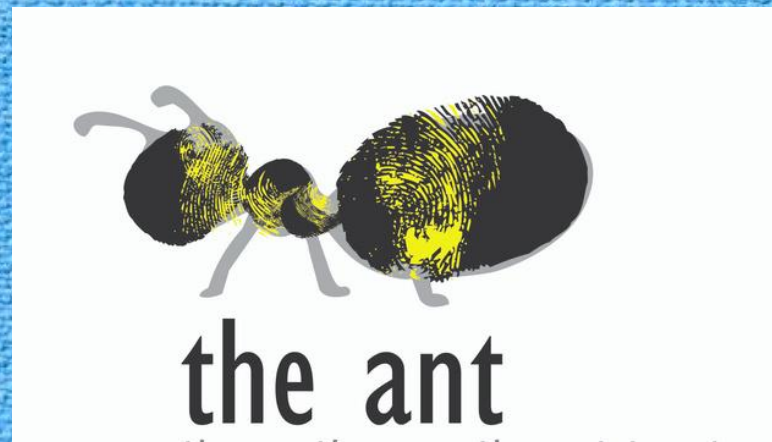


the ant's II Wave Covid Response in Assam

- an appeal for support



the action northeast trust

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District Chirang, BTR, Assam - 783380

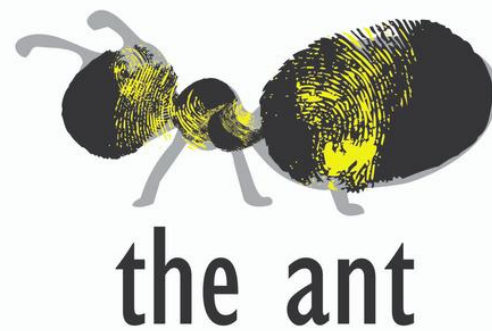
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the ant & Our Covid Response

Who are we?

We are a voluntary organization based in Assam working for village development.



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Indirectly, we work through supporting NGOs in various districts of Assam & other NE states

We have an active Board of Trustees & our team is made up of over 180 full and part-time staff - including experienced public health professionals and doctors

For the past 21 years, we have been based in Chirang; 200 kms from Guwahati.

Directly, we work in over 900 villages under various interventions - enriching children's education & development; mental illness treatment, stopping violence against women etc.



Our Covid Response in 2020

Multiple rounds of Cash Assistance to 1200 families in deep hunger distress

12,000 pamphlets in different local languages distributed



2000 PPE kits donated to our District Police force

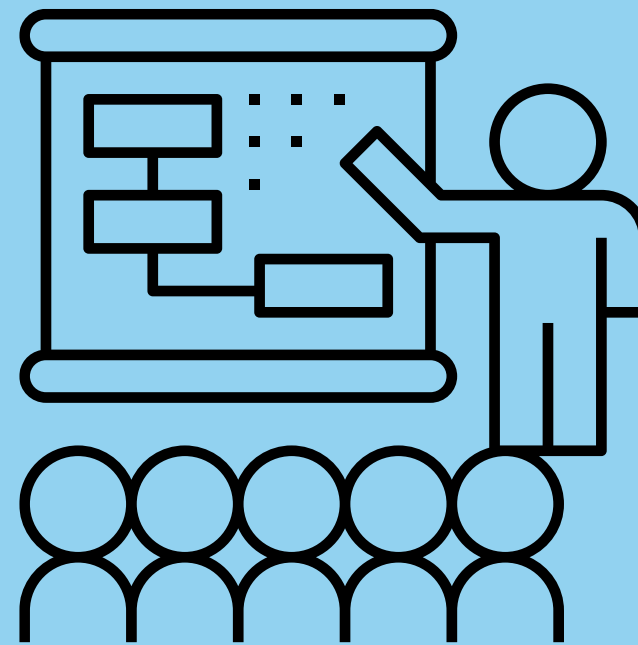
Continued treatment of over 2000 registered mentally ill & epileptic patients in 10 districts of Assam through the lockdown.



Our Response in this Wave - 2021

In one month (1 April to May 1), we saw a fifty times rise in Covid cases in Assam. We are also seeing infections rise in smaller towns and villages where the public health system is already very weak. With communities still wary of vaccination, there is an urgent need for deep and widespread community response.

Donating 12 high quality oxygen concentrators & other essential equipment to a Govt. run Covid isolation centre in Chirang District



Training at least 500 Asha Health workers & giving each a kit to monitor patients for serious symptoms; setting up a support system for them.

Multiple online trainings every week for NGO front line workers in Assam & the other NE states on Covid situation & needed community response



Developing quality & accurate communication materials & making it freely available for use by NGOs & their communities across the Northeast.

These are some responses we have planned and while we have started some work but we **NEED TO** and **CAN DO** much more.



Our Appeal for Support

Your support can help build the ant's emergency response capacity and multiply our efforts to prevent Covid spread and also deaths not just in our project villages and also beyond that - through credible partner NGOs.

Indian Citizens

Any person holding Indian Citizenship - even if living abroad and remitting money in foreign currency – can donate to our local bank account as given below:

Our Local Bank Account Details

Acc Name: THE ACTION NORTHEAST TRUST MAIN

Acc No. : 1201000100106170

**Name of Bank: Punjab National Bank,
Bongaigaon, Assam**

IFSC Code: PUNB0120100

Foreign Nationals

***the ant* is registered to receive foreign contributions in our designated FCRA bank account as given below**

Our FCRA Bank Account Details

Acc Name: THE ACTION NORTHEAST TRUST (FOREIGN CONTRIBUTION)

Acc No. : 1201000100113620

Name of Bank: Punjab National Bank, Bongaigaon, Assam

SWIFT Code: PUNBINBBCBR

Donors living in the U.S can get tax exemption if you route the donation to the ant through www.arpanfoundation.org . Just mention that you would like to donate to the ant.

Do drop us an email if you have made any transfers. Thank You so much.

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