



**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FISHERIES & ARD DEPARTMENT**

NOTIFICATION

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In supersession of all previous orders/instructions on the subject and to ensure equitable distribution of responsibilities, functional clarity and effective implementation of schemes and programmes at the district headquarters, Government have been pleased to re-allot and notify the duties and responsibilities of district-level Odisha Veterinary Service (OVS) officers, namely Additional District Veterinary Officers (ADVOs) and Sub-Divisional Veterinary Officers (Headquarters), as detailed below:

1. Applicability:

This notification shall apply to all districts of the State and shall be binding on:

- Additional District Veterinary Officer (Livestock Production).
- Additional District Veterinary Officer (Disease Control).
- Additional District Veterinary Officer (Animal Welfare).
- Sub-Divisional Veterinary Officer (Headquarters).

2. Allocation of Responsibilities:

A. Additional District Veterinary Officer (Livestock Production)

The ADVO (Livestock Production) shall be responsible for planning, execution, monitoring and reporting of the following:

1. Mukhyamantri Kamadhenu Yojana (MKY).
2. Fodder Development Programme in the district.
3. Artificial Insemination (AI) Programme.
4. Use of Sex Sorted Semen for AI.
5. On-call Artificial Insemination Programme



6. Goat AI Programme.
7. National Digital Livestock Mission (NDLM) / Bharat Pashudhan Portal - data uploading relating to animal breeding.
8. Rashtriya Gokul Mission, including:
 - i. Surabhi Chayan Srunkhala.
 - ii. Accredited Agent for Health & Extension of Livestock Production (A-HELP).
 - iii. National Milk Recording Programme (NMRP).
9. Conservation of Native breeds.
10. Livestock Insurance (Gosampad Bima Yojana and Livestock Insurance under NLM).
11. Supply of Liquid Nitrogen and AI logistics.

B. Additional District Veterinary Officer (Disease Control)

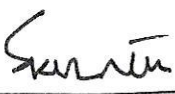
The ADVO (Disease Control) shall be responsible for planning, execution, monitoring and reporting of the following:

1. GOMATA – Goal for Management & Treatment of Animals.
2. Livestock Health & Disease Control Programme (LHDCP), including vaccination and data uploading in the NDLM portal.
3. Monitoring the functioning of the Disease Diagnostic Laboratory (DDL), the State Veterinary Laboratory (SVL) and the Clinical Investigation Laboratory
4. Monitoring of Mobile Veterinary Units (MVU).
5. Supervision of activities during disease outbreaks, disasters and natural calamities.
6. Implementation of the Kisan Credit Card (KCC) scheme.
7. Monitoring ORTPSA / SDG / Go-Sugam / DSS and other relevant portals and applications.
8. DLRDS / Prani Kalyan Samiti related matters.
9. Cooperative-related matters.

C. Additional District Veterinary Officer (Animal Welfare)

The ADVO (Animal Welfare) shall be responsible for planning, execution, monitoring and reporting of the following:

1. Mukhyamantri Prani Kalyan Yojana (MPKY).



2. Prani Sampad Samruddhi Yojana (PSSY), including the Poultry Development and Small Animal Development sub-schemes.
3. Monitoring of Animal Birth Control (ABC) Programme.
4. SPCA / SAWB-related matters.
5. Monitoring of Animal Help Line (AHL) Programme and Tele-Veterinary Services.
6. Training and capacity-building activities.

D. Sub-Divisional Veterinary Officer (Headquarters)

In addition to its own duties as SDVO, the SDVO (HQ) shall be responsible for planning, execution, monitoring and reporting of the following:

1. Mukhyamantri Krushi Udyog Yojana (MKUY).
2. National Livestock Mission (NLM) / EDP / DA-JGUA.
3. Infrastructure development works.
4. Integrated Sample Survey (ISS) and Livestock Census (LC).
5. Information, Education and Communication (IEC) activities.
6. Integrated Farming System (IFS) / Rainfed Area Development Programme.
7. Ama Shasana and grievance redressal.

3. Supervision, Reporting and Accountability:

1. All the above officers shall function under the overall supervision and control of the Chief District Veterinary Officer (CDVO).
2. Any lapse, negligence or failure in the discharge of the assigned responsibilities shall invite administrative action as per extant service and conduct rules.
3. All officers shall also perform any other scheme/programme or duty as may be assigned by the CDVO in the interest of public service.

4. Effective Date

This notification shall come into force with immediate effect.

By order of the Governor,



Principal Secretary to the Govt.

Fisheries & ARD Department

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Additional Secretary to Government

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Copy forwarded to the Director, AH & VS, Odisha, Cuttack for information and necessary action.

This may be published on the Directorate Website for the information of all concerned.


Additional Secretary to Government

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Copy forwarded to CEO, OLRDS, Bhubaneswar/ all Chief District Veterinary Officers/Joint Director, FSB, Cuttack/Joint Director, ADRI, Phulnakhara/Joint Director, VOTI, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.


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