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This thesis entitled Impacts of COVID-19 on workers of Itahari Municipality is under the syllabus of M.ED. 2nd-year T.U. Education faculty. It was prepared for the fulfillment of our curriculum 598 marks. This study found out that, the impacts of COVID-19 on workers upon physical, social, and mental problems. Then, it was the purpose to find out the employee's problem by the descriptive pattern. The employees who have selected the Sunsari district, Itahari municipality ward no. 9 and 10. 100 workers for the purposive sampling. For the analysis of this static, I did tabulation, bar- chart and pie chart.

The coronavirus COVID-19 pandemic is the defining global health crisis of our time and the greatest challenge we have faced since World War Two. Since its emergence in Asia late last year, the virus has spread to most of the countries.

Nepal, a landlocked country aspiring to graduate from a Least Developed Country status, stands highly vulnerable to the unfolding COVID-19 pandemic. Heedful of its vulnerabilities, the Government of Nepal has enforced a nationwide lockdown and activated its federal, provincial and local level mechanisms to respond to the crisis. While there is an urgent need to strengthen the existing health system to handle the situation in case of any sudden surge of the outbreak, standardize the quarantine facilities and provide immediate relief to the most affected, equally important is to help the country mitigate the socio-economic impacts and prepare for longer-term recovery.

Nepal Government has reported over 620K COVID-19 cases as of 20 June 2021. Meanwhile, the secondary impact of the global pandemic is huge and it is already taking a serious toll on an economy that relies heavily on remittances, imports fueled by remittances, informal labor, and tourism revenues.

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ABBREVIATION

BIBP: Behavioral Biomedical Interface Program

CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

COVID-19: SARS-CoV2

GDP: Gross Domestic Product

H1N1: Influenza A virus subtype H1N1

MERS: Middle East Respiratory Syndrom

RDT: Rapid Diagnostic Test

SARS: Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrom

UN: United Nations

UNDP: United Nations Development Programme

UNICEF: United Nations International Children's Education Fund

US: United States

WHO: World Health Organisation