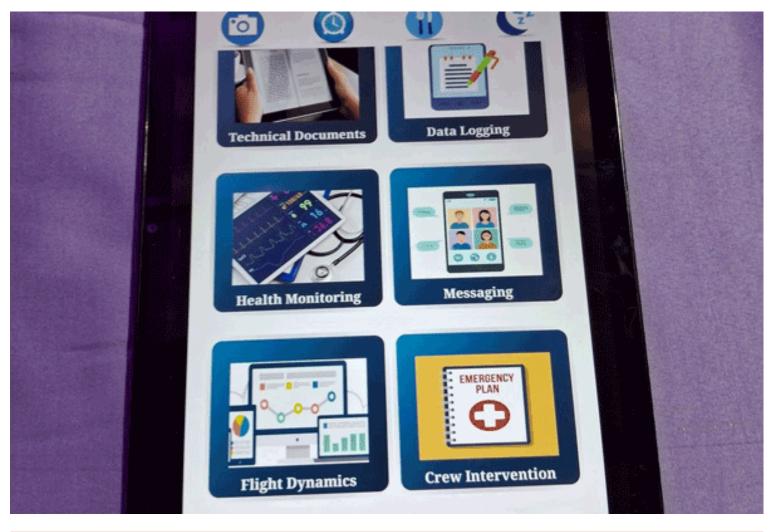
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Key Facts

SAKHI app

The Space-borne Assistant and Knowledge Hub for Crew Interaction (SAKHI) app was recently developed by Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre (VSSC), a key facility of the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) situated in Thumba, Thiruvananthapuram.

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About SAKHI (Space-borne Assistant and Knowledge Hub for Crew Interaction) app:

• The app is designed to support astronauts embarking on the **Gaganyaan mission**, a landmark project aimed at sending a **three-member crew** to a **400 km orbit**.

Key Benefits and Features of SAKHI App

- Health Monitoring: The SAKHI app is equipped with features to monitor vital health parameters such as blood pressure and heart rate, ensuring the well-being of astronauts during their mission.
- **Seamless Communication**: It establishes a continuous link between the astronauts, the onboard systems, and the ground stations, facilitating efficient communication.

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- **Mission Documentation**: Astronauts can log their observations and findings in various formats including voice, text, and images, which aids in the thorough documentation of the mission.
- **Information Access**: The app provides immediate access to essential technical information and manuals, critical for the successful execution of the mission.
- Lifestyle Management: SAKHI reminds astronauts about important lifestyle aspects like hydration, diet, and sleep schedules, contributing to their overall health and performance.
- Accessibility: Designed with the unique needs of space missions in mind, the app is easily accessible and compatible with space suits, ensuring no interruption in its usage.