

The Government of India may take a decision regarding creating satellite facility of CCMB in Andamans for genetic and other advanced researches among the Jarawas. Administration has not been allowing indiscriminate contact with the Jarawas.

(10) & (11) & (12) Genetic Research :-

This has been provided in the notified Jarawa Policy also and as such the study of the ethno medicine could be under taken in association with concerned research organizations like Anthropological Survey of India, Botanical Survey of India, Indian Council of Medical Research and others.

(9) Documentation of Ethno-medicine :-

The notified Jarawa Policy also stipulates for similar measures of in-situ treatment to the extend possible. As such the health department of the Administration would be implementing the policy directives. The required infrastructure would need to be created under the plan programmes under Tribal Sub-Plan.

(8) In-situ treatment of the Jarawas :-

The suggestion of the Sub-Group is covered under the notified Jarawa Policy and as such the Health Department would take necessary action.

(7) Drug regimen, treatment and diagnostics protocols :-

gradually phase out any dependency that arises from this intervention. This recommendation is not very clear as to how the demand will be assessed and in what manner the phase out be done. The Sub-Group may like to provide greater details to us so as to meaningfully comment on this.