



Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Urban

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Hon'ble Prime Minister launches

'Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra'

On 15th November 2023, Hon'ble Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra (VBSY) from Khunti, Jharkhand. In urban areas, the nationwide Yatra was flagged off on 28th November 2023. The Yatra is being undertaken with the aim to achieve saturation of flagship schemes of the Government by ensuring that the benefits of the schemes reach the last mile.

Customised IEC (Information, Education and Communication) Vans with messages of Government's flagship welfare programmes are moving to different cities across the country to reach out to people and create awareness and providing benefits of welfare schemes.



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The benefits include housing for the poor, sanitation facilities, essential financial services, electricity connections, access to LPG cylinders, food security, proper nutrition, healthcare, clean drinking water, etc.

The people's participation is gathering momentum with each passing day. Hon'ble Prime Minister has interacted with beneficiaries of Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra on different occasions. Union Ministers, MPs, MLAs and local-level representatives have also joined the programme in different locations.









The Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra embodies a larger vision of comprehensive social and economic upliftment, aiming to reach the grassroots level and bring forth the realisation of various Government initiatives across the country.

The Yatra is being conducted phase-wise in urban areas and is witnessing enthusiastic response and participation from citizens across the country. Through various Jan Bhagidari activities, citizens are being informed about the different Government schemes and they are also getting to know about how they can enrol themselves for getting the benefits of the schemes. Camps like Ayushman Bharat camp, Aadhar Updation camp, Health camp, PM



SVANidhi camp and PM Ujjwala camp etc are being organised at the venues with the aim to ensure inclusivity and access to essential services for all segments of society. Beneficiaries of Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban, along with beneficiaries of other Schemes, are invited at the camp locations to share their transformation experience under 'Meri Kahaani Meri Zubaani'.



Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurates 13 AHP projects

On 20th November 2023, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu Shri MK Stalin virtually inaugurated 4,272 tenements constructed under PMAY-U at 13 Affordable Housing in Partnership (AHP) project sites across 9 districts of the State. The cost of the projects is ₹ 453.67 crore.

In Tamil Nadu, 6.81 lakh houses have been sanctioned under PMAY-U, out of which 5.49 lakh houses have been completed and delivered to beneficiaries.



Hon'ble Chief Minister of Odisha inaugurates 3 Affordable Housing projects



Hon'ble Chief Minister of Odisha Shri Naveen Patnaik inaugurated three affordable housing projects constructed at Chandrasekhar, Shanti Nagar and Subudhipur in Bhubaneswar under PMAY-U on 20th November 2023. Over 1,700 beneficiaries have been allotted dwelling units in these projects.

In Odisha, 2.03 lakh houses have been sanctioned under PMAY-U, out of which 1.38 lakh houses have been completed and delivered to beneficiaries.

Secretary, MoHUA reviews progress of PMAY-U in Punjab





On 16th October 2023, Shri Manoj Joshi, Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) chaired a meeting in Chandigarh to review the progress of Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Urban (PMAY-U) and other flagship Schemes of the Ministry in the State of Punjab. State Government officials and other officers associated with the different Missions were part of the review meeting. In Punjab, 1.32 lakh houses have been sanctioned under PMAY-U, out of which 1.13 lakh houses have been grounded for construction while over 76,000 have been completed and delivered to beneficiaries.



Message from JS&MD (HFA) Shri Kuldip Narayan

The PMAY-U Mission has ensured a pucca house with all basic amenities along with a dignified living for beneficiaries in urban India. In November, the Government took a step forward in reaching the last mile and in ensuring that the benefits reach one and all. With this aim, the 'Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra' has been launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister. IEC Vans are moving across the country to make people aware about the different welfare schemes. I am happy to share that the nationwide campaign is receiving a rousing welcome and people from all walks of life are visiting the camps in large numbers to avail the benefits of schemes.

Interestingly, beneficiaries of the different schemes are also being invited to the Yatra to share their transformational stories. The Hon'ble Prime Minister also spoke to beneficiaries from different parts of the country to know about their success stories.

PMAY-U Mission draws its credibility from the life transformation it brings to beneficiaries through a safe and secured pucca house. Sense of ownership is the biggest blessing a PMAY-U house has given families, especially to the women of a household. With a pucca house, women have got a new identity and the confidence to live a life of dignity & more opportunities have come their way.

Review of PMAY-U projects is done at regular basis either by visiting different States/UTs or virtually. The States/UTs are actively monitoring the Scheme at their levels and at the Centre, we regularly interact with different State/UT officials to review the projects and build strategies to fast-track completion & occupancy of houses.

Let's keep working hard towards bringing more and more smiles and enabling empowered lives!

DDG, HFA reviews progress of PMAY-U in Tamil Nadu & Kerala

Smt. Bindu Sreedathan, DDG, Housing for All, MoHUA visited Chennai on 22nd November 2023 to review the progress of PMAY-U in Tamil Nadu. Dr P Sankar, MD, Tamil Nadu Urban Habitat Development Board (TNUHDB) and other officers of MoHUA and State Government were present during the meeting.



Meanwhile, DDG (HFA) also chaired a meeting in Trivandrum to review the progress of PMAY-U in Kerala in the presence of Shri Jafar Malik, Executive Director, Kudumbashree and other officers of the Ministry and State Government.

In both these cities, Smt. Sreedathan inspected different housing projects and met PMAY-U beneficiaries and learnt about their life transformation after getting a pucca house under the Scheme.





Director HFA chairs review meeting in Vijayawada





Shri RK Gautam, Director, Housing for All, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) chaired a meeting in Vijayawada on 18th November 2023 to review the progress of PMAY-U in Andhra Pradesh. Senior officials from the State were present in the review meeting along with officers from the Ministry. Shri Gautam also visited different housing projects under PMAY-U in Vijayawada for inspection and met families who are already beneficiaries of the Scheme.



Whenever some relatives visited Smt. Geeta and her husband Shri Govind Paswan, they faced humiliation due to the place they lived in. Smt. Geeta puts it as, "Our relatives used to make fun of us and did not visit us. Every time we met, they used to tell us to construct a house, but they never understood that even we didn't want to live like this, but since we did not have enough money, we were forced to live in such conditions."

The family hails from Uttarakhand's Dehradun and struggled to make both ends meet. However, today, they are living a life they always dreamt of. They have a permanent address, a pucca house and most importantly, Smt. Geeta is the owner of the house.

It hasn't been an easy journey for Smt. Geeta and as she recalls the past years, she shares that they used to stay in a kutcha house which had just one room, a make-shift toilet and an open space outside which they had to cover by plastic sheet while bathing. "We needed a permanent shelter, but the amount my husband brought home as a taxi driver was not enough to take care of the household expenses, let alone address the growing needs my young children and also a house," Smt. Geeta explains.

"We have three children, their education had to be taken care of, house expenses were mounting and four mouths were to be fed. I started working as a house-help to support my husband," she shares, adding, "We also wanted to build a house – even if a small one, but which we could call our own."

The deplorable condition of the house in which they were living was an inevitable burden on the family and they struggled every month. "My family was facing a lot of difficulties and we realised that only if we have our own house, things will function smoothly," Smt. Geeta expresses, but she was not able to find any means to raise finances to start building a house.

It was around this time that she heard about Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Urban and believed that it was a God sent blessing. Smt. Geeta promptly applied for financial assistance under PMAY-U and after approvals, she got her home constructed. The Central Assistance from PMAY-U helped her in building the dream house. The family is now living in their own pucca house which has given them a better quality of life, especially to their children.

"It is a proud feeling to see your name outside the house. I feel happy to see my children living in a pucca house as my struggle was also theirs. A welfare scheme like PMAY-U is transforming lives of people with a permanent roof over their heads," Smt. Geeta shares. She also says that the relatives who earlier used to look down upon them are now "jealous" of the massive transformation of the family and their pucca house.

Glimpses of site visits by MoHUA officials

Visit by DDG (HFA-II) and team

Chennai, Tamil Nadu & Trivandrum, Kerala





















Visit by Director (HFA-V) and team

Vijayawada & Guntur, Andhra Pradesh















Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban: Adding smiles, lighting up lives



There is no greater joy than celebrating Diwali at your own home. PMAY-U has fulfilled this dream of lakhs of people by providing them with a pucca house in urban areas. On 12th November 2023, PMAY-U beneficiaries celebrated Diwali across various States/UTs by decorating their pucca houses with diyas and lights and made rangoli designs to bring in the festival of lights.

Here are some heart-warming glimpses of beneficiaries celebrating Diwali at their homes.



















Infographics













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A path towards Dignity & New Identity.

PMAY-U Mission has been the harbinger of hope for millions of Indians by spreading smiles, dignity, and security to the beneficiary families and making their dreams come true of owning a pucca house.

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"The Government has achieved the milestones in providing houses to every citizen under PM Awas Yojana."

Hardeep Singh Puri

Union Minister for Housing & Urban Affairs & Minister for Petroleum and Natural Gas



Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs @MoHUA_India · Nov 18 लखनऊ के सरोजिनी नगर के रहने वाली ज्योति व करण सिंह की कहानी देश के उन तमाम शहरी गरीबों की तरह है, जिन्हें प्रधानमंत्री आवास योजना शहरी के माध्यम से पक्का आवास

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भारत सरकार का सतत प्रयास गरीबों को मिल रहा पक्का आवास

इसी कड़ी में #PMAYU शहरी गरीबों के लिए आशा की किरण बनकर उभरी है। वाराणसी की कमला देवी की तरह देश भर के लाखों शहरी गरीबों को इस योजना के तहत पक्का आवास मिला है और वे गारिमापूर्ण जीवनयापन कर रहे हैं।

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Manoj Joshi @Secretary_MoHUA · Nov 2 शहरों में अपना घर होना किसी सपने से कम नहीं है।

#PMAYU उन्हीं सपनों को नई उड़ान दे रहा है।

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Housing For All @PMAYUrban - Nov 11 Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban: Transforming Lives!

Smt T. Tsulinshe is a beneficiary of PMAY-U from Nagaland's Pungro town. In this photo, she is seen standing in front of her beautiful #p built under the Mission.

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Housing For All @PMAYUrban - Nov 9 A house is made of hopes & dreams of families. #PMAYUrban has fulfilled the dreams of lakhs of families by providing them with a #puccahouse & Smt. R Kanaka's family is one among them.



Housing For All @PMAYUrban - Oct 27 #PMAYUrban has provided over 77 lakh beneficiaries with #pu Shri Mukesh Kumar from Bihar's East Champaran is one among them. Along with his family, he resides in a pucca house which has all basic amenities & has also given him a sense of belongingness.







Housing For All @PMAYUrban - Nov 21

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Housing For All @PMAYUrban · Nov 24

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Smt. Sreedathan also inspected different housing projects under the Scheme & met beneficiaries who are proud owners of pucca house.

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Housing For All @PMAYUrban - Nov 29

A training & consultation programme on "Innovative Construction
Technologies & Thermal Comfort for Affordable Housing" was conducted
at Bhubaneswar, Odisha recently which was attended by senior officials
from State, along with officers from various Govt departments.

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Housing For All @PMAYUrban - Nov 17 प्रधानमंत्री आवास योजना – शहरी लाखाँ लाभाधियाँ के जीवन में आए साथेक बदलाव का हिस्सा रही है। पक्के घर का मालिकाना हक पाकर लाभाधीं गर्वित महसूस करते हैं।

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Housing For All @PMAYUrban - Nov 13 चेहरों पर मुस्कान, जीवन में प्रकाश...

घरों में दीप जलाकर त्योहार मनाया।

दीपावली के शुभ अवसर पर प्रधानमंत्री आवास योजना – शहरी के लाभार्थियों ने अपने पक्के

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Housing For All @PMAYUrban · Nov 7 "बच्चों से भी अब हम यह उम्मीद रखते हैं कि वे आगे जाकर कुछ बेहतर करें..."

प्रधानमंत्री आवास योजना - शहरी पक्के घर प्रदान कर परिवारों में बेहतर भविष्य की आकांक्षाओं को नई उम्मीद दे रही है।

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