## VIDEOS

## Life Expectancy In India Dropped By 2 Years Due To COVID-19: Study

COVID-19 pandemic, which has affected the lives of people worldwide, has also caused a drop in life expectancy in India by almost two years, a statistical analysis by scientists of IIPS has revealed

NH Web Desk · ¥ Updated: 25 Oct 2021, 2:48 PM

Engagement:0

The COVID-19 pandemic, which has affected the lives of people worldwide, has also caused a drop in the life expectancy in India by almost two years, a statistical analysis by scientists of the citybased International Institute for Population Studies (IIPS) has revealed.

The analytical report, which points out the drop in life expectancy at birth in both men and women due to the pandemic, has been published in a journal 'BMC Public Health' recently

According to IIPS assistant professor Surayakant Yadav, who has authored the report, the life expectancy at birth for men and women has declined from 69.5 years and 72 years in 2019 to 67.5 years and 69.8 respectively in 2020.

The life expectancy at birth is calculated on the basis of the average number of years a newborn is expected to live if mortality patterns at the time of the birth of the infant remain constant in future.

The study was conducted to analyse the effect of the Covid pandemic on the mortality patterns



Subscribe Newspaper

Share

group of 35-69. The excess deaths in this age bracket due to Covid led to a sharp drop in life expectancy.

The IIPS based its study on the data collected by the 145-nation Global Burden of Disease study and the Covid-India Application Programme Interface (API) portal.

Click here to join our official telegram channel (<u>@nationalherald</u>) and stay updated with the latest headlines

Published: 25 Oct 2021, 9:21 AM

## Most Popular



LIVE News Updates: 32 students test positive for COVID in Karnataka school



As Gauri Khan's health suffers, will Aryan Khan finally go home today?



NCB witness Kiran Gosavi detained by Pune police in cheating case



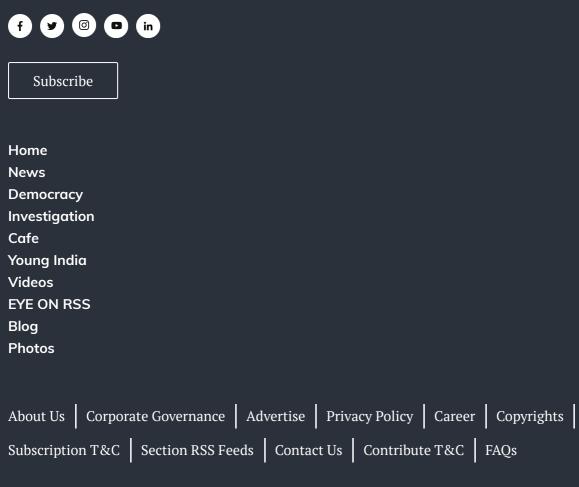
Retired DU professor couple commits suicide



PM Modi faces 'Watergate moment' if SC's Pegasus probe panel establishes govt indeed deployed the spyware

## **NATIONAL HERALD**

Follow Us	Fo	llow	Us
-----------	----	------	----



Copyright © 2021 National Herald. All rights reserved.

Powered by Quintype