

Dear All,

UMANG (Unified Mobile Application for New-age Governance) Mobile app has been developed by Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) and National e-Governance Division (NeGD). UMANG beta version has been soft launched for trial testing and feedback before the formal big-bang inauguration.

The beta version currently offers about 80 services (through umang website and android app, iOS app to be launched by mid June 2017) and in next two years will offer more than 1200 high impact services. A brief on UMANG is attached herewith.

It is suggested to involve student communities in mobile app testing and bug finding. It will not only help us improve the services but will also expose students to a mobile app with rich features and enable them to competitively participate in mobile app testing and bug finding apart from benefiting them through usage of available services.

The UMANG app can be downloaded in following ways:

1. From google playstore (<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=in.gov.umang.negd.q2c>) or
2. By logging on to <https://umang.gov.in> or
3. By calling toll free no. 1800-11-5246
4. By giving miss call at 97183-97183
5. To be launched soon on iOS

Therefore it is requested to circulate this mail widely amongst students in your institution and ask them to send us their feedback. Feedback may be sent on mail: naveen.raja@digitalindia.gov.in | o. 011-30481621 | m. +91 9650654366

We intend to recognize Top 100 valuable feedbacks received till 31st July 2017. For this the students be asked to mention their details.

Regards

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Unified Mobile Application for New-age Governance (UMANG)

Vision of Hon'ble PM



“While we look at e-Governance, let us think about ‘mobile first’ and thus give importance to m-Governance (mobile governance).”

“I urge you to explore ways to provide as many services as possible through mobiles. Let us bring the world into our mobile phones!”

1. UMANG background:

- UMANG project has been conceived to achieve the vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister, which will “Fast Track” Mobile Governance in Country with lower ‘over all’ cost to Nation.
- It is an initiative to build a common, unified platform and common mobile app to facilitate single point access of major Government services through mobile.
- MeitY has partnered with an agency for developing, operating and managing the UMANG platform and also partnered with a QA/audit partner agency for doing QA/security audit on UMANG.

2. UMANG Features:

- With support for around 12 Indian languages, in addition to English and hosted on cloud to cater on-demand scalability issues UMANG aims to bring power to the finger tips of citizens.
- Citizens can access pan India Government services from the Central Government, State Governments, local bodies and their agencies and, even some important utility services from corporates.
- On completion, in 3 years i.e. by December 2019, UMANG will provide for 200 applications (around 1200 services and about 5000 variant services) of various Government departments of Centre, States and Local bodies (50 in 1st yr, another 70 in 2nd yr and another 80 in 3rd yr).

3. Advantages For Citizens:

- Need to just download a single mobile app. instead of downloading mobile app. of each department.

- Provide uniform/easy experience across Govt. Services including payments based transactions.
- Availability of many services on a unified App will bring more utility for a citizen and will be a compelling reason for him/her to download the application.
- Also, high footfall on a single application/platform and the associated environment will act as a push for other lagging departments to on-board UMANG – thus fast tracking Mobile Governance in India.

4. Advantages For Government agencies including States:

- UMANG platform will enable departments to readily latch on to UMANG for provisioning their services through Mobile quickly.
- Onboarding departments will not only get free onboarding support and customized home page but maintenance of platform/ app, development of APIs will be at no cost to departments. All such applications will get basic integrations with Aadhaar, DigiLocker, Payment Gateway/s and RAS (feedback).
- This will become a boon to many Govt. departments, which have limited capability/resources to frame their own tenders and execute their individual projects.
- Departments need not go through pains of time consuming tendering/consulting/DPR process.
- The integration with UMANG will not only be expenditure free (initial & operational both) for the States/departments but will also save them time and energy while provisioning the services.

5. UMANG Current Status:

- **UMANG is ready for launch.**
- More than 80 services already onboarded, which include **Student Related** (CBSE, e Pathshala of NCERT & All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) application), **Farmer's related** (Crop Insurance information for farmers & Soil Health Card), **Application related to Health** - On Line Registration (ORS) of patient, Application of National Skill Development Corporation/Agency (NSDC/NSDA) - Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojna (**PMKVY**) and Applications of Prime Minister Aawas Yojna (**PMAY**) of Min. Of HUPA, Digisevak, RAS for feedback, Vaahan, NPS, e Migrate, Gas booking, Shaaladarpan & Jeevan Pramaan.
- Additionally many services viz. Passport, Income Tax, Tourism, find nearest Police station, IRCTC, Saarthi, Scholarship, , EPFO and payment through UPI/BHIM are in pipeline. Many States, central Deptts. have shown keen interest to come onboard the UMANG platform and discussions are going on for the same.

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