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PATH INDIA is assisting the state governments in Maharashtra, Punjab and Meghalaya in ramping up testing processes, and designing appropriate testing strategies and solutions which are cost-effective, sustainable, and scalable. The intervention is built on innovations in diagnostic products and processes and building partnerships for increasing testing. It is engaged in set up and upgradation of on-site oxygen generation plants in Maharashtra, Karnataka and Punjab. Over the past couple of months, the organization has successfully supported the setup of 21 PSAs oxygen generation plants. It has helped procure oxygen concentrators in 4 states, as well as procure PSA oxygen generation plants in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar. PATH India has provided technical assistance for installing over 500 PSA plants across 9 states for medium-term support of oxygen needs. Further it is advising governments on improving their respiratory care roadmap, which includes rapid demand quantification and baseline assessment, constituting state and district level committees for monitoring and coordination, supporting procurement, training health care workers on rational and hygienic use of oxygen, etc.