

- Social Advocacy
- Procuring Government Assistance
- Campaign against Stigma and Discrimination
- Remarriage / reunion among discordant couples
- Travel assistance
- Vocational Guidance
- Advocacy Seminars / Conference
- Organizing Festivals / Functions
- Facilitating Community Support Groups
- Mobilizing local resources for poverty reduction



### Future Action Plan:

- Prevention of HIV infection
- Promotion of self reliance among PLHIV Widows / destitute
- Vocational Training / skill development of PLHIV
- Promotion of Micro Entrepreneurs among PLHIV
- Ensuring Fundamental Education for HIV Infected / affected Children
- Continued Health Care services for all PLHIV
- Provision of Home Care for HIV orphans and invalid

### Implementing Organization:

ISLAND TRUST™ which stands for Indo Sri Lankan Development Trust was founded in July 1984 in Tamil Nadu, South India to render succor, relief and love to the displaced Tamil Repatriates from Sri Lanka.

IT has completed 26 years of dedicated service in developing the capacity of its target groups in Nilgiris district in order to make them attain overall development.

IT has been extending care and support services to People Living with HIV / AIDS since 2004. Island Trust was prompted to take up care & support services because of its direct experience with PLHIV in its working villages. IT has adopted Prevention, Care and Support and Promotion of Self Reliance among PLHIV in the Nilgiris District.

IT receives project support from the Tamil Nadu State AIDS control Society and AIDS Prevention and Control Project for the implementation of Community Care Centre project and Prevention Education in 120 villages in Nilgiris district.



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# Island Trust Community Care Centre

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Community Care Centre (CCC) of Island Trust 'Anbagam' (home of love) is where Persons Living with HIV/AIDS enjoys out-patient and Inpatient care, protection, affection and develops a memorable relationship.

## Services

### Treatment and patient management

- In-patient and Out Patient service
- Consultation of illnesses related to HIV/AIDS
- Comprehensive care for prevention & treatment of OI
- Medical Monitoring for the side effects and tolerance to ART regimen



### Counseling

- Counseling for treatment Adherence; Treatment literacy.
- Couple Counseling.
- Counseling for infant feeding.
- Reproductive health counseling
- Nutritional Counseling
- Positive living and positive prevention.
- Home Based Car



### Home Based Care

- Outreach for follow up of PLHIV for ART adherence.
- Trace and retrieve defaulters.
- Transportation to referral centers.
- Facilitation of home based care.
- Coordination with referral centre for support.



### Other Support and services:

- Support for PLHIV who face social rejection.
- Recreational facilities
- Advocacy with various stakeholders.
- Support them for their Income Generation
- Link with legal services.
- Linkage of PLHIV with PLHIV / peer support networks.
- Promote income generation and self help groups.
- Facilitate PLHIV to access available resources from government and NGOs.
- Creating linkages between other service providers and patients for personal development.



### Milestones:

- Care and Support Extended:
- Home Based services to 366 PLHIV
- PLHIV served in CCC = 305
  - Male = 122
  - Female = 166
  - Male Child = 08
  - Female Child = 08
  - Trans Gender = 01
- # Widows = 72
- # Widowers = 07
- # Affected Children = 150

### Special Medical care for other than OI and HIV

- Myalgia with Retina
- Chronic Abscess in both the chest
- Fungal Infection in the lower Abdomen
- Bacterial Infection
- Family Planning operation

### Social Support:

- Carry Home Nutritional supplement Bag with Cereals and food materials
- Educational Assistance to Children Infected & Affected
- Income Generation Assistance to Positive Widows /destitute
- Repair / renovation of houses
- Promotion of employment

