



**NAWA**  
Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association



Commemoration of Founder's Day at  
NAWA Headquarters

# **ANNUAL REPORT**

## **2022 -2023**



**Special Medical and Eye Camp Inaugurated by  
Thiru. K. Ramachandran,  
Hon'ble Minister for Forest, TN**



**Tmt. A.S. Kumar, Commissioner for Women Tamil Nadu  
visit to NAWA**



**Thiru. S. Annadurai,  
Director, Tribal Welfare, GoTN visit to NAWA**

**Special Mobile Camp commemorating  
Founder's Day**



**NAWA**

Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association

Since 1958

## **ANNUAL REPORT 2022-23**

**Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association - NAWA**

Fair Glen Annexe, Kota Hall Road, Kotagiri 643217, The Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu.

Ph. No. 04266 271596 | 271576

Email : [nawaktg@gmail.com](mailto:nawaktg@gmail.com) | Web : [www.nawatribes.org](http://www.nawatribes.org)

## INDEX

| S. No. | Content  | Pg. No. |
|--------|--|---------|
| 1.     | Vision & Mission of NAWA   | 1       |
| 2.     | Introduction   | 2       |
| 3.     | Activities of NAWA   | 3       |
| 4.     | PVTG Medical and Health Care Programmes (VII ongoing) aided by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. | 4-7     |
| 5.     | Tribal Mobile Outreach Services - TMORS & Sickle Cell Anaemia Intervention Programme                 | 8       |
| 6.     | ICMR New Born Scheme   | 9       |
| 7.     | GKD Sickle Cell Anaemia Intervention Programme   | 10-11   |
| 8.     | Emergency Care And Recovery Centre   | 12-16   |
| 9.     | Mother and Child Care  | 17      |
| 10.    | Integrated Complex of Special Homes for Senior Citizens & Destitute Children                         | 18      |
| 11.    | Education: Victoria Armstrong Memorial Nursery & Primary School                                      | 19      |
| 12.    | NAWA Community College   | 20-21   |
| 13.    | Childline Kotagiri   | 22      |
| 14.    | Paniya Rehabilitation Farm Centre  | 23      |
| 15.    | NAWA Tribal Mart   | 24      |
| 16.    | i) Livelihood & Empowerment<br>ii) Registration & Affiliations                                       | 25      |
| 17.    | Receipts and Payments Account Statement  | 26-27   |
| 18.    | Details of Donation/Donars   | 28-29   |
| 19.    | Managing Committee & Office bearers  | 30      |
| 20.    | Organisation Structure   | 31      |
| 21.    | Maps showing the activities of NAWA  | 32      |
| 22.    | Location of Projects   | 33      |
| 23.    | Means of Contribution to NAWA  | 34      |
| 24.    | Acknowledgment   | 35      |

## **VISION AND MISSION OF NAWA**

### **VISION**

We have passed through Revolutionary times when the spirit of volunteerism was at its most ardent so the main focus was to respond to community needs as and when they arose and in the process develop and empower people.

But times have changed and new needs and new potentials have emerged.

We have moved from the age of volunteerism to the age of professionalism.

### **MISSION**

To develop and empower people from tribal communities so that they can assert their own social, community and cultural identities and build a sustainable future for themselves

## ANNUAL REPORT 2022-2023

---

### INTRODUCTION:

The Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association (NAWA) is a secular, charitable non-Governmental organization registered under the Societies Registration Act of 1860. It was founded in 1958 by Padmashri. Dr.S.Narasimhan, who successfully combined compassion and dedication with the power of healing the sufferings of the forgotten and neglected tribal people of the Nilgiris and its adjoining areas. His dedicated work as a Doctor helped to build up a bond of trust and faith not only among the tribal communities but also among the other local communities.

With more than six decades of work in the Nilgiris and its environs the NAWA has grown increasingly proactive, addressing the changing needs of the tribal people and focussing on sustainable development. NAWA has become a vital link between the tribal communities, Government agencies and NGOs to advice, guide, channel resources and network in partnership on tribal development.

The Govt. of India and the Govt. of Tamil Nadu provide grant aid for several programmes of NAWA in tribal locations in the Nilgiris and adjoining districts and States. It is managed by a Committee consisting of members from various tribal communities and a dedicated team of staff. From a simple beginning in 1958 NAWA has grown as a peoples' organisation now.

## **ACTIVITIES OF NAWA :**

### **MEDICAL, HEALTH CARE AND RESEARCH:**

Running of hospitals, day and mobile clinics in interior tribal settlements of the Nilgiris and BR hills in Karnataka grant aided by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India.

Tribal mobile medical outreach units functioning in all the four blocks i.e Ooty, Kotagiri, Coonoor and Gudalur in the Nilgiris and Karamadai and Perianaickenpalayam block in the Coimbatore district with grant aid from National Health Mission (NHM), Government of Tamil Nadu.

Screening of tribal population for Sickle Cell Anaemia in the Nilgiris and Coimbatore districts with NHM grant aid.

Screening of new born babies (Neo-natal) for sickle cell and interventions such as genetic counselling, treatment and vaccination, if required, in the tribal areas of Nilgiris, Coimbatore, Erode, Salem, Dharmapuri Kallakurichi district of Tamil Nadu and grant aided by Indian Council for Medical Research (ICMR).

Emergency Care & Recovery Centre –ECRC run by NAWA and located at the Government Headquarters Hospital, Ooty to identify, counsel and rehabilitate mentally challenged persons from the Nilgiris with the grant aid from Azim Premji Foundation through The Banyan.

Sickle Cell Anaemia Intervention Programme Through providing nutritional supplementation for Sickle cell affected patients and also cultivating herbal plants and Step up Nursery in Anaikatti area with the support of GRD Charity Trust.

### **MOTHER AND CHILD CARE, CHILD PROTECTION AND CARE OF ELDERERS**

Running of Crèche and nutrition centres in 11 tribal settlements with sub centres 4in smaller hamlets to provide supplementary nutrition, preschool education with opportunities for learning through play with grant aid from Integrated Child Development Scheme (ICDS).

Child care and protection through CHILDLINE India Foundation grant aided by the Ministry of Women and Child Development, Govt. of India.

Integrated Complex of Special Homes for Senior Citizens and Destitute Children

### **EDUCATION:**

Running of a Primary School to provide English medium education to tribal and other children at NAWA Premises VAMS

Running of a Community College providing Diploma courses on Health Assistance, Naturopathy and Traditional medicine at NAWA headquarters and affiliated to Bharathiar University, Coimbatore.

## **MEDICAL, HEALTH CARE AND RESEARCH:**

### **PVTG Medical and Health Care Programmes (VII ongoing) aided by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India**

Most of the tribal populations live in remote and least accessible hilly and deep forested areas under tiring circumstances. Malnutrition, ill health, poor literacy rate, inadequate access to safe drinking water and poor sanitary conditions make them more vulnerable to infections and diseases.

NAWA has been providing the much needed medical and health care through its network of hospitals, dispensaries and mobile clinics to the tribal populations for many years with financial assistance from Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India.

The tribal people value our medical services highly because they feel that our well established hospitals and dispensaries are located in their own villages and they find the procedures more informal and their own people amongst them.

#### **I. KOLIKARAI HOSPITAL:**

This Hospital at Kolikarai Irula Tribal Village continues to serve as the central hospital for all the tribes living in Nilgiris District. Tribal people living in the neighbouring Coimbatore District continue to utilise the service of this hospital. Medical Officers, two residential nurses and other paramedical staff are on duty round the clock to meet the medical needs of these scattered people of the hills and interior forests.

#### **FACILITIES AVAILABLE:**

Facilities available at this hospital are outpatient ward, accommodation to admit 30 indoor patients, clinical laboratory, X-ray unit, operation theatre, and a kitchen.

|                    |   |      |
|--------------------|---|------|
| Outpatient treated | : | 8001 |
| Inpatient treated  | : | 552  |
| Inpatient days     | : | 7446 |





## II. ARAYURE HOSPITAL :

Located at deep inside and behind the western ghats from mullur, this hospital was established during 1966 to serve the people of tribal hamlets in and around there. These most introverted tribal population comprising Kurumbas and Irulas with a poor health seeking behaviour could access these 10 bedded hospitals for their primary health care along with an outpatient service.

### FACILITIES AVAILABLE :

Facilities available at this hospital are outpatient ward, accommodation to admit 10 indoor patients and a kitchen, etc.

|                    |   |      |
|--------------------|---|------|
| Outpatient treated | : | 1778 |
| Inpatient treated  | : | 148  |
| Inpatient days     | : | 2559 |



## III. NAWA GOLDEN JUBILEE TRIBAL HOSPITAL :

This hospital is an integral part of our Paniya Rehabilitation Farm Colony. Medical Officers (Allopathic and Ayurvedic), residential nurses and other paramedical staff are on duty. It serves the tribal communities of the Paniya, Kattunaika and Moolukurumba tribes of the region.

### FACILITIES AVAILABLE :

Facilities available at this hospital are outpatient ward, accommodation to admit 10 indoor patients, electricity power generator, a kitchen, etc.

|                    |   |                                   |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Outpatient treated | : | Allopathy –5113 & Ayurveda - 3442 |
| Inpatient treated  | : | 1091                              |
| Inpatient days     | : | 1239                              |



#### **IV. KOTAGIRI TOWN TRIBAL HOSPITAL:**

This hospital based at the campus of NAWA headquarters office treats both inpatients and outpatients in and around Kotagiri. Members of Kota, Toda, Irula and Kurumba tribes make use of this hospital and its facilities.

##### **FACILITIES AVAILABLE:**

Facilities available at this hospital are outpatient ward, accommodation to admit more than 10 in patients, general clinical laboratory, electricity power generator, solar water heater, a kitchen, etc. Medical Officers (Allopathic, Homoeopathic & Siddha), residential nurses and other paramedical staff are on duty. Moreover, this hospital facilitates with a sickle cell laboratory exclusively for indentifying tribal sickle cell cases.



Outpatient treated : 6080

Inpatient treated : 456

Inpatient days : 3451

#### **V. KUNJAPANAI HOSPITAL / DISPENSARY :**

This hospital is situated between the mid region of Kotagiri and Mettupalayam road and treats the patient from Irula and Kurumba Communities. A Medical Officer, nurse and other paramedical staff are on duty to cater the needs of the people and students. The students from Govt. Residential School at Kunjapanai also benefit through routine health checkup from this hospital. Emergency and patient require further treatment are referred to Kolikarai Hospital or Kotagiri Town Tribal Hospital.

Outpatient treated : 5892

#### **VI. MOBILE MEDICAL UNIT- I**

The MMU caters the in around the Nilgiris District and covers more than 3-4 tribal hamlets every day. A Medical Officer, nurse, Compounder and a driver are designated and this team visits the tribal villages on the basis of fixed tour programme every month. 20-25 patients are seen every day and patients needing special care or treatment are referred to NAWA Hospitals or nearby government health care centres.



Outpatient treated : 4562

## VII. KARNATAKA MEDIAL UNIT ( B.R. HILLS HOSPITAL)

Though this medical center is miles away from the headquarters situated at Chamaraj Nagar of Karnataka State, we managed this center for more than 43 years for the cause of Sholiga tribal communities. Patients from 25-30 tribal villages utilize the facility of this centre and around 15-20 patients are treated daily.



Outpatient treated : 2921

**Consolidated Report :**

| Name of Centre   |           | Beneficiaries |      |         |
|--|-----------|---------------|------|---------|
|  |           | OP            | IP   | IP Days |
| Kolikarai Hospital (60 Bedded)                         |           | 8001          | 215  | 7446    |
| Arayure Hospital (10 Bedded)                           |           | 1778          | 148  | 2559    |
| NAWA Golden Jubilee Hospital (10 Bedded)               | Allopathy | 5113          | 1091 | 1239    |
|  | Ayurveda  | 3442          |      |         |
| Kotagiri Town Tribal Hospital (10 Bedded)              |           | 6080          | 456  | 3451    |
| Kunjapanai Dispensary / Hospital                       |           | 5892          | **   | **      |
| Karnataka Medical Unit – (B.R. Hills Hospital), Mysore |           | 2921          | **   | **      |
| Mobile Medical Unit – I                                |           | 4562          | **   | **      |



**TRIBAL MOBILE OUT REACH SERVICES (TMORS) GRANT AIDED BY NATIONAL HEALTH MISSION (NHM), GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU.**

Tamil Nadu Health System Project, which was aided by the World Bank initially and taken over by the National Rural Health Mission now, has been supporting NAWA with Tribal Mobile Outreach Services and Sickle cell Anaemia Screening and Intervention programmes since 2009.



**a. TRIBAL MOBILE OUT REACH SERVICES (TMORS) :**

| S. No. | Mobile Medical Unit                    | Out Patients | Referrals | AN Mother | Laboratory Test |             |
|--------|--|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-------------|
|        |  |              |           |           | No Patients     | No of Tests |
| 1.     | Kotagiri Block                         | 16744        | 281       | 250       | 6289            | 8591        |
| 2.     | Coonoor Block                          | 14917        | 116       | 96        | 5387            | 6823        |
| 3.     | Ooty Block                             | 14784        | 133       | 279       | 6158            | 7370        |
| 4.     | Gudalur Block                          | 16824        | 111       | 291       | 6985            | 10882       |
| 5.     | Karamadai &Periyanaickenpalayam Blocks | 12289        | 86        | 265       | 4985            | 6086        |

**b. SICKLE CELL ANAEMIA INTERVENTION PROGRAMME -**

| S. No. | SCA Unit                                     | No. of Test | No. of AS | No. of SS | Follow up |
|--------|--|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1.     | Kotagiri Block                               | 137         | 15        | 0         | 0         |
| 2.     | Coonoor& Ooty Blocks                         | 80          | 14        | 1         | 1         |
| 3.     | Karamadai &Periyanaickenpalayam Blocks       | 1114        | 129       | 4         | 4         |
| 4.     | Kotagiri, Coonoor& Ooty Blocks ( Non Tribes) | 1374        | 40        | 3         | 16        |



## **ICMR “ Assessment of Neonatal Screening Approaches for Sickle Cell Disease and the Effect of Early Intervention in Management of the Disease in Tribal Population.”**

Followed by the early intervention for screening the adults for Hemoglobiopathies, an ICMR collaborative project on “Assessment of Neonatal Screening approaches for sickle cell disease and the effect of early intervention in management of the disease in Tribal population” was launched on May 2019.

Started with the Nilgiris District, in order to achieve desired results in the New Born Screening, and with the direction of Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine the sample collection was extended to Government Hospitals, Medical College Hospitals, PHCs and the surrounding villages of Coimbatore, Erode, Salem, Dharmapuri and Kallakuruchi districts.



So far 2506 babies have been screened using the Point of Care Kit at the field level and Confirmation test at the NAWA laboratory using the High Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC). Machine

We have diagnosed 141 babies as sickle cell carriers and 9 babies as Sickle cell disease along with 67 babies as  $\beta$ -Thalassaemic carriers. This intervention is a life saving measure, as the early diagnosis and initiation of treatment would result in better health outcome and improve the quality of life of the diseased children.

|           |                            |             |
|-----------|----------------------------|-------------|
| <b>1.</b> | <b>No. of NB Screening</b> | <b>2506</b> |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>No. of AS</b>           | <b>141</b>  |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>No. of SS</b>           | <b>9</b>    |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>Thalassemia</b>         | <b>67</b>   |

The identified SS cases are provided medicines like Hydroxy urea, Amoxicillin, Folic acid, and Pentid. The team also test their parents, and they too are provided treatment and medicines regularly. and found diseased



## GKD - SICKLE CELL ANAEMIA INTERVENTION PROGRAMME

This project is implemented at the Anaikatti cluster of the Coimbatore district funded by GKD Charity Trust, a public charitable trust, Coimbatore since June 2020.

### THE OBJECTIVES OF THE PROGRAMME ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1. The scope of the Project is to establish Sickle Cell Anaemia Screening and Prevention unit in designated areas.
2. To provide services free of cost to the tribal community.
3. Shall establish a laboratory with at least the minimum equipment.
4. Providing health service for the beneficiaries.
5. To provide supplementary nutrition and other essential services to the needy persons.
6. Herbal Nursery for traditional methodology of treatment.



### HERBAL NURSERY

| S.No | Particulars  |      |
|------|--|------|
| 1    | No. of Herbal plants established in the nursery.                       | 42   |
| 2    | No .of saplings available in the nursery.                              | 6991 |
| 3    | No. of Herbal Kitchen Gardens established in the Villages              | 15   |
| 4    | No. of Herbal Gardens established in the Schools                       | 6    |
| 5    | No. of Awareness Campaigns organised at villages on herbal cultivation | 120  |
| 6    | No. of herbal products established for marketing                       | 10   |

## OUTCOME FOR THE YEAR:

| S.No | Particulars  | Result |
|------|--|--------|
| 1    | Target population estimated in Periyanaickenpalayam and Karamadai blocks | 16000  |
| 2    | Total No. of Screening done for target population so far                 | 10343  |
| 3    | Remaining population to be covered within the year 2025                  | 5657   |
| 4    | Total New Screening done in the year                                     | 1114   |
| 5    | Total New born screening done in the year                                | 65     |
| 6    | No. of SS cases identified in the year                                   | 3      |
| 7    | No. of AS cases identified in the year                                   | 126    |
| 8    | No. of SS cases benefitted in the year                                   | 40     |
| 9    | No. of AS cases benefitted in the year                                   | 210    |
| 10   | No. of new villages covered for screening in the year                    | 7      |
| 11   | Total No. of villages covered so far                                     | 96     |
| 12   | No. of Case Studies carried out in the year                              | 12     |
| 13   | No. of SS patients whose Hb increased                                    | 32     |
| 14   | No. of SS patients whose weight increased                                | 36     |
| 15   | No. of SS patients recovered from Jaundice                               | 9      |
| 16   | No. of AS patients whose Hb increased                                    | 161    |
| 17   | No. of AS patients whose weight increased                                | 161    |
| 18   | No. of patients attended counselling                                     | 2150   |
| 19   | No. of AS Patients benefitted so far                                     | 475    |
| 20   | No. of SS Patients benefitted so far                                     | 45     |

## HERBAL PRODUCTS

Poduthalai  
Neerpirambi  
Vettiver  
Sivappukeerai  
Puthina

Pirandais  
Sotrukattralai  
Karisilakanni  
Lemon grass

## **EMERGENCY CARE AND RECOVERY CENTRE (ECRC) :**

NAWA established the Emergency Care and Recovery Centre during March 2021 at Government Headquarters hospitals (Medical College), Ooty to admit and treat the homeless mentally ill people who will be rescued, rehabilitated and reintegrated with their family.

This scheme is being aided by the Azim Premji Philanthropic Initiative through The Banyan, Chennai.

This centre facilitates 20 bedded ward for the inmates and to monitor and treat the inmates. Consultant Programme Associates, Consultant Care Coordinators and a Staff Nurse are appointed to run this programme. The inmates are counselled and treated by Psychiatry Specialist from Government Hospitals on rotation basis.

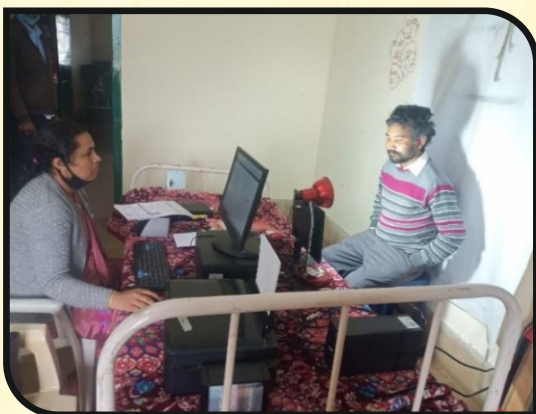
During 2022-23 68Clients were identified and admitted in the center. 24 clients were successfully rehabilitated and reunited with their families.

### **AWARENESS TO VHN:**

Awareness about ECRC was given to the Village Health Nurses(VHN) during April in the Govt. hospital, Ooty and shared contact numbers to them, so that they could contact the centre anytime when they identify a client in their village area.



### **REQUEST FOR THE PROVISION OF COMMUNITY CUPBOARD AND AADHAR CARD:**



A petition was given to the Collector for issue of Aadhar cards as many of our clients do not have any identity cards. The Collector directed the Tahsildar to conduct special camps to provide the Aadhar cards.

Finally the Aadhar card campaign was successfully done on 22.07.2022 and 27.07.2022. Totally 09 members benefited and obtained Aadhar cards.



## ART MARATHON

An Art Marathon was conducted across 7 schools and colleges for the promotion of the importance of child education and mental health.

Through this event the students were asked to submit their artwork on the above mentioned topics by registering for the event. In this event the students were as were asked to donate books to building libraries for the underprivileged

communities including the NAWA ward and the amount received would be given to the education to parentless /single-parent students. NAWA explained about the project – Emergency Care and Recovery Centre as mental health is one of the major aspect of the program. Pamphlets explaining our projects and importance of mental health were distributed among the students. Red Cross Society Coordinator of Ooty headed the event, organizations like Heartbeat Foundation and Independent artists of Ooty were a part of this event.



## COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION

The community organization was done in tribal villages regarding suicide prevention and the awareness of mental health in the community as there was a high prevalence of suicide in the villages of Pudukadu, Kozhikora and PeriyaKurumbadi.

### PERIYA KURUMBADI AND PUDUKADU VILLAGES

The session started by asking the participants on what they know about mental health and suicide. Eventually awareness

was given to the members of Self Help Group (SHG), who participated in the program. The members are from both Irula and Kurumba tribes.



### **METTUPALAYAM ECRC VISIT**

Mettupalayam ECRC visited our ECRC centre on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2023. They said they will refer clients to us in future if they get information from the Nilgiris region & also support us through collaboration for reintegration services.

### **HMI CONSULTATIVE MEETING:**

A consultative meeting was conducted at NAWA on 16<sup>th</sup> June'22. The representatives from the DMHP team Dr.Poornajith and Mrs. Allirani, the Banyan Dr. Archana Padmakar & Dr. Ramesh, Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Trust and few internship students participated and discussed about the new policy brought by the Tamilnadu Government for homeless people with mental illness.



### **MENTAL HEALTH REVIEW BOARD :**

The Chairperson, Mr. Raj, MHRB, Coimbatore, Dr. Pooranjith, District Psychiatric, Ooty and Mrs. Malarvizhi, District Differently Abled Welfare Association Officer, Ooty visited ECRC. The MHRB team allocated “Nominated Representative” for each client.



### **SEVAI RATHNA AWARD**



On Aug'15<sup>th</sup> Dr.Abdul Kalam Trust presented Sevai Rathna Award to our ECRC Social worker Ms. Brindha T.S

### **AZIMPREMJI VISIT:**



The Honorable Mr. Azim Premji visited our ECRC on 22.08.2022 and interacted with the clients. The Banyan staff Dr. Ramesh, Mrs. Laxmi and Mrs. Sudha, Dean GMCH, Ms. Monogari and Dr. Pooranajith gave some maintenance ideas for the centre.

### **WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY**

World Mental Health Day was observed on October 10<sup>th</sup> this year with the theme "Well Being & Global Priority". Music therapy was conducted for all the clients. The clients enjoyed with full enthusiasm by dancing and singing. Visited a tribal school nearby and gave awareness on "learning disabilities" & also orientation about ECRC and its activities. Interacted with teachers to deal with children with disabilities and arranged for scribes through disability office.



### **THE BANYAN TEAM VISIT**

The Banyan team visited ECRC for quarterly audit. Mrs. Archana, Mrs. Swapna & Mr. Anantha Padmanaban visited. Clinical team & finance team of Banyan visited to understand the clinical care and financial budgets of ECRC. Discussion on home again also took place with NAWA team



**OFFICIALS FROM AZIM PREMJI FOUNDATION VISIT :**



On 15<sup>th</sup> June Mr. Aswin, APF & Ms. Indupriya, The Banyan visited ECRC and interacted with our clients. They also discussed about the client rescue, outreach, reintegration & follow-up and the food we provide to the clients. They appreciated and also gave good feedback about our team.

**MENTAL HEALTH DAY CELEBRATION :**

On 10<sup>th</sup> October we observed “World Mental Health Day”, we had a group discussion about mental health rights, and all the clients participated including nursing students.



**ECRC COLLABORATIVE MEET**



The ECRC collaborative meeting went well with the participants from 8 districts. Discussion about the next level development of ECRC project Budget plan phase II, fund raising, experience sharing & are the challenges & difficulties faced.

| S. No | Status                           | No of Clients |
|-------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| 1     | Old Clients                      | 14            |
| 2     | New admissions                   | 38            |
| 3     | Voluntary admission              | 0             |
| 4     | In voluntary admission           | 38            |
| 5     | Total number of clients          | 52            |
| 6     | Outreach                         | 140           |
| 7     | Hospital Emergency               | 2             |
| 8     | Shifted to another home          | 21            |
| 9     | Reintegration                    | 31            |
| 10    | Left the ward without intimation | 5             |

## MOTHER AND CHILD CARE

Early childhood development has always been one of the key areas of intervention by NAWA among the tribal people. Learning, interaction, stimulation, affection and security needs of young children are responded to by the network of crèches established in tribal areas.

Apart from learning through play activities supplementary nutrition is provided to the children under 5 year olds and pregnant and lactating mothers.

### BENEFICIARIES DETAILS :

| S. No. | Village                                 | Panchayat    | No. of Children | No. of Mothers |
|--------|---|--------------|-----------------|----------------|
| 1.     | Kolikarai                               | Kunjapanai   | 31              | 12             |
| 2.     | Kunjapanai                              | Kunjapanai   | 32              | 11             |
| 3.     | Garkiyure                               | Aracode      | 32              | 13             |
| 4.     | Semmanarai                              | Kengarai     | 27              | 7              |
| 5.     | Sundapatti/<br>Koovakarai&Vellaricombai | Kunjapanai   | 25              | 5              |
| 6.     | Mettukkal / Baviyure                    | Kengarai     | 35              | 7              |
| 7.     | Thalamokkai                             | Konavakarai  | 21              | 4              |
| 8.     | Arayure / Koilmattam                    | Kunjapanai   | 20              | 9              |
| 9.     | Paniya Colony                           | Cherangode   | 16              | 10             |
|        |   | <b>Total</b> | <b>239</b>      | <b>78</b>      |

The two of the crèches functioning at Vakkanamaram and Bangaladi are not functioning at present due the crèche buildings are much damaged.

The Administrator General and Official Trustee of Tamil Nadu, Chennai had donated Rs. 14,60,000 towards the renovation of the Garkiyure and Mettukkal Creche buildings and we are very much thankful for them.



## **INTEGRATED COMPLEX OF SPECIAL HOMES FOR SENIOR CITIZENS & DESTITUTE CHILDREN**

This special home is grant aided by the Govt. of Tamil Nadu through District Social Welfare Office. National Child Rights Committee, District Child Protection Unit (DCPU), Child Welfare Committee (CWC) and Juvenile Justice Board (JJB) monitors the functioning of the special homes regularly.

NAWA Special Home is grant aided by the Department of Social and Women Empowerment at 75:25 ratio between the Government and NAWA.

|                                       |      |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| Total strength at the old age home    | : 14 |
| Number of Senior Citizens inmates     | : 14 |
| Total strength at the children's Home | : 14 |
| Number of Destitute children inmates  | : 14 |

Sports competitions were conducted on behalf of Childline. Individual Prizes to the participants and carrom board was distributed.

Medical team from NAWA Hospital visit the home once in a week and examine every senior citizens and children and if required they are provide treatment at KTT Hospital.



## **VISITORS**

### **NUMBER OF DONORS SPONSORING FOOD ON SPECIAL OCCASIONS :154**

Donors are being sent the letter from NAWA office. Most of the donors sponsor 3-4 times in a year. Ms. Janaki Radhakrishnan from Kerada, Kotagiri has been delivering groceries worth Rs.3500 every month.

The Home Management Committee meeting was conducted once in every three months.

## EDUCATION :

### I. VICTORIA ARMSTRONG MEMORIAL NURSERY & PRIMARY SCHOOL

The school started the academic year 2022-2023 on 13<sup>th</sup> June with 170 students and 14 staff. Out of 170 students 115 students belonged to tribal communities. 7 teaching and 7 non-teaching staff supported the school.



Math Table, Thirukkural, General Knowledge Drawing, Essay writing and Hand Writing Assessments done once in three months



Parents-Teachers Meeting



“PARICHAY” and “MADHYAMA” Hindi exam & Certificate distribution.



Skill Development training Pottery making

### VISITORS



Thiru.Ajeya Kallam, IAS (Retd), Former Chief Secretary, Andhra Pradesh,



Shri.S.J.Chiru, IAS, Principal Secretary Social Welfare department, GoTN



Officers from National Lignite Corporation visit



Mr. Annadurai Tribal Director, Govt. of Tamil Nadu.

## II. NAWA COMMUNITY COLLEGE:

NAWA Community College is affiliated with Bharathiar University, Coimbatore since 2015 and is functioning successfully. The MOU with Bharathiar University Community College Consultancy Centre (BU-CCCC) for affiliation and recognition to conduct approved university courses was renewed upto October 2024.

### Six diploma courses approved by Bharathiar University are

1. One Year Diploma in Health Assistance
2. One Year Diploma in Naturopathy
3. One Year Diploma in Traditional Medicine
4. Diploma in DTP
5. Diploma in Accounts and Tally
6. Diploma in Office Automation.



Three medical related diploma courses i.e. Diploma in Health Assistance, Diploma in Naturopathy and Diploma in Traditional Medicine are conducted. Mainly focused on tribal students and enrol other community students also. 44% students are from various tribal communities.

Some of the students who successfully completed diploma courses are working in various hospitals in the Nilgiris, Coimbatore and Kerala with the help and guidelines of NCC.

37 students wrote the University exam and 11 students wrote NAWA Certificate Course exam along with University students conducted from 27.2.23 to 03.03.2023. University practical exams were also conducted for both Health Assistance and Naturopathy students.

This year, NCC has started one more course i.e. One year Diploma in Traditional Medicine. Thirty Seven students joined in this course and most of them are already practicing as Traditional Healers. These students are provided more knowledge on Human anatomy, physiology and medical micro biology to make them more professional.

Classes are conducted thrice in week regularly for the students at Kotagiri and Paniya Rehabilitation centre, Pandalur. Plans to conduct online classes for the outstation students will be initiated from this year onwards.

### OTHER ACTIVITIES IN NCC:

1. Provide information on job opportunity.
2. Leadership development classes.
3. Need based awareness programs.
4. Language and communication skill program.
5. Yoga classes
6. Career guidelines
7. Students and family counselling.
8. Overall basic general knowledge.
9. Helping them to continue in further education.





**FACULTIES:**

1. Dr. Poorani Ravichandran, M.D., D.G.O.,
2. Dr. R.Lakshman Bharathi, M.B.B.S., MPH
3. Dr. L.G.Saritha, B.A.M.S.,
4. Dr. K.Smitha, M.B.B.S.,
5. Dr. Subashini, M.B.B.S.,
6. Dr. Mumtaj, B.S.M.S.,
7. Mr. K.Vadivelu, MSW, BGL, MBA.



**GUEST FACULTIES:**

1. Dr. N.Saravanan, B.N.Y.S
2. Dr. K.Niranjana, B.N.Y.S,
3. Dr. S.Nhirupama, B.S.M.S,
4. Dr. Shri Venkatesh, B.S.M.S,
5. Dr. Surendran, M.B.B.S.,D.A.,

Successful record of courses and students since the beginning of NAWA Community college:

| S.No | Year    | Batch        | Course | No. Of Students admitted | University Exam written students | Pass                | Pass % |
|------|---------|--------------|--------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------|
| 1    | 2016-17 | I            | H.A    | 15                       | 11                               | 8                   | 73     |
| 2    | 2017-18 | II           | H.A    | 18                       | 11                               | 11                  | 100    |
| 3    | 2018-19 | III          | H.A    | 26                       | 20                               | 20                  | 100    |
| 4    | 2021-22 | IV           | H.A    | 20                       | 14                               | Waiting for result  |        |
| 5    | 2022-23 | V            | H.A    | 35                       | studying                         |                     |        |
| 6    | 2017-18 | I            | NP     | 14                       | 10                               | 10                  | 100    |
| 7    | 2018-19 | II           | NP     | 15                       | 11                               | 11                  | 100    |
| 8    | 2021-22 | III          | NP     | 18                       | 14                               | Waiting for result. |        |
| 9    | 2022-23 | IV           | NP     | 18                       | studying                         |                     |        |
| 10   | 2022-23 | I            | TM     | 37                       | studying                         |                     |        |
|      |         | <b>Total</b> |        | <b>216</b>               |                                  |                     |        |



### III. CHILDLINE KOTAGIRI

CHILDLINE India Foundation is a Non Government organization (NGO), functioning with the support of Ministry of Women and Child development, Govt.of India.

CHILDLINE protects children from any violence at home, school and public places. CHILDLINE India Foundation works with about 600 partners all over the country. It also works with allied organizations such as District Social Welfare Office (DSWO), Police department, District Child protection Unit(DCPU), Child welfare Committee (CWC), Juvenile Justice Board (JJB), Revenue Department, Health, Labour Welfare, Education Department etc.



#### The cases handled and intervened during the year:

| S. No | Type                | Total |
|-------|---------------------|-------|
| 1     | Child marriage      | 6     |
| 2     | Eve teasing         | 21    |
| 3     | Physical abuse      | 15    |
| 4     | School drop out     | 34    |
| 5     | Child missing       | 1     |
| 6     | Family issue        | 20    |
| 7     | Corporal punishment | 2     |

| S. No        | Type            | Total      |
|--------------|-----------------|------------|
| 8            | Child labour    | 18         |
| 9            | Begging         | 1          |
| 10           | Need Shelter    | 5          |
| 11           | Medical support | 1          |
| 12           | Runaway         | 1          |
| 13           | ESG             | 32         |
| <b>Total</b> |                 | <b>158</b> |



## **PANIYA REHABILITATION FARM CENTRE :**

Paniya Rehabilitation Farm, started in 1965, has progressed steadily during the year. Activities at the farm include cultivation of tea, pepper, ginger, food crops, fruit, medical and health care through a Golden Jubilee Hospital, Youth Resource Centre and a Crèche.



### **Activities undertaken during the year**

Pruning works for tea field areas.

Classes on Diploma in Health Assistance course (Community College).

Health camps at villages



## **NAWA TRIBAL MART- A UNIT OF NAWA MICRO TRUST**

Tribal Mart is operating in NAWA Head Office campus and it also serves to tribal villages.

The purpose of Tribal Mart is to procure products produced by tribes and sell them through Tribal Mart.

Through Tribal Mart, NAWA sells to people at less than market price to Hospitals, Balwadi, Home, Canteen and general public.



Vegetables and groceries are taken to the villages of Melkooppo, Kielkooppo, Kunjapanai, and the products for sales.

Tribal Mart packs and distributes essential nutrition health mix (dates, honey gooseberry, eggs, etc.) required for the Sickle Cell cases are sold at low prices.

Tribal handicrafts and produces like Kurumba Paintings, Toda embroidery and Pottery honey, pepper, etc. and sell them at good prices to help them to improve their livelihood.

Milk is distributed daily to VAMS, KTTH&Canteen.



## **LIVELIHOOD AND EMPOWERMENT:**

Running of a Rehabilitation Farm Colony since 1962 for formerly bonded Paniya tribal families at Kayunni, Pandalur taluk of the Nilgiris on the 104 acres of land alienated by the Tamil Nadu Government to NAWA.

Empowerment of tribal women through Self Help Groups (SHGs) and training men and women in entrepreneurship and capacity building.

Promotion of sports and skill development among tribal youth.

Preserving and promoting tribal arts and crafts and trainings on pottery, paintings, embroidery and other tribal crafts.

Representing development issues of the tribal people on wider platforms and collaborating with other agencies for resource mobilisation.

Establishing tea industries for Tribal tea growers and promoting Federations for livelihood.

## **REGISTRATION & AFFILIATIONS :**

|                            |          |   |
|----------------------------|----------|---|
| <b>Registration Number</b> | <b>:</b> | <b>14/58-Registered under Societies Reg. Act 1860</b> |
| <b>PAN Number</b>          | <b>:</b> | <b>AAATN2705K</b>                                     |
| <b>NGO Darpan ID</b>       | <b>:</b> | <b>TN/2009/0021814</b>                                |
| <b>MoTA - NGO ID</b>       | <b>:</b> | <b>TN/00000338</b>                                    |

---

## RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 2022-2023

| RECEIPTS  | Amount in Rs.         |
|---|-----------------------|
| <b>OPENING CASH AND BANK BALANCES</b>   | 31,56,671.06          |
| Loan Against FD   | 41,10,000.00          |
| FD realized   | 40,95,611.00          |
| GKD - Sickle Cell Programme   | 24,00,000.00          |
| General Donation  | 31,14,248.30          |
| Specific Donation By Admin General Chennai Court                                | 14,60,000.00          |
| Mrs. Rosaleen Mulji   | 1,50,000.00           |
| Foreign Donation  | 14,11,967.00          |
|   | 1,26,31,826.30        |
| <b>GRANTS</b>   |                       |
| Ministry of Tribal Affairs, (Medical Prog)                                      | 1,32,75,836.00        |
| Integrated Child Development Scheme, Chennai -Creche                            | 6,66,716.00           |
| ICMR - Neonatal Born Screening Project  | 26,26,486.00          |
| Ministry for Women and Child Development -Child Line<br>India Foundation        | 5,89,600.00           |
| Commissionerate of Social Welfare, Chennai - Special<br>Homes                   | 13,09,950.00          |
| NSIL - Naneer Gramma 2 project  | ,25,000.00            |
| NHM through DDHS for Tribal Mobile Outreach Services<br>& Sickle Cell Programme | 1,13,05,500.00        |
| <b>TO PANIYA FARM</b>   |                       |
| Sale of Farm Produce- Paniya Farm - others                                      | 5,72,145.00           |
| Receivable Advances   | 49,02,989.88          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>  | <b>5,56,72,720.24</b> |

## RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 2022-2023

| PAYMENTS   | Amount in Rs. |                       |
|--|---------------|-----------------------|
| <b>MEDICAL WORK:-</b>                            |               |                       |
| a) Kolikarai Hospital                            | 50,93,189.00  |                       |
| b) Arayure Bromley Hospital                      | 20,92,977.00  |                       |
| c) Kotagiri Town Tribal Hospital                 | 36,30,672.86  |                       |
| d) Mobile Medical Unit                           | 12,43,606.72  |                       |
| e) Karnataka Medical Unit (B.R. Hills Hospital)  | 17,90,319.00  |                       |
| f) Golden Jubilee Hospital                       | 24,44,561.00  |                       |
| g) Kunjapanai Dispensary                         | 13,77,786.00  | 1,76,73,111.58        |
| Mother and Child Care                            |               | 12,94,677.00          |
| Special Homes                                    |               | 22,54,864.00          |
| Paniya Farm                                      |               | 7,02,962.00           |
| National Health Mission Programmes – TMORS & SCA |               | 1,05,14,451.00        |
| ICMR - Neonatal Born Screening Project           |               | 33,90,122.00          |
| Childline Kotagiri                               |               | 5,40,176.00           |
| NAWA Community college                           |               | 1,52,251.00           |
| GKD - Sickle Cell Programme                      |               | 18,10,189.00          |
| Emergency Care and Recovery Centre               |               | 14,60,777.01          |
| <b>General</b>                                   |               |                       |
| Salary   | 1,19,172.00   |                       |
| Insurance Tax                                    | 29,000.00     |                       |
| French Sponsorship Programme                     | 1,68,400.00   |                       |
| Bank Charges                                     | 19,378.07     |                       |
| Creche Renovation work                           | 3,14,544.00   |                       |
| General Expenses                                 | 2,04,108.00   |                       |
| Nawa Sponsorship Programme                       | 3,60,710.00   |                       |
| Subscription/Gratuity                            | 50,000.00     | 12,65,312.07          |
| <b>Loan to VAM School</b>                        |               | 13,32,582.00          |
| Fixed Deposits                                   |               | 53,59,995.00          |
| Less Expenses Payable                            |               | 59,58,847.39          |
| Closing cash and bank balances                   |               | 19,36,261.69          |
| General Account                                  |               | 25,333.50             |
| ChildFund India                                  |               | 808.00                |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                                     |               | <b>5,56,72,720.24</b> |

**APPENDIX - I****Donation for Specific Purpose From Individual and Groups**

| S.No | Donor Name   | Country        | Purpose   | Amount in Rupees |
|------|--|----------------|---|------------------|
| 1    | Nilgiris Adivasi Trust   | United Kingdom | Higher Education Scholarship for Tribal Students                    | 9,95,000         |
| 2    | Mr.Peter Martin  | Australia      | Development of Toda Embroidery Artisans and Toda Students Education | 4,16,967         |
| 3    | Mr.P.Sivakumar   | India          | Uniforms for School Children  | 1,09,200         |
| 4    | Donations by 154 individuals(India) for food for inmates at the Integrated Complex of Special Homes For Senior Citizens and Destitute Children |                |   | 4,73,938         |

**APPENDIX - II****Donation for General Purpose From Individual and Groups**

| S.No | Donar Name  | Country | Amount - IN Rs. |
|------|---|---------|-----------------|
| 1    | Mr. R.Venugopal   | India   | 1,000           |
| 2    | Dr.Shanmugam  | India   | 6,000           |
| 3    | Mr.Suresh Belliraj                                      | India   | 10,000          |
| 4    | District Munsif cum Judicial Magistrate Court - Coonoor | India   | 33,462          |
| 5    | Mr.Somasundharam  | India   | 50,000          |
| 6    | Mr.Thajudeen  | India   | 10,000          |
| 7    | Mrs.K.Madhumadhi  | India   | 2,400           |
| 8    | Dr.M.Shanmugham   | India   | 5,500           |



**Donation for Specific Purpose  
From Individual and Groups**

| <b>S. No.</b> | <b>Donor Name</b>      | <b>Country</b> | <b>Purpose</b>  | <b>Amount in Rupees</b> |
|---------------|------------------------|----------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1.            | Nilgiris Adivasi Trust | United Kingdom | Higher Education Scholarship for tribal students                    | 9,95,000                |
| 2.            | Peter Martin Mr.       | Australia      | Development of Toda Embroidery Artisans and Toda Students education | 4,16,967                |

**Donation for General Purpose  
From Individual and Groups**

| <b>S.No</b> | <b>Donor Name</b>                               | <b>Country</b> | <b>Amount in Rs.</b> |
|-------------|---|----------------|----------------------|
| 1.          | Judicial Court Coonoor                          | India          | 34,462               |
| 2.          | Trainee Students from various colleges in India | India          | 2,22,250             |
| 3.          | Mr. Suresh Mr.                                  | India          | 5,000                |
| 4.          | Venugopal Mr.                                   | India          | 1,000                |

## MANAGING COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2022 - 2023

### OFFICERS

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| President             | : Dr. M. Shanmugham (Kota Tribe)       |
| Vice Presidents       | : Mr. Surjith K Chaudhary IAS          |
| Vice Presidents       | : Mr. M. Gujjan (Irula Tribe)          |
| Secretary             | : Dr. M. Alwas, D.Let. (Toda Tribe)    |
| Treasurer             | : Mr. Kamto N.Subramaniya (Kota Tribe) |
| Hony. Joint Secretary | : Mr. M. Mani (Irula Tribe)            |

### MEMBERS

|                                |                      |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| Mr. K.Lakshmanan               | (Kurumba Tribe)      |
| Mr. B. Bomman                  | (Bettakurumba Tribe) |
| Mrs. M. Lalitha                | (Kattunaikka Tribe)  |
| Mr. T. Kumaresh                | (Toda Tribe)         |
| Mr. R. Jagadeesh Senthil Kumar | (Kota Tribe)         |
| Mr. S. Sadayan                 | (Paniya Tribe)       |
| Mr. C. Velutha                 | (Paniya Tribe)       |
| Mr. K. Chandran                | (Kattunaikka Tribe)  |

### EX-OFFICIO TRIBAL MEMBERS

|                        |                |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Mr. G. Jemmai          | (Irula Tribe)  |
| Mrs.Manjula            | (Irula Tribe)  |
| Mr. Mantheshkuttan     | (Toda Tribe)   |
| Mrs. Vasamalli Pothili | (Toda Tribe)   |
| M. Meenraj             | (Toda Tribe)   |
| Mrs. M. Bommi          | (Bettakurumba) |
| Mr. K. Singaravel      | (Kota Tribe)   |
| Mr. K. Kambattan       | (Kota Tribe)   |
| Mr. M. Mahadevan       | (Kota Tribe)   |
| Mr. Saravanan          | (Paniya Tribe) |

#### Director (Education)

Mr.K.Vijayakumar, B.Sc., DSSA.  
O.D. (Oxford UK), RDM, Philippines.

#### Administrative Advisor

Mr. V. Prabakaran, M.A., B.G.L., MBA

#### Director (Resources)

Mr. Na. Mathavan, Ms. Software

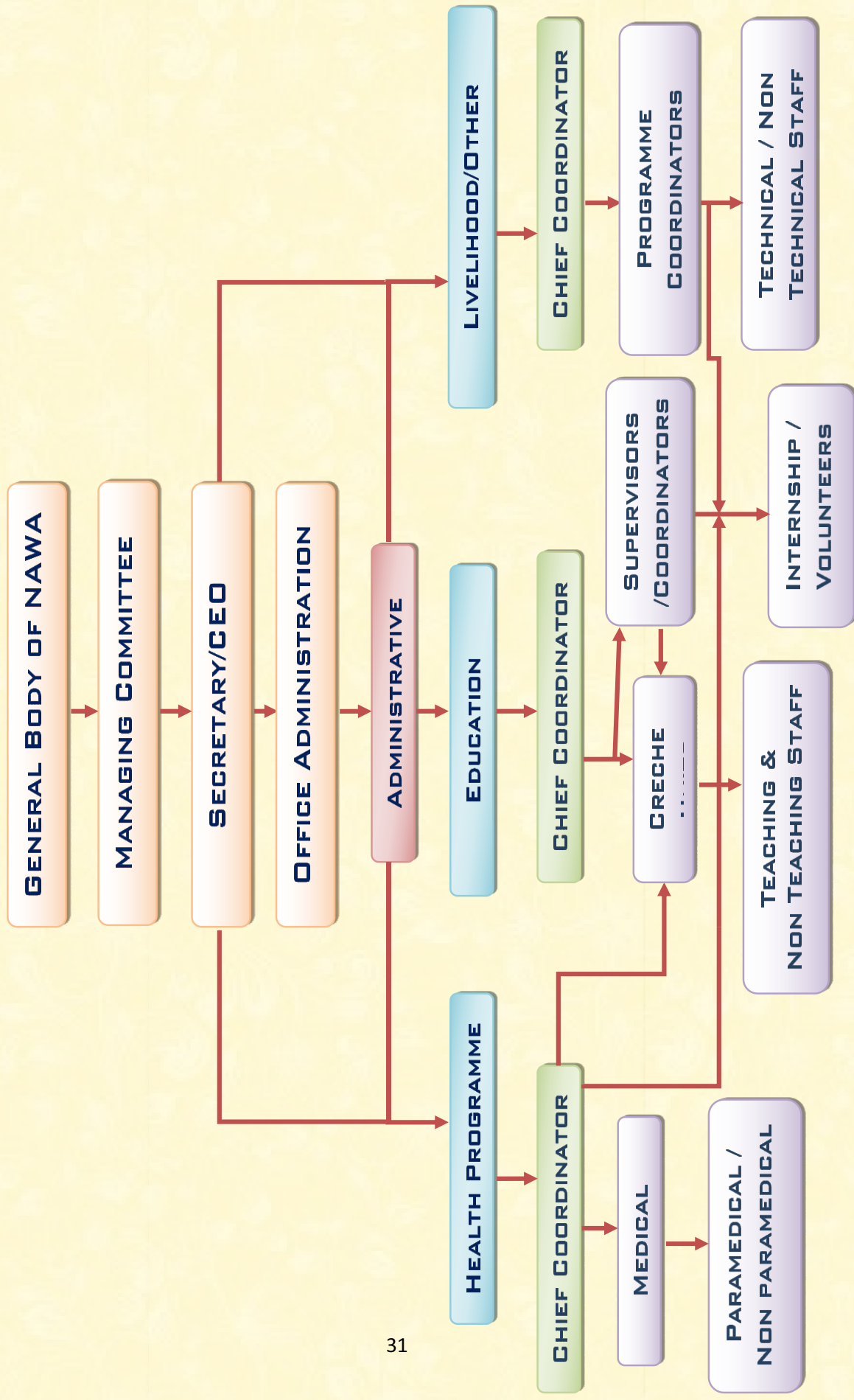
#### NAWA Advisory Board :

Dr. G.A. Rajkumar, IAS (R), Retd. Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Tamil Nadu  
Dr. C.K. Sreedaran, IFS, Retd. Principal Chief Conservator of Forest, Tamil Nadu.  
Mrs. Rosaleen Mulji, U.K. Chairperson, Overseas Committee.  
Dr. K.K. Krishnamurthi, MBA, Ph.D., Dean (Retd.) Tamil Nadu Agricultural University  
Mr. S. Ravi Shankar, MBA, Arbitration Lawyer, Supreme Court of India.

#### NAWA Tribal Mission Advisors :

Dr. N. Jeyakumar, Chennai  
Mr. B. Guruva Reddy, Hyderabad  
Mr. M.R. Ramsamy, Coimbatore  
Mr. Srinivasan Raghavan, Bangalore  
Mr. S. Balasubramaniam, Chennai

# ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE



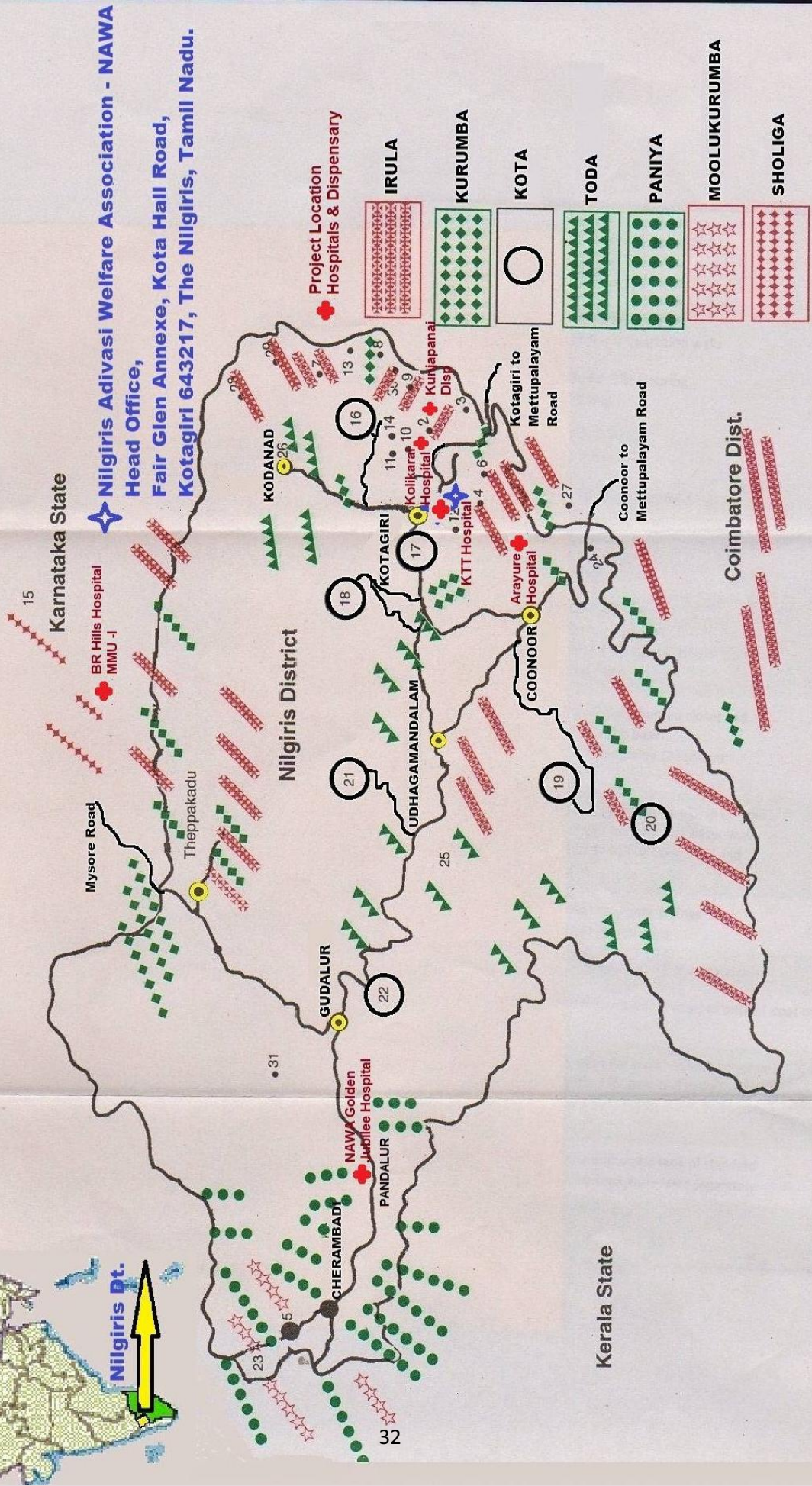
**MAP SHOWING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE NILGIRIS ADIVASI WELFARE ASSOCIATION**



INDIA

Nilgiris Dt.

**Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association - NAWA**  
**Head Office,**  
**Fair Glen Annexe, Kota Hall Road,**  
**Kotagiri 643217, The Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu.**



### **Location of the Project :**

NAWA's main headquarters is based at Kotagiri manages the VII ongoing projects aided by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs. The ongoing projects are functioning in the below mentioned locations :

- |                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>Scheme - I</b>   | Kolikarai Hospital<br>Kolikarai Tribal Village, Kunjapanai Post, The Nilgiris.   |
| <b>Scheme - II</b>  | Arayure Hospital,<br>Arayure Tribal Village, Mullur Post, The Nilgiris.  |
| <b>Scheme - III</b> | NAWA Golden Jubilee Tribal Hospital,<br>Paniya Rehabilitation Farm Colony, Kayyuni Post, Pandalur Taluk,<br>The Nilgiris.          |
| <b>Scheme – IV</b>  | Kunjapannai Dispensary,<br>Kunjapanai Tribal Hospital, Kunjapanai Post, The Nilgiris.  |
| <b>Scheme - V</b>   | Kotagiri Town Tribal Hospital,<br>NAWA Headquarters Campus,<br>Fair Glen Annexe, Kota Hall Road, Kotagiri – 643 217, The Nilgiris. |
| <b>Scheme – VI</b>  | Mobile Medical Unit-I,<br>Functioning from NAWA HQ,<br>Fair Glen Annexe, Kota Hall Road, Kotagiri – 643 217, The Nilgiris.         |
| <b>Scheme – VII</b> | Karnataka Medical Unit (BR Hills Hospital),<br>Biligiri Rangan Hills Post,<br>Via Chamraj Nagar, Mysore District, Karnataka.       |

**Donations to help N.A.W.A.'s work can be sent to:**

Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association,  
Fair Glen Annexe, Kota Hall Road,  
Kotagiri 643217,  
The Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu,  
India.

**Foreign Donation :**

By means of any foreign Cheque drawn in favour of NAWA or BY MAIL TRANSFER TO OUR CURRENT ACCOUNT No. **40221300856, STATE BANK OF INDIA (IFSC SBIN0000691, Swift – SBININBB104), 11 Sansad Marg, New Delhi 110 001, India**

**Indian Donation :**

By means of any Indian cheque drawn in favour of NAWA or BY MAIL TRANSFER TO OUR CURRENT ACCOUNT No. **11268270313 STATE BANK OF INDIA, KOTAGIRI, THE NILGIRIS**

Indian Donations are exempted from Income Tax under Section 80-G of the Income Tax Act 1961.

---

To,  
The Secretary,  
Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association  
Fair Glen Annexe, Kota Hall Road,  
Kotagiri 643217,  
The Nilgiris, Tamil Nadu,  
India.

Name of Donor :  
Address :  
I enclose my donation of \_\_\_\_\_ by Cheque / Draft in favour of "The Nilgiris Adivasi Welfare Association".

---

**European/Foreign Donation**

To,  
The Trustee,  
Nilgiris Adivasi Trust (NAT)  
Crawlboys Farmhouse,  
Ludgershall, Wiltshire SP119PN  
United Kingdome

Name of Donor :  
Address :  
I enclose my donation of \_\_\_\_\_ by Cheque / Draft in favour of "The Nilgiris Adivasi Trust".

## **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

We convey our warm thanks to Government of India, Government of Tamil Nadu, our friends in India and abroad for their encouragement and help during the year.

We also acknowledge with gratitude and appreciation, for the help during the year from:-

National Health Mission, Tamil Nadu for their continued support.

The Collector of the Nilgiris, the District Officers and all the staff from government departments, Executive Director, Tea Board, Project Director, SADP, Joint Director of Horticulture, Head & Scientist of Indian Institute of Soil and Water Conservation who have worked with us.

Lead Bank, ASSETTI, Canara Bank and other Bank Officials.

Deputy Director of Health Service, Ooty for supply of Polio Vaccines and other materials for the Pulse Polio Immunisation Programme.

Mrs. Rosaleen Mulji and her family for allowing us to use their Kotagiri Bungalow for our many visiting donors over many years.

The President and Director of Franco India Pharmaceuticals Ltd., Mumbai for many valuable gifts of their products for use in all our medical centres.

Officials and Scientists of Indian Society for Certification of Organic Products (ISCOP)

Mr. S. Balasubramanian and his family members for their support to tribal children through "Save Poor Lives"

Professor P.A. Subramanian and his family members from Coimbatore for their continuous support.

Mr.P. Sivakumar, Managing Director, Sivakami Estate for his continuous support.

The Administrator General and Official Trustee of Tamil Nadu, Chennai

Mr. Srinivasan Raghavan, Bangalore for his continuous support.

Friends of Hope, UK for their continuous support.

Lawrence Public School, Ooty – Flood relief support at PRF Colony

All the staff of NAWA /All Tribal Leaders / Common public and donors.

