



Mahatari Vandana Yojana

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In a move towards women empowerment, the Prime Minister recently launched the **Mahatari Vandana Yojana** in Chhattisgarh.

- The scheme aims to ensure the **economic empowerment of women**, provide them with **financial security**, promote gender equality, and strengthen their decisive role within families.
- All married women above the **age of 21 as of 1st January 2024**, including widows, divorced, and deserted women, are eligible to benefit from this scheme.
 - Eligible married women in Chhattisgarh will receive financial aid of **Rs 1000 per month** through **Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT)**.
- Approximately 70 lakh women are expected to benefit from the Mahatari Vandana Yojana in Chhattisgarh, contributing to their socio-economic upliftment.
- The other initiatives aimed at enhancing women's well-being are the [Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana](#), [Lakhpati Didi](#), [Jan Dhan Accounts](#), [Mudra Loans](#), [Beti Bachao Beti Padhao](#) and [Ujjwala](#).

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