

IIT-I 'Madad' for Covid-19 patients

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While the country continues to reel under the second wave of Covid-19, students of Indian Institute of Technology, Indore have come forward to do their bit in the fight against the pandemic.

They have started an online platform named "Madad" that connects the needy people, tracking their requirements, with common people and charity organisations.

"Madad is an initiative of Students Gymkhana at IIT Indore. The platform is dedicated to society. We

want people in need to avail its benefit for combating Covid-19," said Prof Santosh Kumar Vishvakarma, Dean of Students Affairs, at IIT Indore. He was instrumental in the initiative. To take help or extend help to others, first, you have to register yourself at Madad.

Now, if you are looking for verified Covid relief leads, then the platform will help you get access to them. If you want to help someone, you connect with the people in need. For consultancy, a list of verified doctors with their contact numbers is available on the portal. **CONTD. ON P8**

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The portal provides information on the availability of plasma, blood, oxygen, medicine, food and more. Madad team track verified resources and help you connect with the helper.