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Q8(b)

What were the salient features of the India's Population Policy (2000)? How far its goals have been achieved?

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2020 · Sociology GS 2 · 15 marks · Population Dynamics

Population Dynamics: Population size, growth, composition and distribution; Components of population growth: birth, death, migration; Population policy and family planning; Emerging issues: ageing, sex ratios, child and infant mortality, reproductive health.

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Replacement TFR

About 2.1 children, the 2010 medium-term marker.

Emergency memory

The coercive backdrop the 2000 policy tried to leave.

NFHS fertility fall

Later evidence of decline beyond the original timetable, unevenly.

Son preference

Household goal that clinic policy does not automatically end.

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