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will also be provided the training in Gynaecology in a phased manner. At present one Gynaecologist has been posted in Dist. Hospital, Car Nicobar.

CHC Kamorta – neither posted or regular visit by Specialists :

Specialists from Defence as well as Health deptt. provide coverage to Car Nicobar, Nancowry, Katchal and Campbell Bay subject to availability of ship

Visit of Higher authorities is not regular :

Higher authorities are visiting if the schedule of ship suits their programme.

Maximum who are contract Doctors (new hands) posted :

The doctors posted at in the institutions of southern group of islands are well experienced and efficient. A few of them also possess P.G. degree in various disciplines like Medicine, Orthopaedic & Gynaecology. Whenever, specialist intervention is required, necessary line of treatment is transmitted through Police Radio Network as per the para-meters of the patients. A total of 20 Doctors are posted in the Nicobar Dist. which includes 4 Chief Medical Officers, 4 adhoc doctors, 6 contract doctors with PG qualification and 6 on contract basis.

Point-06 Providing of treated drinking water to tribal villages

- i) In Nicobar group of islands where perennial streams, nallah are not available, well is the main source of water supply.
- ii) In such cases depending upon the raw water, bleaching treatment is being done.
- iii) Yield test is meant for assessing the quantum of water in any particular well. Being far flung area such assessment can be done by even physically seeing/using the well. However a reference shall be made to CGWB for assessment of water potential of wells of Southern group of islands and explore the possibility of installing pumps in the wells.