



## Oxygen Plants in Uttar Pradesh

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### Why in News

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The **HDFC Bank** will set up 4 oxygen plants in the state, under the **Parivartan scheme**.

### Key Points

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- The bank will set up four oxygen plants at **Gorakhpur, Varanasi, Bhadohi and Lucknow** to strengthen the **healthcare infrastructure in Uttar Pradesh** under its flagship **Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) program 'Parivartan'**.
- These oxygen plants will make hospitals self-reliant in handling critical cases requiring medical oxygen support and will eliminate dependence on cryogenic tankers for transportation of oxygen from remote locations.
- Roy said that the bank has taken this initiative to help the government and the Covid Warriors in this epidemic. The bank will spend Rs 3 crore for setting up oxygen plants in these four cities.