

# MEHARUN Nisha

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**Meharun Nisha** lived with her husband **Mohammad Azhar Ali** in a kutchha house, Dumraon, Buxar district of **Bihar**. The couple has a son and two daughters. The family of five found it difficult to live in the small house, but with the meagre income that Azhar made, it was not possible for him to provide his family with a decent standard of living. His income was sufficient to meet the day-to-day expenses of the family and provide education to his children. In this background it was impossible to build a pucca house, it just remained a distant dream.

While her husband worked hard to raise the family income. Meharun Nisha started working in a beedi factory and also gave tuitions for Urdu medium students to support him. The family was just managing things and one day, Dumraon Municipal Council announced PMAY (U) scheme. They immediately applied for a house under the Scheme.

Meharun Nisha says that it's definitely God's grace that their application was approved and they started the construction of their house. Over and above the financial assistance they received, the couple put in their savings and also borrowed money so that they could complete the house.

The family is now happily living in their comfortable house with all basic facilities like kitchen, toilet, electricity and drinking water connection etc. In her words, " Without PMAY(U) we would not have constructed our dream house in such a short span of time. My entire family extends thanks to Hon'ble Prime Minister and the State Government for implementing such a wonderful scheme for the poor people of the nation".