



EVERYDAY CURRENT AFFAIRS – OCTOBER 30, 2024

SCHEMES

- **Ayushman Vaya Vandana Card**
- ✓ Under the Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB PM-JAY), the Ayushman Vaya Vandana Card has been launched by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.



- ✓ It expanded the Ayushman Bharat scheme benefits of health coverage of up to 5 lakh annually for every citizen aged 70 years and above, irrespective of income or economic status.
- ✓ This card ensures that elderly people no longer need to live with the anxiety of high healthcare expenses.

RANKING

- **Rule of Law Index 2024**
- ✓ India ranked 79 out of 142 countries in the Rule of Law Index 2024, released by the World Justice Project (WJP), a Washington D.C.-based think tank, on October 23. Globally, Denmark, Norway, Finland, Sweden and Germany stood in the top five places.



- ✓ The Rule of Law Index ranks the countries on eight indicators: constraints on government powers, absence of corruption, open government, fundamental rights, order and security, regulatory enforcement, civil Justice and criminal justice.

IMPORTANT DAYS

- **International Day of Care and Support – October 29**
- ✓ The United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) has established an International Day of Care and Support. The event is observed on October 29.



- ✓ It recognises the unequal burden of unpaid care and household work on women and girls, as well as emphasising the importance of addressing these systemic impediments to women's empowerment.
- ✓ Theme 2024 – **Transforming Care Systems: Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals in the context of Beijing+30.**
- **World Savings Day – October 31**
- ✓ Saving money is an essential step towards achieving financial goals, preparing for future expenses, and reducing financial stress.



- ✓ World Savings Day promotes awareness about the importance of saving. Globally, however, it is observed on October 31.
- ✓ The occasion encourages individuals to reflect on their spending and saving habits, contributing to financial well-being and security.



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