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Mythri Scheme (Maitri Yojane)

Karnataka gives a monthly allowance to gender minorities in social and economic difficulty, such as hijras, kothis and jogappas.

What you may get

Eligible gender minorities in Karnataka receive a monthly allowance under this state scheme, as set by the Revenue Department's pension directorate.

Who it is for

Gender minorities of Karnataka aged 25 to 64 years with a low family income.

Main conditions

- The applicant must be a gender minority aged 25 to 64 years.
- Annual income must be less than Rs 32,000 in both rural and urban areas.
- A person who already gets an old age, widow, destitute widow, Sandhya Suraksha, Devadasi or disability pension, or any allowance from public or private sources, is not eligible.

Documents

- BPL ration card, or an income certificate if there is none
- Voter ID or address proof, or age proof
- Certificate of gender minority status from a community-based organisation as set by the Women and Child Development circular
- Bank and post office account details
- Aadhaar card

How to apply

1. Apply through the Atal Janasnehi Kendra that covers your place of residence.
2. Take the documents listed on the scheme page along with you.

Status

Active

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