

Sugamya Bharat App

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Recently, the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, launched the revamped 'Sugamya Bharat App' at the Purple Fest in Goa.

About Sugamya Bharat App

- It was launched under the **Accessible India Campaign (Sugamya Bharat Abhiyan)**.
- It is a **flagship initiative of the Government of India** dedicated to enhancing accessibility for divyangjan and elderly citizens in India.
- **Purpose:** The app served as a **citizen-led platform** to make India's public **spaces more inclusive**.
- **Launched by:** Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD), under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment.

Key Features of Sugamya Bharat App

- **Accessibility Mapping Function:** It allows users to locate and rate public places on accessibility parameters, empowering community-led data collection.
- **Consolidated Directory:** It provides a one-stop **platform for government schemes, scholarships, benefits, and employment opportunities**, eliminating the need to navigate multiple portals.
- **Curated Job and Education Listings:** It also features job and education listings from government and private sectors tailored for persons with disabilities.
- **Grievance Redressal Module:** It enables users to directly **register complaints about inaccessible infrastructure and services**, making public spaces more accountable.
- **Inclusive Design:** It is compatible with assistive technologies, available in multiple Indian languages, and optimized for both Android and iOS platforms.
- It is revamped **to AI-powered chatbot support** to assist users in real time.
- It is **available in 10 languages**

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