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DAILY ANSWER WRITING

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GS-II: Issues relating to development and management of Social Sector/Services relating to Health, Education, Human Resources.

1. "The Medical Education in India is outdated and fails to serve the complex and dynamic problems of the current healthcare system. Critically analyse and also suggest measures to improve the efficacy of Medical Education in India."

Why this Question:

→ Despite tremendous changes in health systems over the last century, medical education curricula have remained mostly outdated. This has affected the medical field in India to an Greater Extent.

Key Demand of the Question:

→ The question demands to critically analyse whether our current medical education system is outdated and whether it fails to meet the dynamic issues the current medical field is encountering. It also wants us to write the various measures to improve the efficacy of the medical education.

Directive word:

Critically Analyze:

♣ When asked to analyze, you have to examine methodically the structure or nature of the topic by separating it into component parts and present them as a whole in a summary. When 'critically' is suffixed or prefixed to a directive, one needs to look at the good and bad of the topic and give a fair judgement.

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♣ Whenever it is asking Critically Examine, Critically Comment or Critically Analyse just remember that you have to write both pros and cons and give a fair, unbiased or value loaded judgement. It should always give a closure feeling while examiner reading the answer.

Structure of the Answer:

Introduction:

♣ Write briefly why our current medical education system is under limelight recently.

Body:

- ₩ Write in brief about our medical education system in India and state few facts about it.
- ♣ Write whether our current education system is felt to be outdated.
- ₩ Write about various challenges the medical education is encountering.
- ₩ Write whether it fails to meet the various dynamic and complex challenges it encounters.
- ♣ The question demands us to critically analyze and support your statement with due facts.

Conclusion:

♣ Conclude with way ahead and with few suggestions to encounter the existing lacunae.

