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Q8(c)

What is 'Ageing'? Discuss the major problems of aged people in India

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2023 · Sociology GS 2 · 10 marks · Tribal communities in India

Tribal communities in India: Definitional problems; Geographical spread; Colonial policies and tribes; Issues of integration and autonomy.

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Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

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Sixty-plus marker

Common policy threshold for senior citizens in Indian schemes.

MWPSC Act 2007

Law for maintenance of parents and senior citizens, unevenly implemented.

NPOP 1999

National Policy on Older Persons as an early framework for ageing.

Kerala-Tamil Nadu

States further along in demographic ageing than high-fertility northern states.

Informal workforce

Most Indian workers reach old age without an occupational pension.

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