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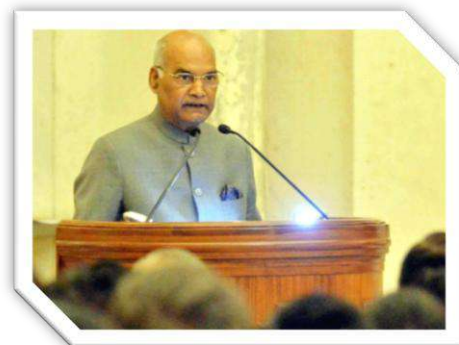
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NATIONAL NEWS

- The **National Health Systems Resource Centre** (NHSRC) was redesignated as the **World Health Organization** (WHO) Collaborating Centre for Priority Medical Devices and Health Technology Policy. It was announced by the **Ministry of Health and Family Welfare** (MoHFW) of Government of India in collaboration with the WHO.

Related News

- **NHSRC Established:** 200
- **NHSRC Chairperson:** Ms. Preeti Sudan

- Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh **Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy** launched the first of its kind **Village Secretariat system at Karapa village** near Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh.
 - It has set up village and ward secretariats which act as a bridge between the government and the people by rendering over **500 types of services** at their doorstep.

Related News

- Andhra Pradesh National Parks: Sri Venkateswara National Park, Rajiv Gandhi National Park, Papikonda National Park

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

- On October 3, 2019 the Prime Minister of India **Shri Narendra Modi** and Prime Minister of Mauritius **Pravind Jugnauth**, jointly inaugurated the **Metro Express and new ENT(ears, nose and throat) Hospital** in Mauritius through a video link.
 - This ENT hospital is also the first paperless E-Hospital in Mauritius.

Related News

- Mauritius Capital- Port Louis (also the largest city).
- Mauritius Currency- Mauritian rupee.
- Mauritius President- BarlenVyapoory

BANKING NEWS

- The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) announced its **4th Bi-Monthly Monetary Policy Rates for 2019-20**. The three-day policy review meeting held on October 1, 3, 4 of 2019 consisting of 6 members of the Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) was headed by RBI Governor Shaktikanta Das.
 - Repo Rate was reduced by 25 basis points to 5.15% from 5.40% with immediate effect.
- A major government-owned commercial bank of India, UCO Bank's (United Commercial Bank) managing director (MD) and CEO, **A K Goel** has **launched** three new digital products called , **UCash, Digilocker and an app in Kolkata, West Bengal.**
 - A new current account facility has also been launched by the bank.

Related News

- UCO bank Founded: 6 January 1943
- UCO bank Headquarters :Kolkata, West Bengal

AWARDS

- On October 3, 2019 the president of India **Shri Ram Nath Kovind** presented **“Vayoshreshtha Samman – 2019” in New Delhi**, as an honour to senior citizens and institutions for their services towards the cause of the elderly persons , function organised by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment presided by Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment Shri Thaawarchand Gehlot.

Related News

- Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment Headquarters- New Delhi.
- Minister of State (MoS)- Shri Krishan Pal Gurjar.
- Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment Secretary- Neelam Sawhney.

IMPORTANT DAYS

- The **World Space Week** (WSW), proclaimed in 6 December 1999 by the United Nations (UN) **General Assembly is observed** annually from **October 4-10** under the resolution (A/RES/54/68).
 - The theme for the year 2019 is **“The Moon: Gateway to the Stars”**, celebrating the 50th anniversary of humankind’s first step on the Moon on 20 July 1969.

Related News

- UN Headquarters- New York City, United State(US).
- UN Secretary-General-AntónioGuterres.

Words of the day

- 1) . **Behemoth** - something is Huge or abnormally large and powerful.
Similar words - bulk, Gigantic
Antonyms - Small, Tiny, Weak.
- 2). **Bashful** - Shy, easily embarrassed.
Similar Words - reserved, reticent.
Antonyms - bold, Expressive

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