



Population control measures for States with High TFR

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The details of the States with respect to population control as per data related to fertility rate figuring in fourth National Family Health survey are given below:

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FOURTH NATIONAL FAMILY HEALTH SURVEY OF TFR (STATES/UTs)

S.No.	India/States/UTs	Total fertility rate (children per woman)		
		NFHS-4	NFHS-3	
		Total		
	India	2.2	2.7	
1	Andhra Pr.	1.8		
2	Assam	2.2	2.4	
3	Bihar	3.4	4.0	
4	Chattisgarh	2.2	2.6	
5	Gujarat	2.0	2.4	
6	Haryana	2.1	2.7	
7	Jharkhand	2.6	3.3	
8	Karnataka	1.8	2.1	
9	Kerala	1.6	1.9	
10	Madhya Pradesh	2.3	3.1	
11	Maharashtra	1.9	2.1	
12	Odisha	2.1	2.4	
13	Punjab	1.6	2.0	
14	Rajasthan	2.4	3.2	
15	Tamil Nadu	1.7	1.8	
16	Telangana	1.8		
17	Uttar Pradesh	2.7	3.8	

18	West Bengal	1.8	2.3	
19	Arunachal Pradesh	2.1	3.0	
20	Delhi	1.7	2.1	
21	Goa	1.7	1.8	
22	Himachal Pradesh	1.9	1.9	
23	Jammu & Kashmir	2.0	2.4	
24	Manipur	2.6	2.8	
25	Meghalaya	3.0	3.8	
26	Mizoram	2.3	2.9	
27	Nagaland	2.7	3.7	
28	Sikkim	1.2	2.0	
29	Tripura	1.7	2.2	
30	Uttarakhand	2.1	2.6	
31	A&N Islands	1.5		
32	Chandigarh	1.6		
33	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	2.3		
34	Daman & Diu	1.7		
35	Lakshadweep	1.8		
36	Puducherry	1.7		

State-wise data related to TFR for last three years are given below:

STATE-WISE TOTAL FERTILITY RATE (TFR)				
S.No.	State	2013	2014	2015
	All India	2.3	2.3	2.3
1	Andhra Pr.	1.8	1.8	1.7
2	Assam	2.3	2.3	2.3

3	Bihar	3.4	3.2	3.2
4	Chattisgarh	2.6	2.6	2.5
5	Delhi	1.7	1.7	1.7
6	Gujarat	2.3	2.3	2.2
7	Haryana	2.2	2.3	2.2
8	Himachal Pr.	1.7	1.7	1.7
9	J&K	1.9	1.7	1.6
10	Jharkhand	2.7	2.8	2.7
11	Karnataka	1.9	1.8	1.8
12	Kerala	1.8	1.9	1.8
13	Madhya Pr.	2.9	2.8	2.8
14	Maharashtra	1.8	1.8	1.8
15	Odisha	2.1	2.1	2.0
16	Punjab	1.7	1.7	1.7
17	Rajasthan	2.8	2.8	2.7
18	Tamil Nadu	1.7	1.7	1.6
19	Telangana		1.8	1.8
20	Uttar Pr.	3.1	3.2	3.1

21	Uttarakhand		2.0	2.0
22	West Bengal	1.6	1.6	1.6
	Source: Sample Registration System, Statistical Report (Registrar General, India)			

The Ministry has launched Mission Parivar Vikas in 146 high fertility districts in the States having high fertility and to place more emphasis on population control by strengthening Family Planning activities through:

- Delivering assured services
- Initiating new promotional schemes
- Ensuring commodity security
- Building capacity (service providers)
- Creating enabling environment
- Closely monitoring and resolving implementation bottlenecks.

The Minister of State (Health and Family Welfare), Smt Anupriya Patel stated this in a written reply in the Rajya Sabha here today.

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