1. **DASTAK CAMPAIGN**

   - Uttar Pradesh CM launched the DASTAK campaign to eradicate deadly Acute Encephalitis Syndrome (AES) and Japanese Encephalitis (JE) disease.
   - The campaign will run from 1st to 31st July.
   - Under this state-wide campaign, teams will go door to door in every village of the 75 districts of the state to create awareness about the communicable diseases as well as **Acute Encephalitis Syndrome** and **Japanese Encephalitis**.

**Japanese Encephalitis**

   - It is a mosquito-borne viral infection.
   - It does not spread from one person to another.

2. **Centre constitutes chief ministers’ panel for agriculture reforms**

   - Maharashtra Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis will be the convenor of the committee, while the chief ministers of Karnataka, Haryana, Arunachal Pradesh, Gujarat, Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh have been included as members.
   - The Committee will discuss measures for the transformation of agriculture and raising farmers’ income.
   - It will suggest the modalities for adoption and time-bound implementation of agriculture sector reforms.

3. **Investigation Tracking System for Sexual Offences (ITSO)**

   - According to ITSO data investigation into nearly half the sexual offences cases are not being completed within the stipulated 60-day period.
   - According to the ITSSO analysis of crime data in the 7 States — Haryana, Delhi, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Rajasthan and Uttarakhand — an investigation into nearly half the sexual offences cases are not being completed within the stipulated 60-day period.

4. **Pradhan Mantri Urja Ganga Project**

**Urja Ganga Project**

   - It is the highly ambitious gas pipeline project in Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh which is being implemented by state-run gas utility **Gas Authority of India Limited** (GAIL).
   - The gas pipeline project aims to provide piped cooking (PNG) gas to residents of the eastern region of the country and CNG gas for the vehicles.

5. **Anandiben Patel appointed Governor of Uttar Pradesh**

6. **11th edition of the biennial DefExpo 2020 will be held in Lucknow**
The main theme of the DefExpo India-2020 will be ‘India - the Emerging Defence Manufacturing Hub’.

7. Uttar Pradesh Government has decided to set up Ganga Committees in all 25 districts situated on the banks of river Ganga.

8. The Uttar Pradesh government has launched a toll free Chief Minister helpline - 1076

   **Note:** It will enable people from across the state to register their complaints, ensure time-bound action on the complaints.

9. Uttar Pradesh has become number one state in implementation of Pradhanamtri Suraksha Beema Yojna in the country.

   **Note:** As per the statement released by the state government, 1.95 crores people have been given insurance cover under the scheme till 31st March 2019.

10. UP Government sets the target of a $1 trillion economy over the next three years

11. **UP has the largest number of senior citizens with more than one population of 54 lakh.**

12. **UP Govt to install 251-metre-tall statue of lord Ram in Ayodhya**

   - The Uttar Pradesh government has decided to install a 251-metre-tall statue of Lord Ram at Ayodhya which would be taller than the Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel’s Statue of Unity in Gujarat. It would be the world’s tallest statue.

13. India will host the 14th Session of the Conference of the Parties (COP) of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification (UNCCD) from September 2-13, 2019 at India Expo Mart Limited in Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh.

14. **Two Defence Industrial Corridors to be set up in Uttar Pradesh and Tamil Nadu**

   - Government has decided to set up two Defence Industrial Corridors in Uttar Pradesh and Tamil Nadu which would cover Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) needs.
   - the six nodes of Uttar Pradesh Defence Industrial Corridor include Lucknow, Kanpur, Agra, Aligarh, Chitrakoot and Jhansi.