

## Top 10 Current Affairs Questions of Today -October 1, 2024

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Let's check this news about (Transforming Digital Healthcare) Then, we will move ahead.

## Three Years of Transforming Digital Healthcare

The Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM), launched on September 27, 2021, marks a transformative journey in India's digital healthcare landscape. It focuses on enhancing accessibility and efficiency, with notable achievements including over 67 crore Ayushman Bharat Health Accounts created, 42 crore health records linked, and 1.3 lakh ABDM-enabled facilities, including 17,000 private ones. Furthermore, 3.3 lakh health facilities and 4.7 lakh healthcare professionals are now registered, aligning with the National Health Policy and National Digital Health Blueprint.



[Image Source: Mint]

## Modi Pays Tribute to Nightingale of India

On Lata Mangeshkar's 95th birth anniversary, Prime Minister Narendra Modi honoured the iconic singer, reminiscing about their special connection and her significant influence on music. "Nightingale of India," Mangeshkar passed away on February 6, 2022, leaving a treasure trove of timeless songs loved around the globe. Born in 1929, Her legacy includes the Bharat Ratna in 2001, the Dadasaheb Phalke Award, and France's Legion of Honour, with music inspiring generations posthumously.

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[Image Source: India Today]

## Tata to Manufacture WhAP for Morocco

In a major boost for the Make in India initiative, Tata has secured a contract to manufacture 150 Wheeled Armoured Platform (WhAP) combat vehicles for Morocco's defence forces. This landmark deal, the largest for Indian-made armoured vehicles, mandates delivery over three years. Developed by the Vehicles Research and Development Establishment, the WhAP is designed for challenging terrains and offers modularity for various roles, with interest also expressed by Indian paramilitary forces.



[Image Source: India Today]

## Best Tourism Village Honors for Three Villages

On International Tourism Day, Madhya Pradesh's Pranpur, Sabarvani and Ladpura Khas were awarded the title of 'Best Tourism Village' by the central government. Pranpur excelled in the Craft category, while Sabarvani and Ladpura Khas were recognized for Responsible Tourism. The initiative promotes villages that uphold cultural and natural heritage sustainably. Sabarvani has become a tourism hub, attracting international visitors with its local cuisine and activities, while Pranpur is renowned for its weaving traditions.

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## New Initiative Promotes Responsible Tourism Practices

On World Tourism Day, the Ministry of Tourism launched the ‘Paryatan Mitra’ and ‘Paryatan Didi’ initiatives to promote responsible tourism in India. Piloted in six key destinations, the program trains locals—like cab drivers, hotel staff, and vendors—on hospitality, sustainability, and cultural storytelling. Emphasising women and youth empowerment, participants learn to create new tourism experiences and utilise digital tools for promotion. Since August 15, around 3,000 individuals have completed their training as Paryatan Mitras.



[Image Source: Mint]

## India and Uzbekistan Unite in Bukhara

Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman met with Bukhara Governor Botir Zaripov during her visit to Uzbekistan, emphasising the need to strengthen tourism and cultural ties. She highlighted opportunities for Indian startups to support Uzbekistan’s youth and noted the establishment of Acharya University as a key educational partnership. Zaripov expressed optimism about business collaborations, particularly in pharmaceuticals and IT. Sitharaman also participated in the AIB meeting and signed a Bilateral Investment Treaty to protect investors.

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[Image Source: BBC News]

## Jamaica-India Visit Scheduled

Jamaican Prime Minister Dr Andrew Holness will visit India from September 30 to October 3, marking his first official trip and the inaugural bilateral visit by a Jamaican Prime Minister. During his stay, he will engage in delegation-level talks with Prime Minister Narendra Modi and meet other senior officials. Several Memorandums of Understanding (MoUs) are expected to be signed, enhancing the strong cultural and historical ties and boosting economic cooperation between India and Jamaica.



[Image Source: BBC News]

## World Heart Day 2024

World Heart Day, observed annually on September 29, emphasises the importance of heart health and aims to raise awareness about cardiovascular diseases (CVD). Responsible for approximately 17.9 million deaths annually, CVD risk factors include high blood pressure, poor diet, and inactivity. The day encourages healthier lifestyles through community events and campaigns, promoting regular exercise and balanced diets. It also advocates for early detection and management of heart conditions, fostering global solidarity for cardiovascular wellness.

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## RBI Forecasts Renewable Energy Dominance

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) forecasts that fossil fuels will lose dominance in electricity generation by the decade's end, with renewables expected to exceed 50% of global output. The report highlights a surge in clean energy investment and technology deployment, emphasising the need for three dollars to be invested in renewables for every dollar spent on fossil fuels. Achieving a decarbonized energy system by 2050 will require an estimated \$215 trillion, with optimism about green finance efforts.



[Image Source: Mint]

## BCCI Inaugurates New Centre of Excellence

The Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) has inaugurated the new National Cricket Academy (NCA) in Bengaluru, now named the BCCI Centre of Excellence. Spanning over 40 acres, it features three world-class grounds, 86 pitches, and 45 outdoor net pitches. The facility includes premium indoor practice areas, a Sports Science and Medicine Centre, and state-of-the-art amenities like a jacuzzi and rehab gym, supporting athletes across various disciplines and advancing sports science in India.

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