Training and Employment of Rural Youth

Context

Ministry of Rural Development is undertaking two initiatives in skill development under the National Rural Livelihoods Mission (NRLM).

Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY)

- It is a placement linked skill development program which allows skilling in a PPP mode and assured placements in regular jobs in an organization not owned by the skilled person.
- DDU-GKY is being undertaken as PPP Project all over the country through Project Implementing Agencies (PIAs) registered with the Ministry of Rural Development.
- Guidelines of the scheme mandate State Governments to take up skill training projects with Corporate Social Responsibility funding.
- DDU-GKY Guidelines provide for setting apart 15% of the funds of the funds at for national level beneficiaries from among minority groups.
- Rural Self Employment and Training Institutes (RSETI)
- Skill development through RSETI, thereby enabling the trainee to take Bank credit and start his/her own Micro-enterprise.
- DDU-GKY and RSETI schemes covers rural parts of all the States of the country.