

The Rise App

Why in News?

The Uttar Pradesh government has implemented the RISE app (Rapid Immunization Skill Enhancement - RISE) to ensure regular <u>vaccination</u> of children.

Key Points

- About RISE App:
 - RISE (Responsive Immunization Support for Everyone) is a digital training and monitoring platform developed for effective implementation of immunization programs.
 - The app provides real-time updates to help health workers monitor vaccination schedules, safety protocols, cold chain management, and adverse effects following immunization.
 - **RISE App** plays a vital role in **strengthening <u>Mission Indradhanush</u>** of the Government of India .
 - This digital platform has been developed for staff nurses, auxiliary nurse midwives
 (ANM) and health workers to enable them to accurately monitor and effectively
 manage routine immunization of children.
- Aim:
 - The initiative aims to increase vaccination coverage, identify hesitant families and ensure proper vaccination.
 - This app will further strengthen the safety and effectiveness of vaccination by replacing traditional training methods with a digital learning system.
- Training and Implementation Process:
 - The process of training health workers is being carried out in three phases:
 - District level officers have been successfully trained in all the 75 districts of the state.
 - Training of block-level officers is currently underway to ensure effective implementation of the programme at the ground level.
 - After full implementation of the plan, around 52,175 vaccination personnel will be equipped with digital devices, which will increase their efficiency and data management efficiency.

Mission Indradhanush

- The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India launched 'Mission Indradhanush' on 25 December 2014.
- Mission Indradhanush is a booster vaccination programme, which was launched in 201 districts with low vaccination coverage.
- It represents 7 vaccines against 7 diseases covered in <u>the Universal Immunization</u> <u>Programme</u>.
 - These diseases are <u>Tuberculosis</u>, <u>Poliomyelitis</u>, <u>Hepatitis B</u>, <u>Diphtheria</u>, <u>Pertussis</u>,
 Tetanus and <u>Measles</u>.
- Apart from this, after inclusion of vaccines against Measles <u>Rubella</u>, <u>Rotavirus</u>, Haemophilus

Influenzae Type-B and Polio, the number of these vaccines has increased to 12.

- In some selected states and districts, vaccines are also given against <u>Japanese</u>
 <u>Encephalitis</u> and <u>Pneumococcus</u>.
- To accelerate full immunization coverage, India has launched an ambitious plan Intensified Mission Indradhanush .

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