ABHA-Based Scan and Share Service

Recently, the National Health Authority (NHA) has achieved a milestone of generating over 3 crore tokens for **Out-Patient Department (OPD)** registrations through the ABHA-**based Scan and Share service.**

- It enables patients to conveniently **register for OPD appointments** by **scanning a QR code** displayed at the OPD registration counter.
- It has **eliminated the need to wait in long queues** for appointments, benefiting vulnerable groups such as the elderly, pregnant women, and those with mobility challenges.
- Uttar Pradesh has generated the maximum tokens followed by Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Jammu and Kashmir.
- This service was launched under the Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM) in 2022.
- ABHA is a unique **14-digit number** used to link all the health records of a person, which intends to create a **digital health ecosystem** & aims to promote the digitisation of healthcare.

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