The World Health Organisation said that it is not aware of a ‘Nepal variant’ of the coronavirus after a section of the British media reported of such a variant. (The Kathmandu Post)

Nepal has signed a non-disclosure agreement with the vaccine maker Sinopharm to procure Chinese shots despite questions whether such an agreement can be signed legally remains unanswered.

The first dose of verocell vaccines received in grant from China is being administered to the people of the age group 60-64 from 9 June, 2021. So far, a total of 2,804,574 people have received coronavirus vaccines across the country where as many as 2,113,080 have received the first dose and a total of 691,494 have been inoculated with both the doses and are fully vaccinated. (The Himalayan Times)

Nepal already has one of the highest suicide rates in the world, and COVID-19 has further exacerbated the situation. (UNICEF)

Demand for food consumption along with precautionary materials like sanitizer, masks and other WASH materials like soaps. (Community Feedback Report, World Vision International (WVI) Nepal, May 2021)

Increased threat of sexual violence against differently-abled women especially during prohibitory orders (World Health Organization)
A World Vision staff handovers much-needed medical supplies including 40 oxygen cylinders to the District COVID-19 Crisis Management Center of Kanchanpur on 8 June 2021.

A World Vision staff delivers medical equipment including 100 oxygen cylinders to the District COVID-19 Crisis Management Center of Banke on 6 June 2021.

The third episode of radio programme "Hamro Ghar Hamro Paathsaala" has been broadcasted through Association of Community Radio Broadcasters Nepal (ACORAB) to remotely engage and help children continue their learning during the prolonged nationwide lockdown implemented to contain COVID-19. The radio programme is aired every Friday through ACORAB, the largest network of community radios in Nepal with the capacity to reach over 15 million people through its 300+ stations across 77 districts of Nepal. The

During first 30 days of the response, distribution of all medical supplies to Federal, Province and Local Governments have been completed.

WVI Nepal is continuously broadcasting Public Service Announcements (PSAs) through 300+ radio stations associated with ACORAB.

Data collected through the Rapid Needs Assessment carried out in 15 districts of Nepal is being analysed. The assement which had a total of 1,346 respondents (657 adults and 689 children) is being conducted to initiate food and agri-inputs support to most the most vulnerable and food insecure households, preferably through Cash and Voucher modality. 