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The Union Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India, is set to inaugurate the 75th Pradhan Mantri Divyasha Kendra (PMDK) at Government Medical College, Badaun, Uttar Pradesh.

About Pradhan Mantri Divyasha Kendra

- It is a **unique initiative aimed** at providing **integrated services under one roof**—including assessment, evaluation, counselling, distribution, and post-distribution care—for eligible **Divyangjan** (persons with disabilities) **and elderly beneficiaries**.
- These centres are being **established through ALIMCO** (Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India), a Central Public Sector Undertaking under the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD).
- The newly established PMDK at Badaun would provide assistive aids and appliances under the ADIP Scheme for Divyangjan and the **Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojana** (RVY) for senior citizens.

- Devices such as tricycles, wheelchairs, hearing aids, walkers, artificial limbs, and mobility support accessories would be offered **free of cost to eligible beneficiaries.**
- The initiative has already benefited over 1.40 lakh individuals with assistive devices worth more than ₹179.15 lakh.
- **Significance:** It significantly reduces the travel and logistical challenges faced by local beneficiaries, offering them accessible, dignified, and timely services at the regional level.

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