



## **AISHWARYAM TRUST**

**3/539B, Aadhisivan Nagar, Vilachery, Madurai-625006, Tamilnadu, India.**

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# **ORGANISATION PROFILE**

## **1. Introduction**

**1.1 Legal Status:** Aishwaryam Trust is a legal entity duly registered with the government of India under the **Indian Trusts Act of 1882** (under No.116/2014) and, with the **Indian Income Tax Act of 1961** thereby receiving tax exemptions under sections 12AA and 80G. It is also registered under number 075940613/16/4/2018 with the Ministry of Home Affairs of the government of India under the **Foreign Contributions Regulation Act of 1976** permitting our Trust to receive assistance from overseas donors. Our Trust is also registered with the NGO partnership system of government of India.

### **1.2 Trust's Registered office:**

AmirthaBhavan, K.V.R.Nagar 1<sup>st</sup> Street,  
Mahalakshmi Nagar,  
K.Pudur,  
Madurai – 625007,  
Tamilnadu, India.

### **1.3 Trust's Administrative office & Address for correspondence.**

Nethravathi Pain, Palliative Care & Rehabilitation Centre,  
(Run by Aishwaryam Trust)  
3/539B, Aadhisivan Nagar,  
Vilachery,  
Madurai – 625006,  
Tamilnadu, India.

### **1.4 Management of the Trust**

Aishwaryam Trust is managed, as per the Trust Deed by a Board of Trustees namely

Dr. R. Balagurusamy, M.D.– Managing Trustee  
Dr. R. Amuthanilavan, M.B.B.S., DNB– Financial Trustee  
Dr. S. SabariManikandan, M.D. – Trustee  
Dr. S. SrividyaManjunath, M.B.B.S., DNB– Trustee  
Dr. P. Venkatesh, M.D. D.M – Trustee



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### **1.5 Objects of the Trust**

- a) To create awareness and render medical service to economically backward people.
- b) To encourage and conduct Blood donation camps.
- c) To give special treatment and care for mentally ill persons.
- d) To rehabilitate drug addicts and alcoholics to enable them to fit in usefully with the society.
- e) To give medical related counseling, referral services and legal aid services for the needy.
- f) To give special care & support and guidance for HIV/AIDS infected people.
- g) To create and conduct HIV/AIDS awareness programmes in rural areas
- h) To start and run a Pain, Palliative care and Rehabilitation centre for destitute and ailing old age persons.
- i) To start and run a Neuroscience centre for MRCP children, a Neuropsychiatric centre, home dialysis facility, an yoga and meditation centre,
- j) To start and run schools and colleges for economically backward people.
- k) To establish and promote plantation and research in Siddha and Ayurvedic medical systems.

### **1.6 Financial Management and Accountability**

The Trust maintains a Savings Bank accounts

#### **Indian Currency :**

Account Name : AISHWARYAM TRUST

Bank : INDIAN BANK, Tirunagar Branch, Madurai.

A/C Number : 6639017788

IFSC Code : IDIB000T032.

#### **Overseas Currency :**

Bank : ICICI BANK, KK Nagar(6016)Branch, Madurai.

Account name : AISHWARYAM TRUST

A/C Number : 601601084779

IFSC Code : ICIC0006016

Swift Code : ICICINBBXXX

Proper maintenance of Accounts Books and external auditing are in place.



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### **2. Vision and Core values of the Trust**

2.1. Extending professional medical and charitable service particularly to the poor, destitute, deserted and ailing old people, alleviating their pain and suffering, provide them humane care with compassion and thereby put them on a pedestal of human dignity both during the test of their lives and eventual demise.

2.2. Empowering the rural impoverished people, particularly the aged and vulnerable woman by educating them on health, environment, need for literacy, livelihood opportunities, child rights, abolition of casteist discrimination, right to live, and empowerment through employment, cooperative community organisation and participative development.

2.3. The Trust follows well defined policies on adhering to its core values, management and implementation of its programmes, ethical, medical and hospice practices, enhancing employees capabilities and inculcating in society the values of human life and charitable disposition, participative planning, cooperative contribution and collaborative Development.

### **3. Origin and Background of the Trust**

The Trust was informally started in 2012 as an unregistered organization of a group of doctors who got convinced, that beyond the confines of the corporate hospitals they were working in, there lay a vast group of ailing, bedridden, uncared for patients of varying illnesses who could not receive proper sustained medical attention and hospice care for various reasons. This situation was widespread due to sheer poverty and lack of resources among the family members to provide institutional medical care for the ailing in their families. Lack of compassion for the sickly elderly was another reason for deserting these people thus there were sickly elderly, people deserted by their own families, friends, relations, society and the government.

Here and there were some generous non-medical people running a few old age homes with survival diet, occasional medical care and with minimum physical and mental comfort. Seeing this our doctors, informally adopted the inmates of such old age homes and also a few orphanages and provided free medical check-ups, referrals to hospitals run by friendly doctors for X-Rays, scans, blood tests, minor surgeries, IV transfusions, vaccinations, pain relief -all at the expense of the doctors themselves and their doctor friends. So far, the Trust has conducted more than a 100 free medical camps in various rural areas around Madurai and this covered more than 25000 patients, every year, from 2014.



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Gradually the focus of these doctors enlarged and made them institute a legally registered public charitable Trust in 2014 – with 5 post grade medical specialists as trustees and to start a full fledged centre named **Nethravathi Pain, Palliative care and Rehabilitation** centre in a semi rural area called Vilachery. By sheer providence an elderly retired couple who were themselves running an old age home for 16 years, elsewhere near Madurai. spending all their retirement benefits and a major portion of their pensions and also their manual labour in taking care of about 150 ailing people so far. This couple, as fortune would have it, read about our work in the newspapers, contacted us and volunteered to gift away 27 cents of land which they had purchased for building an old age home, in Vilachery itself. Gladly our centre Nethravathi Pain, Palliative Care and Rehabilitation centre is built and run on this gifted site.

#### **4. Present situation**

As the Trust now has an established centre, it accommodates about 50 patients each requiring special treatment including sustained medication, physiotherapy, wound nursing and psychological counseling. Public appreciation and small donations in cash and kind from the public and also materials and funds gathered by our trustees and friends keep the centre going. Yet, our day to day needs are many including clothing, food, purified drinking water, nutritional supplements etc. Fortunately we now have a pharmacy in the centre and trained nurses, helpers & cooks.

#### **5. Future Plans**

The cost of running the centre is ever increasing mainly because of staff salary and we find it very difficult to run the centre, yet we do it and, in the midst of the difficulties, we have ambitious plans to extend our centre to admit more inmates, expand our medical outreach projects, believing that paucity of resources should never be a constraint to the Trust's activities.

We have formulated plans to construct a new building to a moderate neuroscience centre for MRCP children, a neuropsychiatric centre, a home dialysis facility and an yoga & meditation centre apart from schools and colleges for disadvantaged children. For all these we wish to purchase about one acre of land also.

In achieving our above goals one by one we definitely look forward to local, national and international support in terms of finance, technical guidance, internships of overseas medical and nursing students in our centre.

Though we do not have any resources now to achieve the above ambitions we have an unshaken faith that we will achieve our goals gradually and at appropriate times.