

# One Family, One Identity Scheme

## Why in News?

Recently, Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath reviewed the process of issuing 'Family ID' to each family in the state and instructed for its quick implementation.

• He emphasized that the Family IDs are being issued to ensure government benefits for every family and **employment opportunities** for at least one member.

## **Key Points**

- Under the "One Family, One Identity" scheme, each family receives a unique ID to create a comprehensive live database of family units in the state.
- This database will improve the management of beneficiary-oriented schemes, timely targeting, transparent operations, and ensure 100% delivery of schemes to eligible people by simplifying access.
  - Approximately 15.07 crore people from 3.60 crore families in Uttar Pradesh are benefiting from the <u>National Food Security Act 2013</u>, using their <u>ration card</u> numbers as their Family IDs.
  - Over 1 lakh families without ration cards have been issued Family IDs.

### **National Food Security Act, 2013**

- Notified on: 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2013.
- Objective:
  - To provide for food and nutritional security in the human life cycle approach, by ensuring
    access to adequate quantities of quality food at affordable prices to people to live a life
    with dignity.

#### Coverage:

- 75% of the rural population and upto 50% of the urban population for receiving subsidized foodgrains under <u>Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS)</u>.
- Overall, NFSA caters to 67% of the total population.

#### Eligibility:

- Priority Households to be covered under TPDS, according to guidelines by the State government.
- Households covered under existing <u>Antyodaya Anna Yojana</u>.

#### Provisions:

- **5 Kgs of foodgrains per person** per month at Rs. 3/2/1 per Kg for rice/wheat/coarse grains.
- The existing AAY household will continue to receive 35 Kgs of foodgrains per household per month.
- **Meal and maternity benefit** of not less than Rs. 6,000 to pregnant women and lactating mothers during pregnancy and six months after the child birth.
- Meals for children up to 14 years of age.
- Food security allowance to beneficiaries in case of non-supply of entitled foodgrains or
- **Setting up of grievance redressal mechanisms** at the district and state level.

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