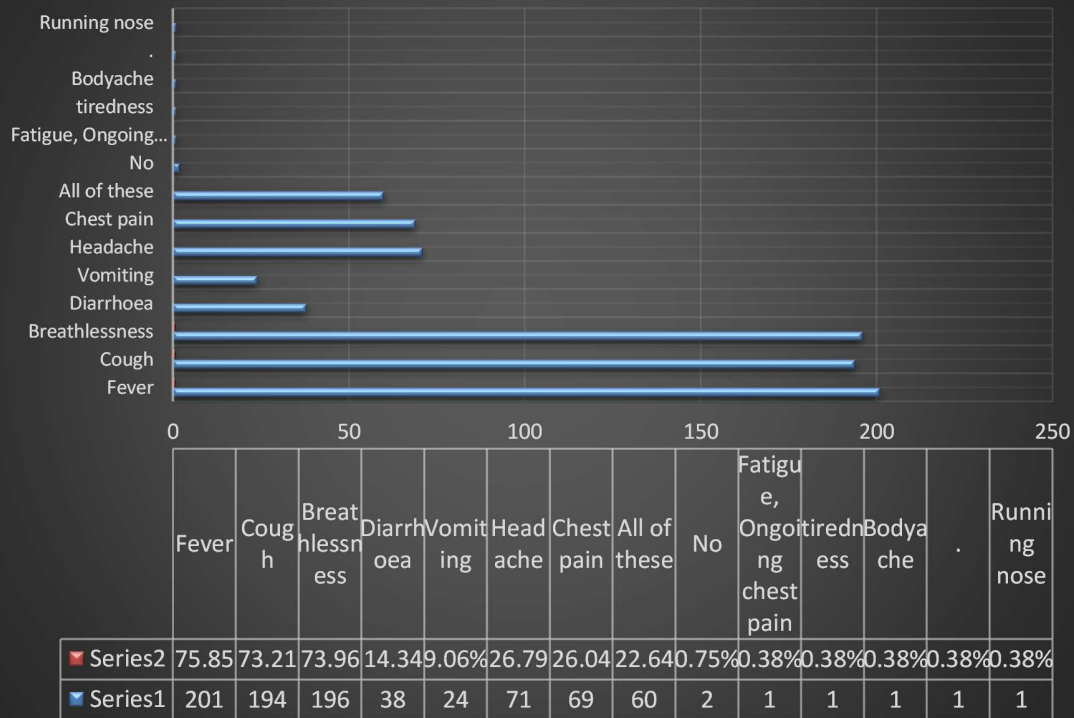
We received totally 265 responses based on 11 questions asked and below is the analysis of those answers which reveals the awareness of the people.

### Analysis of Answers:



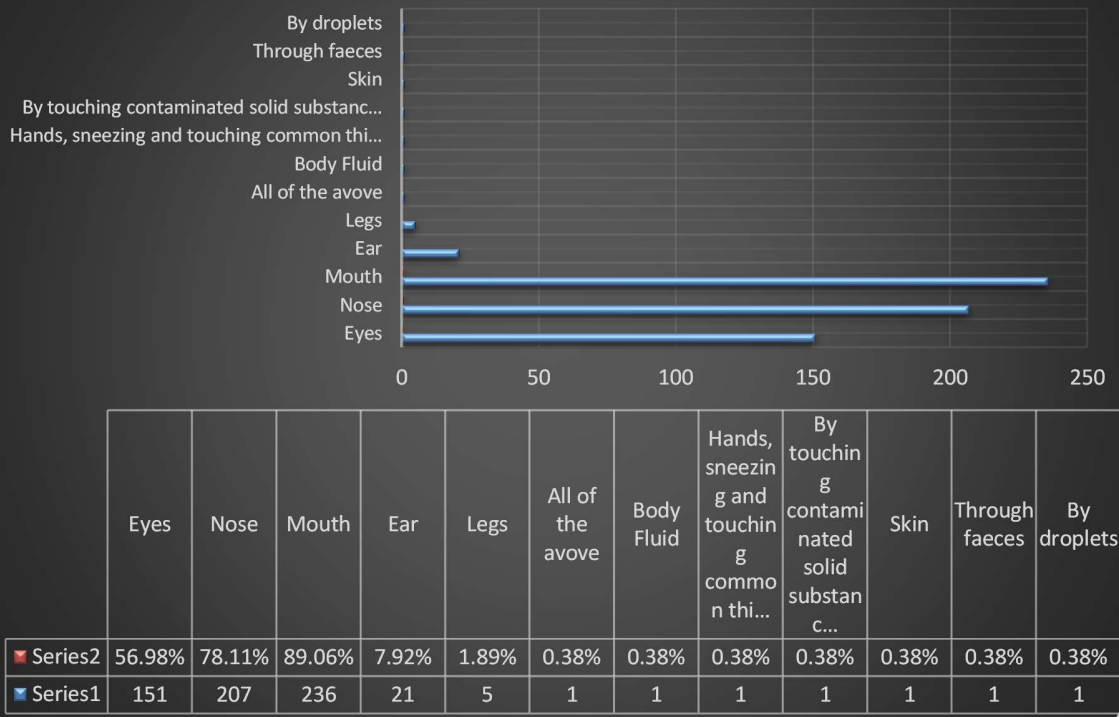
We can see that 259 people responded that Corona Virus was first detected in Wuhan, China which is in percentage nearly 98. This means that quite a number of people are aware about its epicenter.

## What are the symptoms of corona virus?



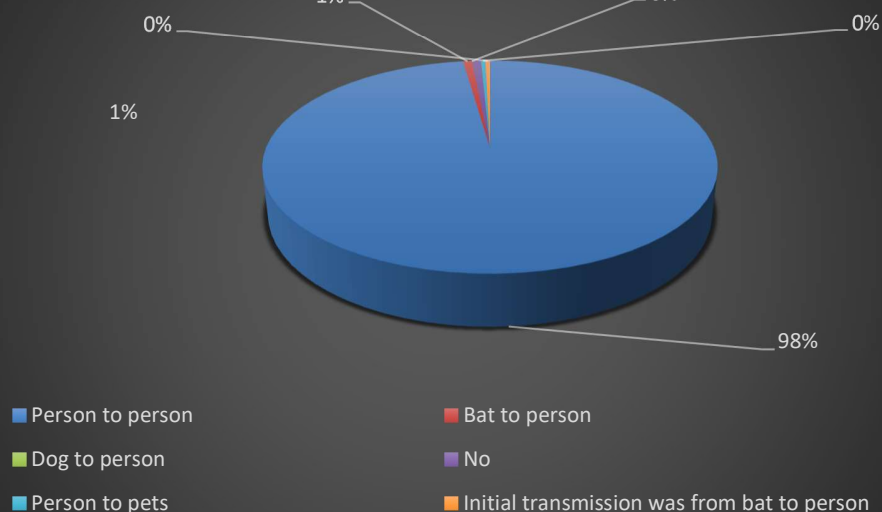
We can see from the above response that the symptoms of Corona Virus are Fever 76%, Cough 73%, Breathlessness 74%, Headache 27%. These are mainly four symptoms which people had correctly responded although very few people also responded other symptoms but most of the people have correctly responded.

## How does a person get infected?



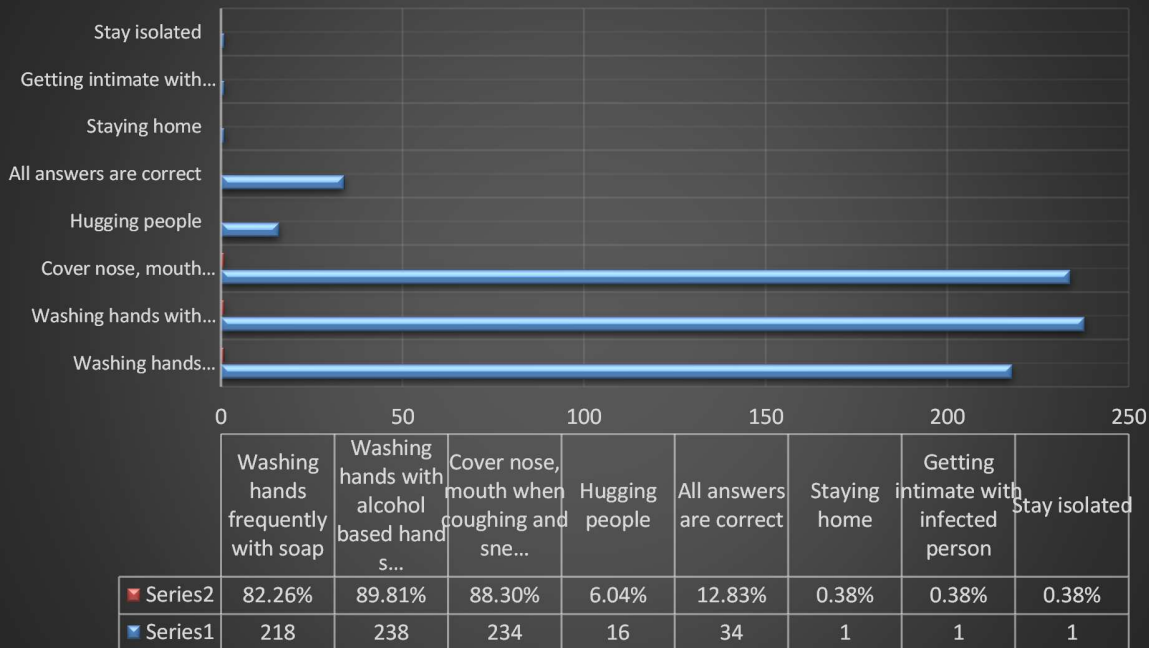
This is one of the very important indicator for awareness of Corona Virus and we can see that most of the people had rightly indicated that a person get infected by Corona Virus through Eyes 57%, Nose 78%, Mouth 89%.

## Corona Virus can be trasmitted from



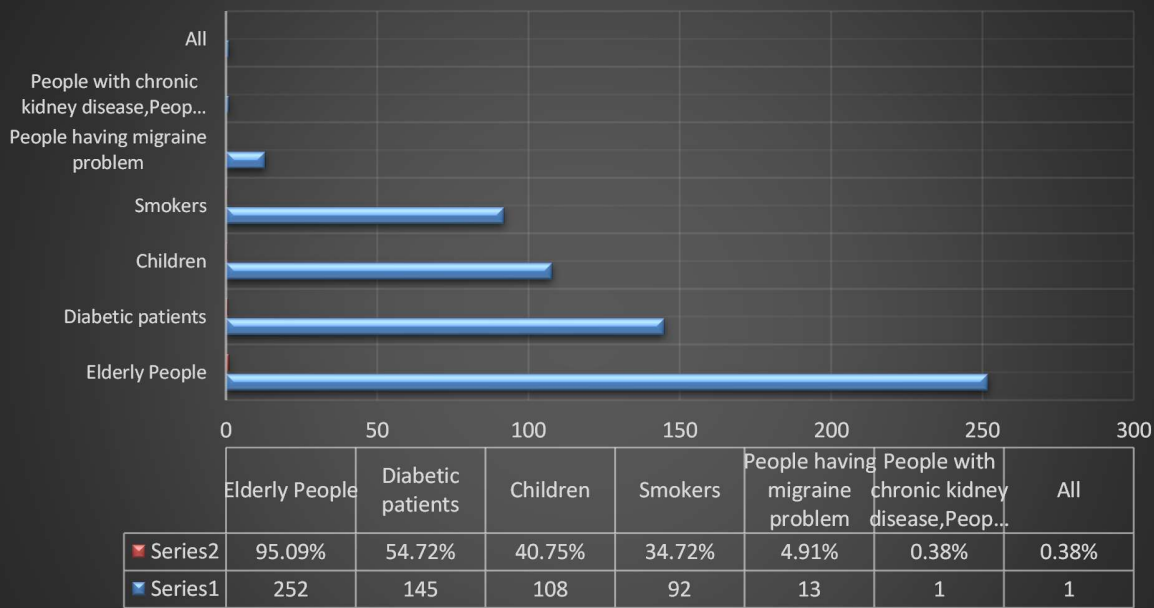
We can see from the above chart that 98% people had responded that Corona Virus can be transmitted from person to person which is very important judgement by the people.

## Ways of prevention



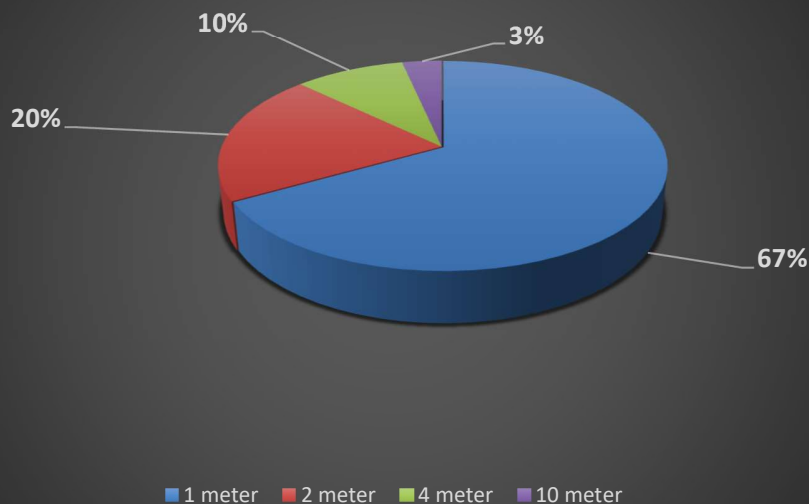
This is another very important indicator to judge people's awareness to see whether people know what are the ways to preventions? We can see from the above chart that 82% people feels that Washing hands with soap, 90% people feels washing hands with alcohol-based hand sanitizer, 88% people feels covering nose, mouth when coughing, sneezing is the prevention. This means that people are well aware about the ways of prevention.

## Who are the people with highest risk?

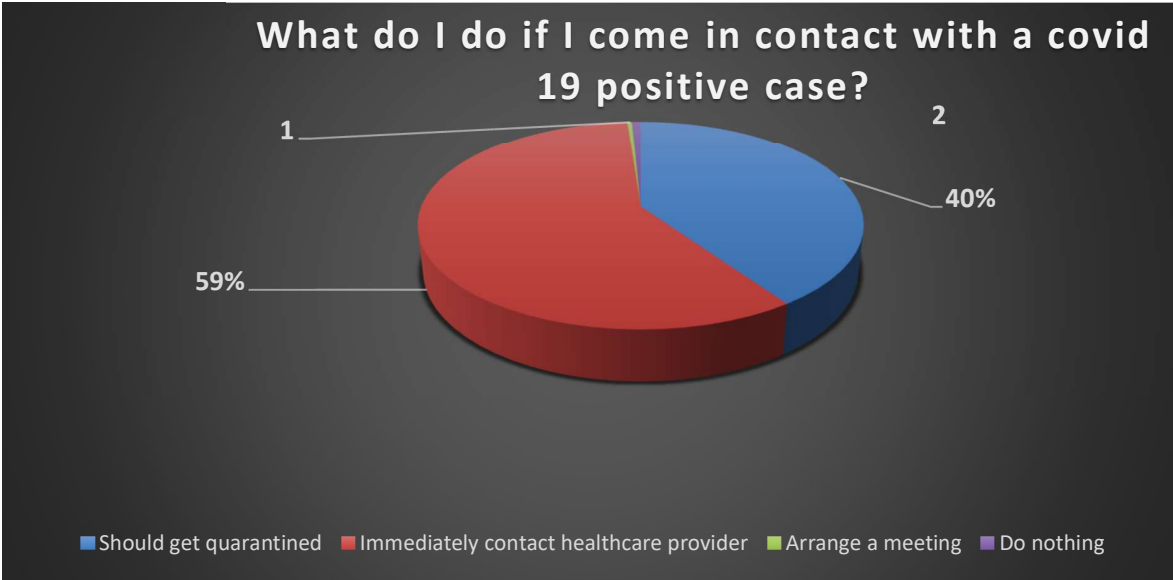


From the above chart we can see that people had responded that elderly people are at high risk which is 95% followed by diabetic 55%, Children 41% and Smokers 35%. Although people with chronic kidney/heart disease are also at high risk but they had responded very low.

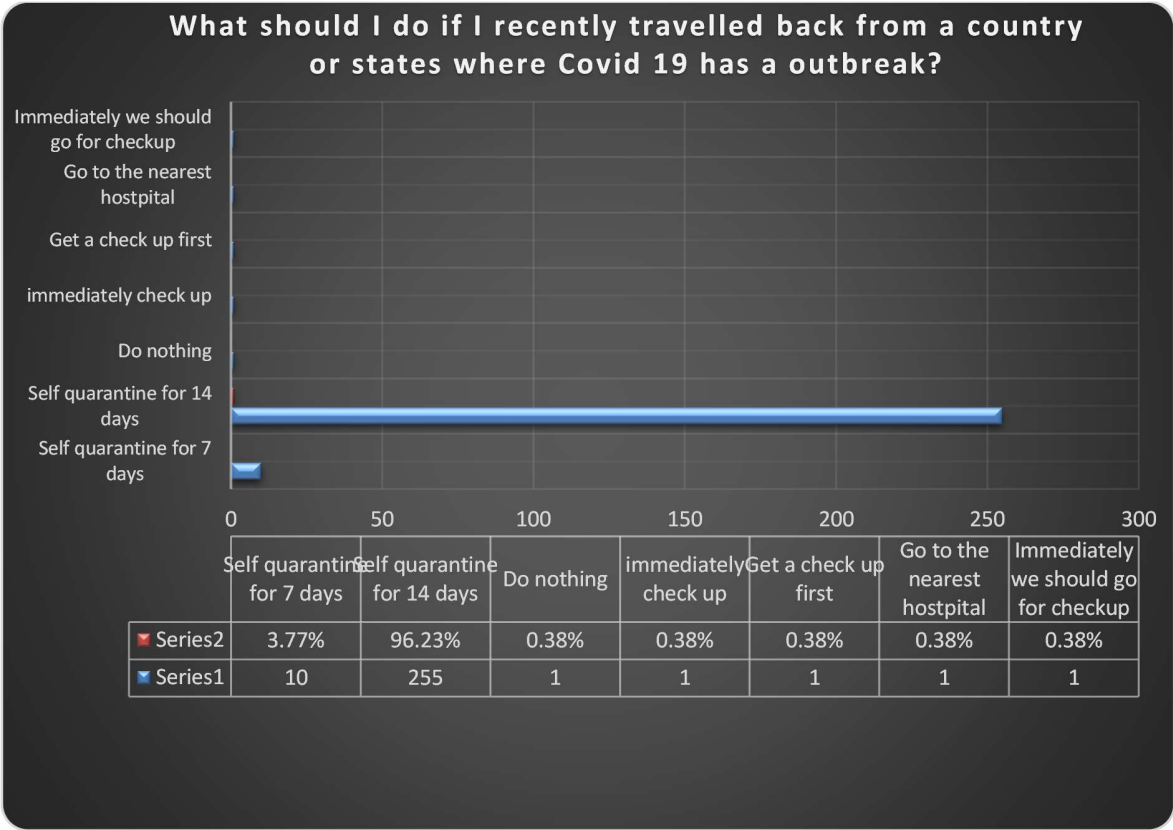
## How much distance should be maintained?



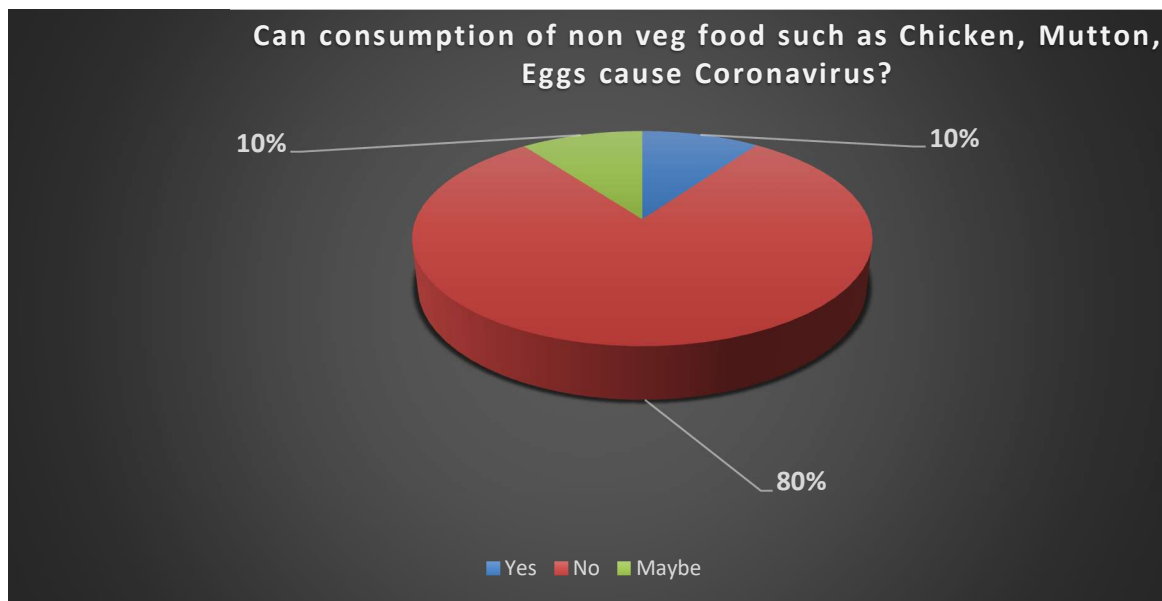
This is also a very important indicator in terms of ways of prevention and we can see that 67% people had responded that they should maintain a distance of 1 meter from a infected patient.



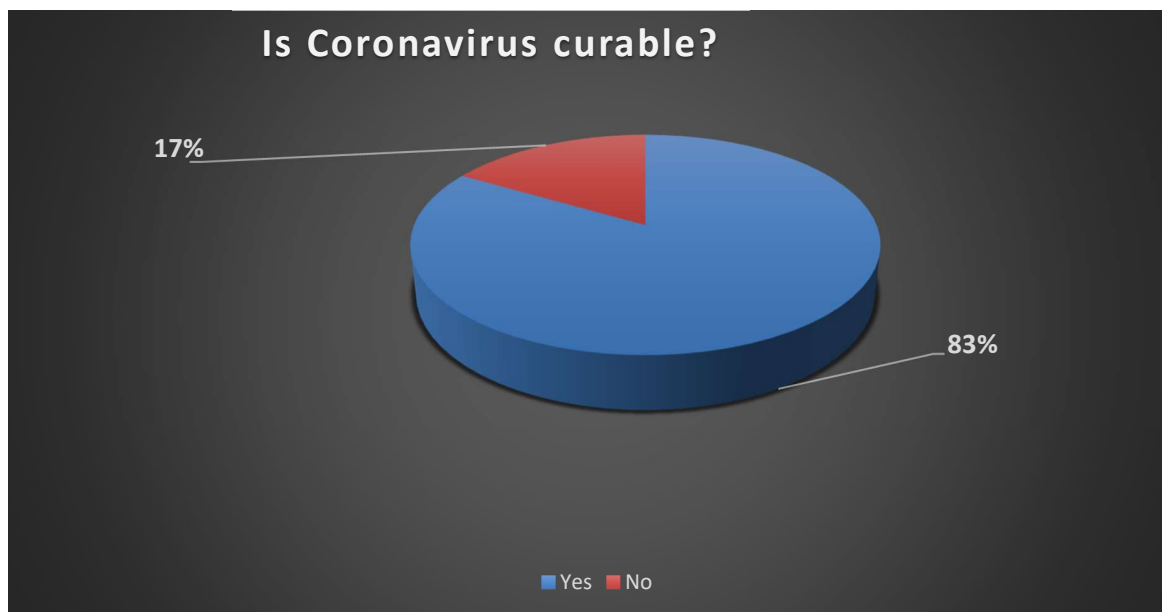
This is also important to know how people had reacted when we asked what they should do if they come to a contact with a COVID 19 positive case and we see that 40% people had responded that they should get quarantined when 59% people had responded that they should immediately contact healthcare provider.



This is another important indicator which people should know and we see from the above chart that 96% people had responded that they should keep themselves under self-quarantined if they travelled back from a country or states where COVID 19 has a outbreak which is very rightly responded.



From the above chart we see that 80% had responded that consumption of non veg food such as chicken, mutton, eggs does not cause Corona Virus.



Finally, this is highly important to know whether Corona Virus is curable and 83% people had responded positively.

## CONCLUSIVE TABLE

Indicators	High	Moderate	Low
Where was Corona Virus first detected?			
What are the symptoms of corona virus?			
How does a person get infected?			
Corona Virus can be transmitted from			
Ways of prevention			
Who are the people with highest risk?			
How much distance should be maintained?			
What do I do if I come in contact with a covid 19 positive case?			
What should I do if I recently travelled back from a country or states where Covid 19 has a outbreak?			
Can consumption of non veg food such as Chicken, Mutton, Eggs cause Corona Virus?			
Is Corona Virus Curable?			

We can conclude that overall the people of Chinsurah are well aware about the Corona Virus.

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