

A Month of Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra: Transformation in Action

Staggering Numbers, But it's More Than Just the Statistics

Prime Minister to hold Third Interaction with Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra Beneficiaries Today

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Across India, a transformative movement is taking root. The Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra, a vibrant caravan of hope, is bringing the promise of empowerment and a brighter future to the doorsteps of all Indians.

Flagged off by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on November 15 from Khunti, Jharkhand, Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra aims to create awareness among citizens about various welfare schemes and seek their participation in the spirit of “Jan Bhagidari” to ensure 100% saturation of schemes. It is the largest-ever outreach initiative of Government of India and will cover 2.60 lakh Gram Panchayats and 4000+ urban local bodies across the nation by January 25, 2024.

Later today, the Prime Minister will interact with beneficiaries of the Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra who have benefited from Government schemes. This will be the third such interaction during this Yatra. Prime Minister will also flag off the Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra in Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Telangana and Mizoram.

In a short span of just one month, the Yatra has reached **more than 2.50 Crore citizens** across **68,000 Gram Panchayats (GPs)** in the country. Further, nearly **2 Crore individuals** have taken Viksit Bharat Sankalp and over **2 Crore beneficiaries** of Central Government Schemes have shared their experiences under ‘Meri Kahani Meri Zubani’ initiative.

The Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra is not only a promise, but a journey paved with tangible improvements. Here are some achievements that paint a vibrant picture of progress:

Overall Report (As of December 16, 2023; 1:00 PM)

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| Gram Panchayats Covered | 68,267 |
| Urban Locations Covered | 1,737 |
| People Attended | 2,54,81,761 |

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| ‘Meri Kahani Meri Zubani’ Beneficiaries | 2,05,31,050 |
| People taking Viksit Bharat Sankalp | 1,96,46,326 |

On Spot Services (As of December 16, 2023; 1:00 PM)

From health check-ups to issuing Ayushman cards, here's a glimpse of Yatra's on-spot services and their impact:

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| People Screened in Health Camps | 51,34,322 |
| Ayushman Bharat Card Issued | 10,18,367 |
| People Screened for Sickle Cell | 7,66,287 |
| People Screened for Tuberculosis (TB) | 35,14,793 |
| MY Bharat Volunteer Registration | 7,61,202 |
| PM Ujjwala Yojana Registration | 3,26,580 |
| PM Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana Registration | 3,67,850 |
| PM Suraksha Bima Yojana Registration | 6,52,985 |
| People Visited PM SVANidhi Camp | 1,95,734 |
| Drone Demonstrations | 29,372 |

Soil Health Card Demonstrations

35,455

100% Saturation (As of December 16, 2023; 1:00 PM)

Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra is marking milestones on the path to progress, here are the Gram Panchayats that stand tall with 100% Ayushman coverage, Har Ghar Jal connections, digitized land records, and ODF Plus status:

No. of Gram Panchayats

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| Ayushman Card Saturation | 33,713 |
| Har Ghar Jal – Jal Jeevan Mission | 24,925 |
| 100% Digitization of Land Records | 39,504 |
| ODF Plus Model | 11,565 |

The Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra in its essence transcends statistics and figures; it's an anthology of countless lives transformed.



(On-the-spot healthcare services during Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra)

[Ganesh Sharma's story](#) from Katra, Jammu & Kashmir, is a powerful example of the positive impact of the flagship schemes of the Central government. Ganesh suffered a fracture in his leg due to an unfortunate accident. He sought treatment and explored other alternative medications but these attempts proved unsuccessful, leaving Ganesh in a state of despair. However, a glimmer of hope emerged in the form of the Ayushman Bharat scheme. Through the Ayushman card, the government covered the costs of his treatment, allowing Ganesh to receive the care he needed.



(Shri Ganesh Sharma, Katra, Jammu & Kashmir)

In another corner of the country, [Rita Gosh](#), a street vendor from Dimapur, Nagaland, is a shining example of the emphasis of the Central Government on inclusive development is changing lives. Rita faced numerous challenges in accessing credit from traditional banks and financial institutions, hindering her ability to grow her business. However, with the help of PM SVANidhi, Rita was able to secure a loan that allowed her to invest in her business and enhance her income.



(Smt. Rita Gosh, Dimapur, Nagaland)

You can hear more such inspiring stories of hope and progress at <https://viksitbharatsankalp.gov.in/>.

While Ganesh and Rita's stories are unique, they echo the experiences of millions across India. The Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra, with its unwavering commitment to inclusive development, is ensuring no citizen is left behind. It's not just about numbers; it's about the ripple effect of transformation seen in the laughter of children drinking clean water, the pride of a farmer holding his land deed, and the hope in the eyes of a mother who can now afford healthcare for her family. This is Viksit Bharat in action, not just a promise.

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