

# Impact of Covid-19 on Private Bus Operators - A Study in Thrissur District

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**Abstract:** *The study named “IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON PRIVATE BUS OPERATORS-A IN THRISSUR DISTRICT” conducted with the objectives such as to assess the financial stress experienced by employees of private bus. Then to understand the safety and health issues and to understand the change in travelling behaviour of travellers from the view of bus operators. Major findings of the study are employees mainly faced financial problems due to covid-19, unemployment is the main reason for financial problems. Many of them are aware about safety after lockdown ,and they finally reached in a conclusion that there is a great change in the Travelling behaviour of the people. Data is collected from bus operators in Thrissur district. Sample size is 31. Random sampling method is used to select samples. Data analysis is conducted by using simple statistical tools like percentage, graph, diagrams etc. In this time the support needed by private bus operators is very wide. This make this study more relevant.*

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