

Department of Indigenous Medicine

1. History and Background

One Provincial Ayurvedic Hospital, 2 District Ayurvedic Hospitals 2 Rural Hospitals, 25 Central Ayurvedic Dispensaries are functioning under the Department of Indigenous Medicine, Eastern Province. 9 Free Ayurvedic Dispensaries are functioning under the Local Government.

According to the Statistics after the establishment of District Ayurvedic Hospital about 60 - 75 % of the populations in the Eastern province obtain indigenous medical treatment. Further 20 – 30 % of the populations obtain treatment from free Ayurvedic Dispensaries and Traditional Physicians.

We proudly and pleasantly say that same objective and Constrain of the past year Overcome has as achievements with the support of Ministry of Health, Eastern Province.

VISION :

Provide positive Health to the people through primary Health care Activities & Curative treatment.

MISSION :

Formulate & Improve Policies and programmes to maintain A Healthy society through Nutrition habits and Lifestyle according to Indigenous Medical concept.

OBJECTIVE :

(a) General Objective

To Provide better health care service to the people of the Eastern Province by treating with Herbal Medicine.

(b) Specific Objectives

- Promote herbal health care activities in all hospitals.
- Promote herbal awareness health activities.
- Promote herbal Drug Manufacture.

- Promote herbal Research activity.
- Improve herbal health care service through special clinics.
- To improve the infrastructure Facilities for better Herbal health care service.

Function :

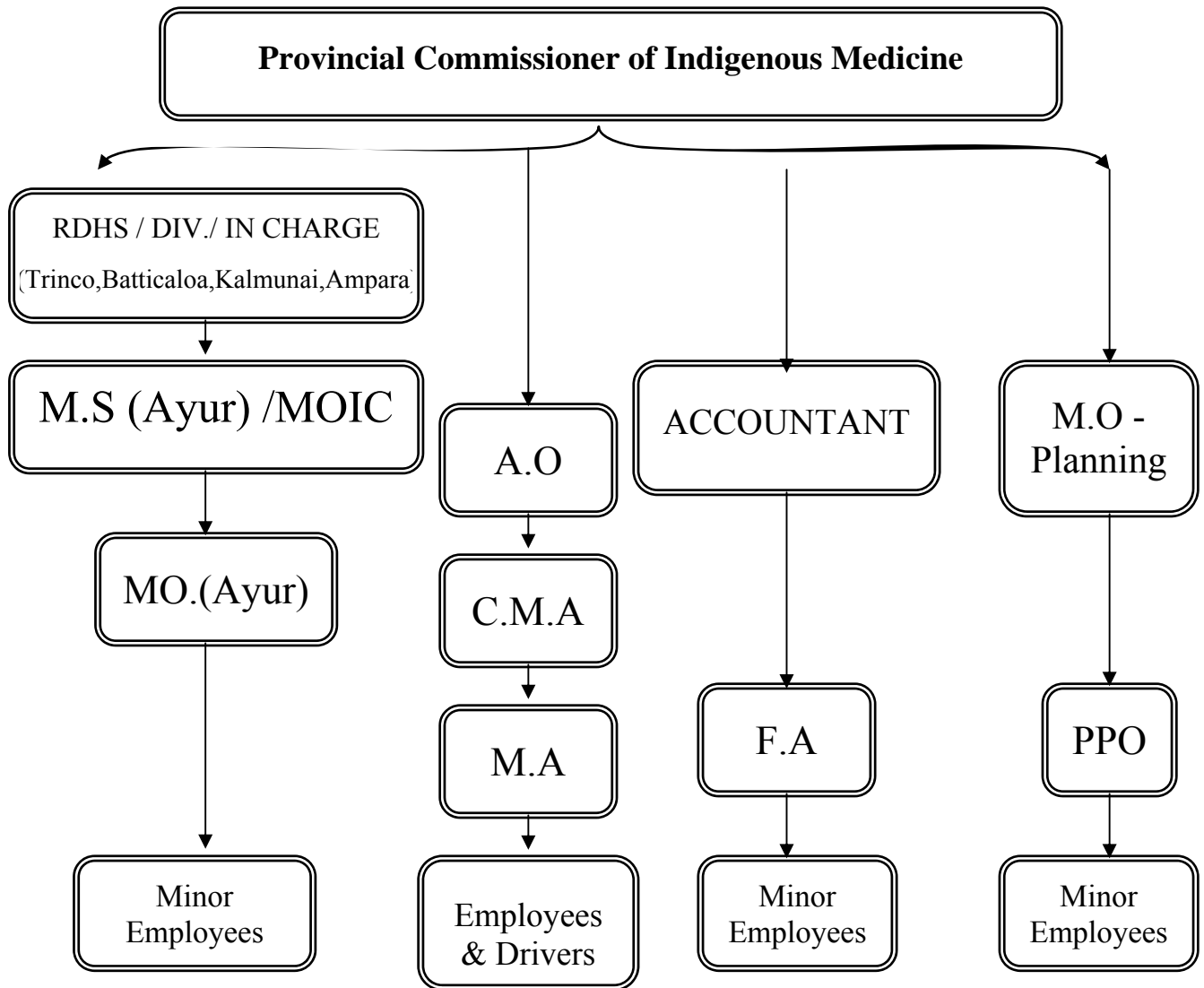
The role of provincial directorate of Indigenous medicine is the Executive management of the Indigenous medical services under the Health ministry through the patient care services and community Natural Health Services. The entire provincial Indigenous medical services are governed by each respective R.D.H.S offices and Division office.

2. Human Resources

Approved Cadre for Department of Indigenous Medicine – (Head office)

S. No	Designation	Agreed Cadre
1	Provincial Commissioner	1
2	Medical Superintendent	1
3	Accountant	1
4	Administrative Officer	1
5	Ayurveda Health Educator	1
6	Management Assistant	10
7	Programme Assistant (Gen)	3
8	Programme Assistant (IM)	15
9	Data Entry Operator	2
10	Office Aide	2
11	Driver	2
12	Watcher	1
13	Sanitary Laborer	1
	Total	41

3. Management Arrangement Chart



3.1. AYURVEDIC INSTITUTIONS OF EASTERN PROVINCE

District	Institution
TRINCOMALEE	DAH / KAPPALTHURAI
	RAH / NILAVELI
	CAD / MUTTUR
BATTICALOA	DAH / PUTHUKKUDIYIRUPPU
	CAD / KALLADY
	CAD / ERAVUR
	CAD / PORATHIVU
	CAD / MANCHANTHODUVAI
	CAD / ODDAMAVADY
AMPARA	CAD / ONTHACHCHEMADAM
	DAH / AMPARA
	CAD / SANTHUNPURA
	CAD / SRIPURA
	CAD / WERANKOTUGODA
KALMUNAI	CAD / NAWAMEDAGAMA
	CAD / PATHIATHALAVA
	RAH / ADDALAICHCHENAI
	CAD / SAMMANTHURAI
	CAD / THIRUKKOVIL
	CAD / NINTHAVUR
	CAD / AKKARAIPATHU
	CAD / IRAKKAMAM
	CAD / POTHUVIL

3.2. Curative CARE Services

Type of Institution	Location	No of Beds	Providing Service
Provincial Ayurvedic Hospital	Ampara	20	OPD IDD
District Ayur. Hospital / Batticaloa	Puthukkudiyeruppu	20	OPD IDD
District Ayur. Hospital / Trincomalee	Trincomalee	20	OPD
Rural Ayur. Hospital / Addalaichanai	Addalaichchenai	8	IDD

Rural Ayur. Hospital /Nilaveli	Nilaveli	---	IDD
CAD / Muttur	Muthur	---	OPD
CAD / Ninthavur	Ninthavur	---	OPD
CAD / Kallady	Kallady	---	OPD
CAD / Eravur	Eravur	---	OPD
CAD / Porathivu	Porathivu	---	OPD
CAD / Manchanthoduv ai	Manchanthoduvai	---	OPD
CAD / Oddamavady	Oddamavady	---	OPD
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CAD / Santhunpura	Santhunpura	---	OPD
CAD / Sripura	Sripura	---	OPD
CAD / Verankatugoda	Verankatugoda	---	OPD
CAD / Nawamedagama	Nawamedagama	---	OPD
CAD / Oluvil	Oluvil	---	OPD
CAD / Sammanthurai	Sammanthurai	---	OPD
CAD / Ninthavur	Ninthavur	---	OPD
CAD / Thirukkovil	Thirukkovil	---	OPD
CAD / Akkaraipathu	Akkaraipathu	---	OPD
CAD / Irakkamam	Irakkamam	---	OPD
CAD / Pothuvil	Pothuvil	---	OPD

3.3. Numbers of Ayurvedic Medical Institution

District	Provincial Hospital	District Hospital	Rural Hospital	CAD
Ampara	1		1	15
Batticaloa		1		6
Trincomalee		1	1	1
Total	1	2	2	22

4. Special Activities

1. Special Panchakarma Therapy is providing in DAH/ Kappalthurai from 2007.
2. Special Acupuncture Therapy is providing in DAH/ Kappalthurai from 2007.

4.1 Preventive Care Service

4.1.1. Awareness Programme

Activities	Trincomalee	Batticaloa	Ampara
School Health Education Programme	10	8	8
Nutritional Programme for School Students	12	5	6

4.1.2. MOBILE CLINICS

Institution	Location
DAH/Kappalthurai	1. Muthur
	2. Kinnia
	3. Vanela
	4. Gomarankandawala
RAH/Nilaveli	1. Pulmoddai
	2. Kuchaveli
	3. Nilaveli
DAH/Batticaloa	1. Vaharai

DAH/Ampara

1. Thehiyathakandiya
2. Ninthavur
3. Oluvil

5. Planning & Research Unit.

The major activities carried as follows.

1. Collecting & maintaining Indigenous sector data for provincial needs.
2. Preparation of annual implementation of herbal health care programmes.
3. Preparation of research and development programmes.
4. Preparation of 5 year development plan for and Indigenous sector.
5. Publication of Indigenous Medical books and Journals.
6. Preparation of annual mobile clinical services.
7. Preparation of annual statistical hand book.
8. Preparation of Administration report.
9. Preparation of foreign funded project proposals.
10. Arrange seminar & Training programme for Indigenous Medical Staff.

6. Resources Status

6.1. Physical Resources

1. No permanent building facility for PDIM office.
2. DAH / Kappalthurai Ward Building, is under Construction.
3. DAH / Ampara, and DAH / Batticaloa Ward Building have completed.
4. Drug manufacturing unit building, and Panchakarma unit building are under Construction.
5. Rural Ayurvedic Hospital Ward Building, is under Construction
PSDG and NECORD fund is allocated to construct above buildings.

6.2. Financial Resource

Inadequate allocation of capital expenditure is major problem to construct the above building

6.2.1. FINANCIAL RESOURCES - CBG

Year	Allocation	EP	Percentage
2007	1.256 Mn (But 0.256 Mn only granted by Provincial Treasury E.P).	0.256 Mn	100%

6.2.2. FINANCIAL RESOURCES – PSDG

2007	12.5 Mn (But 5.5 Mn only granted by Provincial Treasury E.P.)	5.5 Mn	100 %
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8. ACHIEVEMENTS

8.1. Trincomalee

- Procurement of one lorry for DMU on 30.03.2007 By NECORD Project.
- Procurement one Van for Mobil Clinics on 20.04.2007 By NECORD Project.
- Panchakarma unit building was constructed in Kappalthurai in progress by TIIP project.
- Drug Manufacturing Unit building was constructed in Kappalthurai in Progress.
- Construction of Rural Hospital ward building at Nilaveli was started.

- Construction of Pharmacy building was completed in DAH/ Kappalthurai building was opened on 29.09.2007
- 26 MO Cadres, 26 Dispensers Cadres, 26 Laborers cadres obtained for 26 Central Ayurvedic Dispensaries in Eastern Province.
- Construction of CAD ward building at Kinniya was approved by TIIP Project

Construction works - 2007

District	Activities	Progress	Source of Fun
Trincomalee	Cons. of Ward building DAH/Kappalthurai	Work in progress	PSDG
Trincomalee	Cons. of Drug Manufacturing Unit building DAH/Kappalthurai	Work in progress	PSDG
Trincomalee	Cons. of Panchakarma Unit building / Kappalthurai	Work in progress	NECORD
Trincomalee	Cons. of RAH / Ward building Nilaveli	Work in progress	TIIP

8.2. Amparai

- Establishment of Central Ayurvedic Dispensaries in Ampara.
CAD/ Pathiyathalawa on 15.02.2007
CAD/ Akkaraipattu on 12.10.2007
CAD/ Irakkamam
CAD/ Pothuvil
CAD/ Oluvil
CAD/ Ninthavur

- New Hospital Building was completed in rural hospital Addalaichchenai. This RAH was Opened on 24.08.2007 under eastern rehabilitation fund.
- New ward was opened in DAH, Ampara by NECORD Project.

8.3. Batticaloa

- Medical officers Quarters building was Constructed in DAH/ Batticaloa in Progress by TAARP Project
- Renovation of MOIC'S quarters was completed at Puthukkudiyiruppu by TAARP project
- Renovation of CAD/ Kallady was completed at Kallady by TAARP Project.

9. Special Activities Training Programme for staff of Indigenous Medicine

Development Programme

- Creation of units in each District Ayurvedic Hospitals
 - I. Establishment of Special clinics
 - II. Establishment of Panchakarma Unit
 - III. Establishment of Herbal Garden
- Establishment of New CAD in Trinco, Batticaloa and Ampara District.
- Establishment of Training and Development Centre.
- Establishment of Research and Development Centre.
- Establishment of Drug manufacturing unit in each District.
- Establishment of District Administrative office in each District.
- Upgrading of District Ayurvedic Hospital Teaching Ayurvedic Hospital.

1. Computer Training for Management assistants and Programme Assistants
2. Language Skills for Management assistants, Programme Assistants and Minor Employees.
3. Induction Training for Management assistants, Programme Assistants, and Medical Officers
4. Office Administration for Programme Assistants.

Selected CAD into Upgrading RAH

1. Amparai District

CAD/Addalaichchanai ⇨ RAH/Addalaichchanai Work in progress

2. Trincomalee District

CAD/Nilaveli ⇨ RAH/Nilaveli Work in progress

10. Problems and Constraints

1. Inadequate allocation of Capital Expenditure and delay imprest replacement
2. No Network link between Provincial Indigenous Department and local Authority.
3. No Transport Facility for the patient care Services in Provincial Hospital and District hospitals.
4. In adequate training and Development for medical and Non Medical Staff
5. Inadequate transport facility for Purchase of Drugs in Each district.

Remarks :

1. Increase Capital Expenditure
2. Provision of Ambulance in each hospital.
3. Provision of lorry in for purchasing Medicine in each district.