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(എ)	ദേശീയ മനുഷ്യാവകാശ കമ്മീഷൻ ആദിവാസി മേഖലയിലെ ശിശുമരണ തെക്കെറിച്ച് 05.07.2013 ന് മുമ്പായി റിപ്പോർട്ട് സമർപ്പിക്കാൻ ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടിട്ടുണ്ടോ ;	(എ)	ഉണ്ട്
(ബി)	കമ്മീഷൻ നിശ്ചയിച്ച സമയ പരിധിക്കുള്ളിൽ റിപ്പോർട്ട് നൽകുകയുണ്ടായോ ; പ്രസ്തുത റിപ്പോർട്ടിന്റെ ഒരു പകർപ്പ് ലഭ്യമാക്കാമോ ?	(ബി)	ഇല്ല. സമയപരിധി കഴിഞ്ഞതിനുശേഷം നൽകിയ റിപ്പോർട്ടിന്റെ പകർപ്പ് ഉള്ളടക്കം ചെയ്യുന്നു.


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Report on the steps taken at Attappady in the wake of the reported neo-natal deaths.

In the wake of the neo-natal deaths among the tribals of Attappady area the state Government have identified the chief areas namely Nutritions, Medical Aid and Drinking Water and took steady and comprehensive steps to address the issue.

Health Department, National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) Social Justice Department and Scheduled Tribes Development Department jointly conducted an intensive health survey of the whole area and admitted those Scheduled Tribes who needed inpatient treatment in the Tribal Super Specialty Hospital, Kottathara. Simultaneously Scheduled Tribes Development Department distributed food grain packet of 10Kg rice and 2 Kg. green grams each to the entire 10873 tribal families.

A medical camp was conducted at the Tribal Super Specialty Hospital at Kottathara on 20/4/2013 and 849 patients were identified for regular treatment. They were provided with sufficient medicines and are under the constant and close observation of Mobile Medical units functioning there. In the three Grama panchayats of Attappady block one medical unit each is functioning on full swing.

NRHM had started distribution of medicine kits in all the three panchayats through ASHA workers. Iron and folic acid tablets are being administered diligently through them. All such centres are replenished with essential medicines.

National RHM had appointed 4 staff nurses and a Gynecologist who is trained in scanning at Super Specialty Hospital. Besides that 2 staff nurses have been appointed at community Health Centre, Agali.

Social Justice Department had started distribution of milk, egg and fruits through Anganwadies. The distribution of SAFALA kits had been resumed after an interruption of 2 year. The Anganwadi workers do house visits on all afternoons to interact with the entire tribal population of the area. All Anganwadis are put under control of welfare committees headed by concerned

Grama Panchayat ward members and food baskets are being distributed by Civil Supplies Department directly to Anganwadis.

MGNREGS has kicked off its schemes in all the three Panchayats. The wage arrears of Rs. 25 lakhs has been distributed.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister convened a meeting on 25/4/2013 to take stock of the situation and to chalk out ways to further improve the situation by jointed efforts of the various Government Department. The following actions have been taken by the various government department in the light of the directions / decisions taken in the meeting.

1. A nutrition rehabilitation centre has started functioning at Agali.
2. 38 additional posts have been created in the health sector. A blood bank has started functioning in the Kottathara Super Specialty Hospital.
3. Two special Anganwadies have been started at Palappada and Kinattinkara settlements, which will benefit children from Palappada , Kinattinkara and Murugalia
4. Proposals for setting up three new Ashram Schools in ITDP Attappady, a Pre-metric hostel for girls at Pudur and a Post -metric hostel for boys at Agali have been taken up with Government of India for approval.
5. Government have issued orders sanctioning the revised estimate of Rs. 6,53,11,192/- for completing the construction of the second phase of the hundred bedded Super Specialty Hospital for tribes of Attappady .
6. The service of mobile maveli shop (under the Civil Supplies Department) if being extended to selected accessible areas. Ragi and pulses are being Maveli stores.
7. Started community kitchen in 71 settlements. The supply of complementary food to pregnant women lactating mothers, adolescents and children of 1 to 6 age group has been intensified.