

## NATIONAL SOCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME (NSAP)

The District Rural Development Agency is implementing the following sub-schemes of National Social Assistance Programme through different development blocks viz: (i) Harangajao ITDP (ii) Jalinga Valley Development Block, Maibang (iii) Diyung Valley Development Block, Mahur (iv) Diyungbra ITDP block & (v) New Sangbar Development Block.

### National Family Benefit Scheme (NFBS):

Rs. 20000/- will be given as a lumpsum assistance to the bereaved household in the event of death of the bread-winner. It is clarified that any event of death (natural or otherwise) would make the family eligible for assistance. A woman in the family, who is a home maker, is also considered as a 'bread-winner' for this purpose. The family benefit will be paid to such surviving member of the household of the deceased poor, who after local inquiry, is found to be the head of the household. For the purpose of the scheme, the term "household" would include spouse, minor children, unmarried daughters and dependent parents. In case of death of an unmarried adult, the term household would include minor brothers/ sisters and dependent parents. The death of such a bread-winner should have occurred whilst he/she is more than 18 years of age and less than 60 years of age. The assistance would be given to every case of death of breadwinner in a family.

### Documents required:

1. Death Certificate of spouse
2. Age proof certificate
3. Photographs.
4. Income certificate
5. Copy of Residential Certificate.

Swahid Kushal Konwar Sarbajanin Bridha Pension Achoni: The pension is Rs.250/- per month.

### Eligibility criteria:

- The minimum age to avail pension under scheme is 60 years.
- A person should not be Government pensioner.
- A person receiving any other national pension scheme like Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme. Will not be eligible for the scheme.
- Persons with children working in Central/State government, Armed Forces, Para Military forces etc. In Grade I and Grade II will not be eligible for this pension scheme.
- Anyone who is Income Tax payee and his income is 2.50 lakh per annum will not be eligible for this pension scheme.

**Documents required:**

- Passport size photographs.
- Bank details like A/C number, bank name & branch, IFSC etc.
- Copy of Income Certificate issued by competent authority not below the rank of Land Revenue Officer.

**Indira Miri Universal Widow Pension Scheme:** The scheme has two components-

1. **Indira Miri Universal Widow Pension Scheme:-** Under this scheme it is intended to cover all widow till the age of 60 years of age not covered in the centrally sponsored widow pension scheme like Indira Gandhi National Widow Pension Scheme (IGNWPS) but otherwise eligible for the widow pension scheme.
2. **One Time Financial Assistance to widow:** Under this scheme a lumpsum of Rs.20000/- is paid to those widow who is not covered by the centrally sponsored National Family Benefit Scheme to cover all widows between 18 years to 45 years of age whose husband dies on or after 01/04/2019 unless following criteria by considering following criteria:
  - She has not entered into marriage again after demise of her spouse
  - She is not receiving any other Government pension or pension under schemes of Govt. of Assam or Govt. of India.
  - In case of deceased spouse being Govt. employee, is not receiving his salary under relevant Government rules.
  - She is not covered under PRANAM Act, 2017.

**Aidee Handique Mahila Sanman Asoni:** The quantum assistance is Rs.300/- per month. The scheme intends to cover all unmarried/divorced/separated single women who fulfil the following conditions-


- She must have attained the age of 35 years and must be less than 60 years of age.
- She is not a salaried employee of any Government, Semi Government organisation, any Public Sector Unit or salaried employee of any organisation which receives grant from the Government.



- She is not receiving any other Government pension or pension under schemes like NSAP of Government of Assam or Government of India.
- She is not receiving maintenance allowance of more than Rs.50000/- per month from her ex-husband on account of a decree of divorce granted by the competent Judicial Authority in case of divorcee.

**Documents required:**

- Copy of Residential Certificate from competent authority.
- Copy of certificate issued by the competent authority/Block Development Officer/Chairperson of Municipal Board certifying that the applicant is unmarried.
- Copy of decree of divorce or judicial separation passed by family court or other competent judicial authority, when the applicant is divorced or separated single.
- Photographs of applicant
- Bank detail like A/C number, Bank Branch, IFSC etc.
- Age proof certificate from the competent authority.

  
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