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Vikalanga Durithaswasa Nidhi (Medical Assistance to Persons with Disabilities)

Kerala's Social Justice Department gives financial help for medical treatment from the Vikalanga Durithaswasa Nidhi, a relief fund for persons with disabilities.

What you may get

Financial help for medical treatment is given from the relief fund. The applicant states the amount needed and how urgent the help is, and the portal pages do not give a fixed sum.

Who it is for

Persons who are blind, deaf, or have an orthopaedic or intellectual disability, or who have 40% or more disability and live below the poverty line, and need medical treatment.

Main conditions

- The applicant must be blind, deaf or deaf and mute, or have an orthopaedic or intellectual disability, or have a disability of 40% or more and belong to a below poverty line family.
- Family income must be within the separate limits set for rural and urban families, shown by the village officer's certificate.
- A doctor's certificate saying that treatment is needed has to be attached.
- The application must say how much help is asked for, why it is urgent, and what help was taken earlier from this fund or elsewhere.

Documents

- Village officer's certificate of annual family income (original)
- Doctor's certificate on the need for treatment (original)
- Copy of the disability certificate
- Copy of the ration card
- Copy of the Aadhaar or election ID card

How to apply

1. Open the Suneethi portal of the Kerala Social Justice Department, which takes online applications for this scheme.
2. Register once as a citizen on the portal and log in.
3. Fill in the application with the amount of help needed, the urgency, and details of any earlier help, and attach the documents listed above.
4. For help, call the Suneethi helpline on +91 471 2306040 or ask the District Social Justice Officer.

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