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CHALLENGES FACED BY DAILY WAGE WORKERS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC IN INDIA

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ABSTRACT

The COVID-19 pandemic put the whole world in an unprecedented crisis and lingering uncertainty with innumerable deaths, generalised economic depression, unemployment, quarantine, unavoidable lockdown, and travel-ban that was imposed globally as a necessity to tackle the pandemic. Among the populace, the daily waged workers in India were found to be one of the most vulnerable groups in this lockdown, as their very livelihood came to a complete standstill. The aim of this paper is to review the challenges faced by daily wage workers during the covid-19 pandemic in India.

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