

# PANDEMIC

## PUZZLES

“By a Thread”

### SET-UP:

Infection Rate: 4  
Outbreaks: 6  
Cures Found: none

### INFECTED CITIES:

1 Black Cube: Chennai, Mumbai, Paris, Madrid, Cairo, St. Peters.  
3 Black Cubes: Moscow, Tehran, Riyadh, Algiers, Karachi, Kolkata

### STARTING LOCATIONS:

Field Director: Delhi  
Containment Spec.: Istanbul  
Quarantine Spec.: Karachi

**GOAL:** Do not lose the game during the infection phase at the end of the Field Director's turn.



It is the Field Director's turn...

**1**

**FIELD DIRECTOR**

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**RIYADH**

**MOSCOW**

**KOLKATA**

**ALGIERS**

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Using Forecast you know these Infection cards will be drawn after the Field Director's turn.

**2**

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**3**

**QUARANTINE SPECIALIST**

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Enlarged cards for reference on next page.

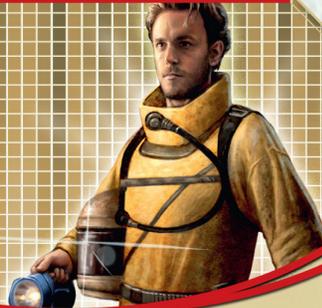
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**ACTIONS**

**DRIVE / FERRY**  
Move to a city connected by a white line.

**DIRECT FLIGHT**  
Discard a City card to move to the city named on the card.

**CHARTER FLIGHT**  
Discard the City card that matches the city you are in to move to any city.

**SHUTTLE FLIGHT**  
Move from a city with a research station to any other city that has a research station.

**BUILD A RESEARCH STATION**  
Discard the City card that matches the city you are in to place a research station there.

**TREAT DISEASE**  
Remove 1 disease cube from the city you are in. If this color is cured, remove all cubes of that color from the city.

**SHARE KNOWLEDGE**  
Either: give the card that matches the city you are in to another player, or take that card from another player. The other player must also be in the city with you.

**DISCOVER A CURE**  
At any research station, discard 5 City cards of the same disease color to cure that disease.



**WARNING!**  
THE NEXT PAGE CONTAINS THE  
SOLUTION TO THE PUZZLE.

# SOLUTION

## THE FIELD DIRECTOR'S TURN:

1. Using the Field Director's special ability, treat disease in Kolkata
  2. Drive/Ferry to Tehran
  3. Drive/Ferry to Moscow.
  4. Treat disease in Moscow.
- Using the Field Director's free bonus action\*, move the Containment Specialist to Algiers. One cube is automatically removed due to the Containment Specialist's ability.

*\*this can be done before or after step 4.*