

- 11. Out of 31 blood samples tested for STS, only 2 samples were found to be weakly +ve for V.D.R.L.
- 12. None of the urine samples examined were found to be Albumia and Sugar positive.
- 13. There were evidence of 4 moderate growth retradation in children below 13 years. All the children were vacinated.
- 14. 5 Great Andaman ese should mild degree of Hypertension and all of them were subjected for ECG examination. Minar abnormality in ECG was seen in two cases and both the cases were advised to come to GB Pant Hospital, Port Blair for further check up including investigation and treatment.
- 15. Cataract was seen in two of the Andamanese.
- 16. The husband of one streil couple whose semen was tested showed oligospermia, and he required further investigation and treatment at GB Pant Hospital, Port Blair.
- 17. At the time of investigation, one lady was found to be pregnent (12-14 weeks pregnancy).
- 18. There was no evidence of Opium addiction seen which was a major health problem of Andamanese decades back.
- 19. 16 of Anamanese were found habituated of consuming tobacco in various forms and 10 were alcohol users.
- 20. One of the male viz Shri peje is addicated to various medicines like Diazepam, Phenarmine etc. which he consumes in bulk quantity.

A detail survey of the Andamanese Settlement of Striat Island was made by the team before the commencement of the medical examination. It was found that their dwelling houses were well ventilated, lighted and were kept neat and clean. All units were provided with septic latrine and electricity. No evidence of open air defaecation was observed in the settlement. There were 4 Sanitary wells and all these were found to be well maintained and regularly chlorinated. A brief dietary survey was carried out. It was found that they consume good amount of meat and fish, but lack in taking vegetables. Their personal hygiene was found to be very satisfactory.