FAQ Tribes

1. What are the additional support given from Kudumbashree for Tribal NHGs?

Ans.

- Tribal NHG’s affiliation fees and registration fee are less than by compare of general NHGs.
- Bank linkage is not necessary for availing Matching grant. But Grading must be pass.
- One time free distribution of all register books and members pass book.
- All tribal NHGs are eligible for a one time corpus fund of Rs 10000/- after completion of affiliation.
- Tribal NHG’s Audit fee also relaxed.
- Ensure the book keeper’s support for the illiterate NHGs as per the demand.

2. What are the condition of form a Tribal special ADS?

Ans.

There must be minimum two tribal NHGs in a ward to form a Tribal ADS. If the ward have more than 80% of NHGs are tribal NHGs then the ADS automatically a tribal ADS.

3. What are the conditions to form a tribal JLGs and what additional support they eligible?

Ans.

- All Members must be tribal women.
- Tribal JLG’s are eligible for a one time corpus fund of Rs.4000/- for the common purpose.
- Tribal Development department fund can also mobilize for tribal JLG’s.

4. What additional support given from Kudumbashree to form a Tribal ME?

Ans.

- A start-up cost of Rs50000/- given after form a tribal ME.
- Giving a stipend for tribal trainees during the completion of skill training.
- Support from other financial institutions like SCST Development Corporation also ensure.
- Eligibility for getting the support from Tribal development department.

5. Where Kudumbashree initiated special focus on tribal interventions with a convergent action.

Ans.
In Attappady area of Palakkad district, Kudumbashree initiated and started a comprehensive Tribal development and particularly vulnerable tribal group development project. In which there should be form exclusive Adivasi Women’s collectives for regenerating agriculture for food security, economic sustainability and self-reliance.

The same model activities replicated to other three district called Aralam (Kannur), Thirunelly (Wayanad) and Nilamboor (Malppuram).

6. How many categories of tribes listed under primitive tribes in Kerala? What support Kudumbashree giving for them?

Ans.

5 categories are listed in PVTG. That are Cholanaikkans (Malappuram), Kurumbas (Attappady), Kattunaikans (Wayanad, Kozhikode, Kannur, Malappuram), Kadars (Thrissur) and Koraga (Kasaragod).

Kudumbashree took imitative to support through the NRLM programmes. For this a comprehensive and special focus strategy developed. The Attappady model focus programme will help the other places.

7. What is NTFP? How Kudumbashree related this?

Ans.

Non-timber forest products (NTFPs) are any product or service other than timber that is produced in forests. They include fruits and nuts, vegetables, fish and game, medicinal plants, resins, essences and a range of barks and fibers such as bamboo, rattans, and a host of other palms and grasses.

5 district (Pathanamthitta, Idukki, Thrissur, Palakkad and Wayanad), selected for the implementation of NTFP activities through NHGs with the financial support from NRLM. Through this, tribal NHG’s members belongs their livelihood related with forest products got support. A revolving fund given for the NHGs for collection of forest products. For avoiding of middleman Kudumbashree will start a management team for procurement and processing of the forest product. The management team members are from the tribal families, they will manage and make value addition up on the product and market it. Kudumbashree giving all support for this activities.