

अण्डमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन
ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION

सचिवालय

SECRETARIAT

Port Blair, dated the 10th March, 2004.

ORDER 835

Sub: Health care for Jarawas

It has been decided in consultation with Directorate of Health Services and the Directorate of Tribal Welfare that a standing medical team consisting of the following may be constituted to conduct periodic health survey of the Jarawas in South and Middle Andamans and for providing such treatment as may be necessary.

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| (1) | Dr. Thulasidasan | - Coordinator |
| (2) | Dr. R.C. Kar | - Associate Coordinator |
| (3) | Dr. J.C. Das | - Associate Coordinator |
| (4) | Member Secretary, AAJVS | - Associate Coordinator |
| (5) | Director (TW)/AC(TW) | - Associate Coordinator |
| (6) | Shri S.C. Biswas | - Pharmacist |
| (7) | Shri C.P. Paul | - Lab. Technician |
| (8) | Shri Ashraf | - Health Educator |

2. The team may visit the Jarawa area accompanied by the Executive Secretary and field staff of Andaman Adim Janjathi Vikas Samithi (AAJVS). The standard and Directorate of Tribal Welfare as and when necessary. Admission of Jarawa patient may be done in the Hospital at Port Blair, Kadamtala and Tushnabad only if intensive care is required. Food items may be supplied to them in consultation with Executive Secretary of AAJVS. In normal circumstances they may be provided with necessary treatment in their own habitat/camping sites. In the interest of their security they may be kept isolated from others When female Jarawas are in the Hospital or in transit, AAJVS will arrange female police for escorting them.
3. A report may also be submitted to the Administration after any such health camp/ survey in Tribal reserve area. The Forest Camp area at Potatang may be utilized for construction of jungle huts (like the hut at Kadamtala) to be used as Health Care Centre for Jarawas. These may be got constructed by Forest Department. The standard list of equipments and items to be carried for such field visits may be maintained so that they can be mobilized easily for such visits/camps at short notice.