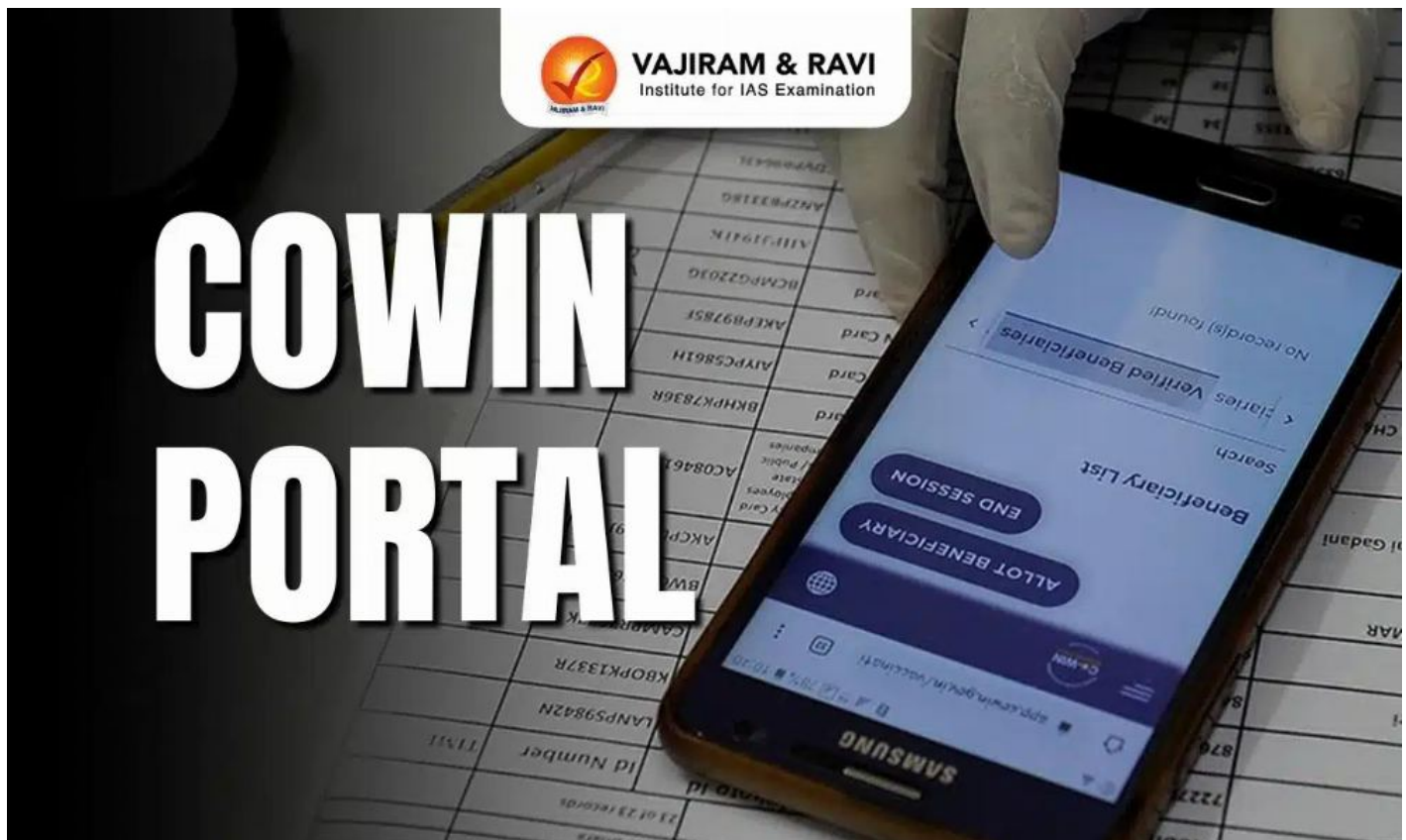


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The CoWIN portal, where the Union and State governments had together recorded over two billion vaccination doses for COVID-19, has been down since early August, a weeks-long outage that has locked many residents in India out of their vaccination certificates.

About CoWIN Portal

- The **COVID Vaccine Intelligence Network (CoWIN)** portal was launched on **January 16, 2021**, as a **digital platform for the administration of COVID-19 vaccination** in India.
- **Citizens can locate nearby vaccination centers, check slot availability, and book appointments** online.
- It also **provides access to vaccination certificates and updates on vaccination drives**.
- The CoWIN platform is **owned by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare** and was earlier the platform used for conducting Pulse Polio and other crucial immunisation programmes across the country.

- The same platform has been expanded for doling out Covid-19 vaccines and the **Ministry of Electronics and IT, along with the National Informatics Center** are **handling the backend and the tech infrastructure** for it.
- This platform **assists the program managers across all levels** through **automated session allocation for pre-registered beneficiaries, their verification,** and for **generating a digital certificate** upon successful completion of the vaccine schedule.
- The system allows for **creation of users** (admins, supervisors, vaccinators), **registration of beneficiaries** (bulk upload and individual registration), **facilities/planning unit** and **session sites** followed by planning and **scheduling sessions**, and implementation of the vaccination process.
- The CoWIN system **on a real-time basis** will **track not only the beneficiaries but also the vaccines at the national, state and the district levels.**
- This will allow the system to **monitor the utilization, wastage, and coverage of COVID-19 vaccination** at National, State, District and Sub-District level.
- The **key features** of the CoWIN platform are
 - **Blended registration**- Beneficiaries can **register online or on-site (walk-in)** at the Vaccination Centre
 - Beneficiaries can book online appointments **based on convenience of time** and choice of **location**
 - **Track Vaccination Schedule**
 - **Instant Digital vaccination Certificate** with certificate correction utility
 - **Multilingual portal** with 12 languages.
 - Mobile application for their ease of use for vaccinator
 - **Vaccine Stock Management**
 - Publishing of **Vaccine Schedules** in advance
 - **Real-Time Dashboards (x) tracking** of Adverse Event Following Immunization (AEFI).
 - **Digital Covid-19 vaccination Certificate tracking**
 - Facility-wise coverage.

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