

NFHS data reveals that poorer states doing better on developmental indicators. Do you agree - comment.

The National Family Health Survey - 5 data that was released had the better results for the interventions.

Backward states taking driver seat

The BIMARU states that traditionally lag behind socio-economic indicators has leaped in this survey, with Uttar Pradesh Threshold performing well have registered 60% rise in their scores ~~performance~~ compared to NFHS-4.

The developed states have registered slower growth. It was due to developed states spending less on as a % of GSDP on health care as quoted by Survey 2020-21

Interventions that bore fruit

The Ayushman Bharat empowered states registered better results such as Infant mortality reduced by 20%.
Under 5 mortality reduced by 20%
Neo natal mortality reduced by 22%.
compared to non-empowered states

The Swachh Bharat mission, Unnat Chulha program, PM Ujjwala Yojana has immensely effected in reducing inequalities
Also, 55 million tap water connections have been given to several households under Jal Jeevan mission which has significant impact.

The backward states still needs to work on their strengths to catch developed states to achieve SDG-10 - reduced inequalities.