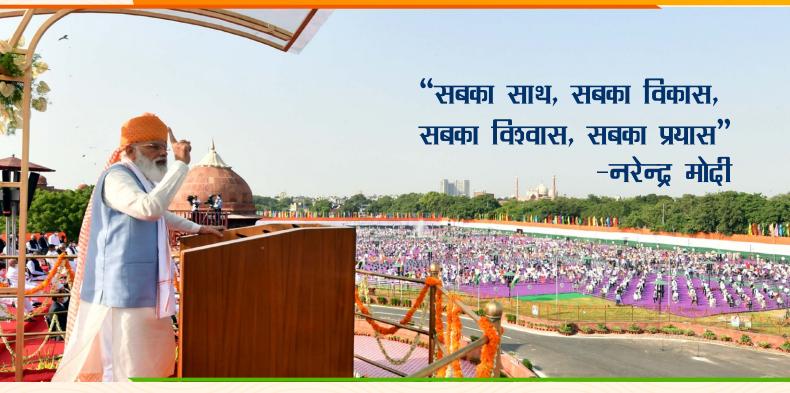






Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Urban

# E-NEWSLETTER



#### PMAY(U) PROGRESS













### One year of Affordable Rental Housing Complexes Scheme

Affordable Rental Housing Complexes (ARHCs) is a sub scheme under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (Urban) to provide rental housing to urban migrants/ poor at affordable rates near to their workplace. The scheme which was announced by the Hon'ble Finance Minister on 14th May 2020, is in line with Hon'ble Prime Minisiter's vision of 'AatmaNirbhar Bharat'.

The scheme has a two-pronged approach for implementation. In Model 1, existing Government-funded vacant houses are converted into ARHCs under Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode or by public agencies. In Model 2, construction, operation and maintenance of ARHCs are to be carried by Public/ Private Entities on their own vacant land. The target beneficiaries under ARHCs are a large part of workforce in manufacturing industries, service providers in hospitality sector, health, domestic/commercial establishments and construction or other sectors, labourers, students, etc., who come from rural areas or small towns seeking better opportunities.



ARHCs create new ecosystem in urban areas making housing available at affordable rent. Investment under ARHCs is expected to create new job opportunities, will cut down unnecessary travel, congestion and pollution. The scheme creates a conducive environment for Entities to develop ARHCs on their own vacant land which will enable new investment opportunities and promote entrepreneurship in rental housing sector.

State Government of Gujarat and Union Territory of Chandigarh have become the first movers for providing affordable rental housing. Chandigarh has converted 2,195 vacant houses into ARHCs; Surat has 393 ARHC houses; and in Ahmedabad, 1,376 houses have been converted into ARHCs. Request for Proposal (RFP) has been issued for 6,778 houses in Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, Madhya Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Rajasthan and Jammu & Kashmir. 31 States/UTs have signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) for implementation of ARHCs.

PMAY(U) is providing a dignified and secured life through pucca house to eligible citizens. The Mission is addressing the urban housing shortage among the



EWS/LIG categories including slum dwellers by ensuring a pucca house to them along with other basic amenities by the year 2022.

#### **5th meeting of Project Monitoring Committee (PMC)**



Secretary, MoHUA, & other officials attend 5th meeting of Project Monitoring Committee

The 5th meeting of Project Monitoring Committee (PMC) was held on 16th July 2021 to review the progress of construction of Light House Projects (LHPs) at six locations under the chairmanship of Shri Durga Shanker Mishra, Secretary, MoHUA. Shri Amrit Abhijat, JS&MD (HFA) was also present in the meeting along with other Mission officials. Representatives of six State Governments, namely Tripura, Jharkhand, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat and Tamil Nadu, concerned Urban Local Bodies (ULBs), construction agencies of LHPs, officials of BMTPC, NAREDCO, IIT Indore, IIT Kanpur, IIT Madras attended the meeting through video conferencing mode. A presentation on the ongoing construction activities at the LHP sites was made by JS&MD (HFA). Subsequently, state-wise presentations, progress of LHPs were also reviewed.

#### **ARHCs Review Meeting**

A meeting was held to discuss with private real estate developers and other stakeholders on measures for fast-tracking the implementation of Affordable Rental Housing Complexes (ARHCs) & new strategy for slum redevelopment under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana- Urban (PMAY-U) Mission. In addition to this, the status of Live Laboratories at six sites under Light House Projects (LHPs) was also discussed. Meeting was attended by officials of MoHUA, States & UTs.



MoHUA officials at in ARHCs Review Meeting

## 'Awas Par Samvaad' seminar held under PMAY(U)

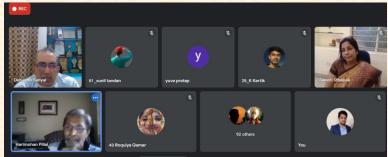
The first seminar on 'Awas Par Samvaad' was conducted by Surat Urban Development Authority (SUDA) in coordination with Axis Bank on 29<sup>th</sup> July 2021 in Surat, Gujarat. The theme of this workshop was 'Financial Inclusion-Contribution of CLSS' in reaching out to all sections of society to achieve the goal of 'Housing for All'.

Meanwhile, the second workshop was conducted by Marwadi University in association with Rajkot Municipal Corporation on 'Technology and Innovation'. This was followed by seminars conducted by Centre for Human Settlements, Anna University, Tamil Nadu on 'Inclusive Housing' and National Institute of Technology, Raipur, Chhattisgarh on 'Social Mobilisation'.

'Awas Par Samvaad' aims to create awareness and propel 'Housing for All' as a universal theme amongst multiple stakeholders belonging to varied streams of learning and practices. This will be done through 75 workshops and seminars by educational



Awas Par Samvaad seminar in Rajkot, Gujarat



Awas Par Samvaad seminar in Raipur, Chhattisgarh

institutions and Primary Lending Institutions (PLIs) in association with States/UTs as a part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav under Angikaar.

# On-site training sessions for Technograhis in Rajkot & Lucknow

An on-site training session was organized for Technograhis comprising of 35 civil engineering students, faculty members at LHP site in Rajkot. They learnt about the use of French technology 'Monolithic Concrete Construction using Tunnel Formwork' and how it would help in the construction process at faster pace. Construction of 1,144 houses are underway in the city using this technology. Similarly, in Lucknow, an on-site training programme for Technograhis was organised at LHP site. Over 30 students, engineers and other stakeholders were briefed about innovative construction technologies and their nitty-gritties.

On-site Training Session for Technograhis in Rajkot, Gujarat

The Technograhis were also taken to the site where they were explained about the 'Stay in Place PVC Formwork with Pre-Engineered Steel Structural System' technology being used to construct 1,040 houses in Lucknow.



On-site Training Session for Technograhis in Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh



On-site Training Session for Technograhis in Rajkot, Gujarat

#### There is no home like your own: Smt. Harika Kurnala

Smt. Harika Kurnala from Hyderabad, Telangana runs a small general store while her husband works as an accountant. Their income is not enough to meet the daily needs of their family of three. All they had ever wished for is to provide proper education to their daughter. Buying a home always remained a dream for them. They used to believe that owning a house is a tedious process, going from one housing finance company to another, and collecting and collating pile of documents for submission. The couple never thought that they will ever be able to buy their own home.

Finally, when they came to know about Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban (PMAY-U) from the campaigns done by Urban local body, they approached a Housing Finance Company to inquire about the same. The documents were submitted, and upon successful verification, their loan was sanctioned. They were also able to reap benefits of reduced EMI through interest subsidy under Credit Linked Subsidy Scheme (CLSS). Smt Harika Kurnala and her family are



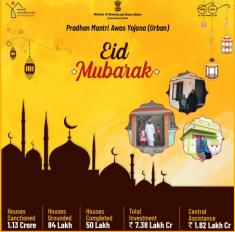
living with dignity in their own home and saving for the future of their daughter.

"We are extremely grateful to Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban for providing us an abode that we call 'OUR' home," she says.

#### **Eid-ul-Adha and Independence Day Celebrated by PMAY(U) Beneficiaries**

PMAY(U) is making the dream of owning a pucca house a reality for eligible families in urban areas across the country. Beneficiaries from various States/UTs celebrated 75th Independence Day and Eid-Ul-Adha with their family members in their own pucca houses with amenities like water, electricity and sanitation.









### **Social Media**



I urge all concerned to enroll & be a vehicle in transforming our nation to become a developed country in line with the vision of our Hon'ble PM. #MannKiBaat #LHP #GHTC



अवसंत्री आवास योजना (शहरी) की ओर से सभी को स्वतंत्रता दिवस की शुभकामनाएं। आइए इस अवसर पर अपने स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों को याद करें जिन्होंने देश की स्वतंत्रता के लिए अपने प्राणों की आहुति दी और एक नये भारत के निर्माण की दिशा में काम करने का संकल्प लें।

घानमंत्री आवास योजना (शहरी) वतंत्रता दिवस



Greetings on the occasion of #IndependenceDay.

On this special day, PMAY(U) invites you to be part of celebrations under #AzadiKaAmritMahotsav. Participate in #KhushiyonKaAashiyana, short film contest, or in #AwasParSamvaad, workshop/semir

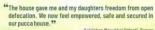




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#HousingForAll #AzadiKaAmritMahotsav #75thIndependenceDay #PMAYUrban #TransformingLives





### प्रधानमंत्री आवास योजना शहरी 1.13 करोड़ घर, 5 करोड़ मुस्कान! स्वतंत्रता दिवस के अवसर पर, प्रधानमंत्री आवास योजना - शहरी इस सफल यात्रा का हिस्सा बनने के लिए अपने सभी लाभार्थियों को धन्यवाद देती है। लाखी लोगों के जीवन में आए सकारातमक बढ़वावा वात्ती कहागिया बने सकके लिए आवास के अपने लक्ष्य की दिशा में कड़ी मेहनत करने के लिए प्रेरित करती हैं।

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स्वतंत्रता दिवस की शुभकामनाएं.... See more







A pmay\_urban History has been created! PMAY(U) congratulates Indian Men's and Women's #Hockey Teams for making it to semi-finals at #TokyoOlympics2020.

#TokyoOlympics #Tokyo2020 #Cheers4India #olympics

### **Infographics**

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