

	ANM to be shifted	Action will be initiated soon by DHS.
Kakana	Repair/renovation of the old sub-centre with Electricity facility	Provision for Repair/ renovation of the old sub-centre will be kept in Annual Plan 2002-2003, so that it can be converted into a "Birth House".
Champin	Posting of specialists in CHC Nancowry	The posts of 4 basic specialists has been kept in Annual Plan 2001-2002. Sanction from GOI's is needed and the posts are to be filled up from Central Health Service. There is already acute shortage of specialists in G.B. Pant Hospitals and the Specialists from Central Health Service are very reluctant to come from Mainland. Alternate arrangements have been made to provide Medical Consultancy in different disciplines in these remote Southern group of Islands. Naval Health Service will give coverage every 6 months for a period 6-7 days. Similarly local health authorities shall also send specialist every 6 months. Thus every 3 months specialists in different disciplines can visit such remote locations. During the last week of Feb doctors from INH Dhavantri have visited Nancowry, Chowra, Katchal and Specialists' team from G.B. Pant are also expected to give coverage during April/ May 2001.