

GENERAL STUDIES II

NITI Aayog National Multidimensional Poverty Index: Progress Report Analysis

Faculty/Author: Faculty Editorial Board**Date:** 17 September 2026**Platform:** Civil Service Gurukul Research Wing**Reading Time:** 6 Mins

Over 13.5 crore Indians exited multidimensional poverty between 2015-16 and 2019-21, driven by improvements in nutrition, sanitation, and clean cooking fuel.

Methodology and Alkire-Foster Method

The National MPI captures overlapping deprivations across 12 indicators spanning Health, Education, and Standard of Living, aligning with Global MPI standards while adding maternal health and bank accounts.

CIVIL SERVICE GURUKUL

UPSC Preparation • Current Affairs • Mentorship • Test Series

Website: www.civilservicegurukul.com • Email: info@civilservicegurukul.com • Mobile: +91 9911020626