

- (i) establishment and maintenance of ayurvedic and homoeopathic dispensaries;
- (j) provision of medical relief through ayurvedic and homoeopathic centres;
- (k) assisting recognized medical relief centres;
- (l) providing for training of nurses.

2. In the sphere of public works

- (a) construction and maintenance of roads;
- (b) the planting and rearing of trees on both sides of the roads;
- (c) executing of works entrusted to it by the State Government;
- (d) Supervision repairs in preservation of building vested in the District Council;
- (e) construction and maintenance of building required for the activities of the District Council;

3. In the sphere of education and other cultural activities

- (a) establishment and maintenance of schools upto Secondary levels, including recruitment, appointment and transfers of staff; payment of salaries and exercise of control over the staff subject to Govt. guidelines;
- (b) exercise of control and academic supervision of all schools including aided and private schools upto secondary levels subject to Government guidelines;
- (c) laying down of academic and administrative norms for better functioning of educational institutions
- (d) disbursement of grants to aided schools subject to government guidelines;
- (e) supervision of the education committees at Island and Village level;
- (f) preparation and sanction of educational budgets;
- (g) administration of district educational fund;
- (h) preparation of perspective plan for the district;
- (i) proposal of measures including levy of cess, surcharge and taxes for mobilising additional resources for education to the District Council;