

**DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE WELFARE,
CORRECTIONAL SERVICES &
WELFARE OF STREET CHILDREN**

ORIGIN & EVOLUTION

- The Dept. of Juvenile Welfare was bifurcated from Prisons Dept in 1990 and is functioning under Dept. of Women, Children, Disabled & Senior Citizens.
- The Probation Services was added in the year 1995.
- The Subject of street children was added in the year 1997

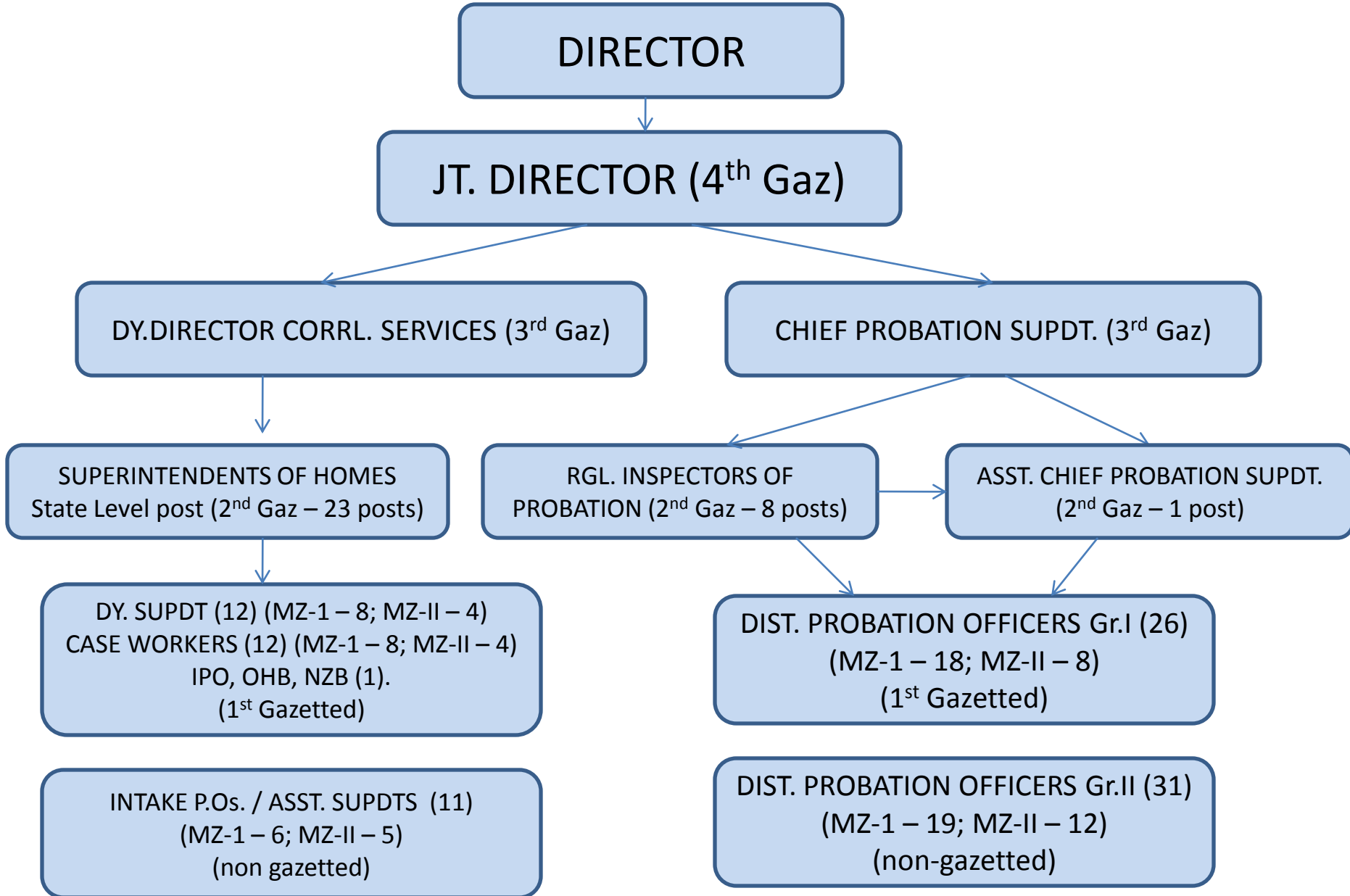
OBJECTIVE

Undertakes necessary steps for all-round development and rehabilitation of

*“Children in need of Care and Protection” &
“Juveniles in conflict with law”*

upto the age of 18 years as per the Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act 2000/2006 and AP JJ (CPC) Rules 2003.

ORGANOGRAM



INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES

- **OBSERVATION HOMES FOR BOYS (9)** at Hyderabad, Nizamabad, Warangal, Visakhapatnam, Vijayawada, Rajahmundry, Ananthapur, Kurnool, Tirupathi for temporary reception of *'juveniles in conflict with law'* during the pendency of inquiry before JJBs.
- **SPECIAL HOMES FOR BOYS (3)** at Hyderabad, Visakhapatnam & Tiruapthi for juveniles sentenced by the Juvenile Justice Boards. During their stay in these Homes, they are provided with education, vocational training and placements.
- **CHILDREN HOMES FOR BOYS (6)** at Hyderabad, Visakhapatnam, Kadapa, Eluru, Tirupathi & Warangal for children in need of Care & Protection during the pendency of any inquiry before CWCs and subsequently for their care, treatment, education, training, development and rehabilitation.
- **SPL-CUM-CHILDREN HOME & OH FOR GIRLS (3):** Three categories of Homes are functioning for girls at Hyderabad, Visakhapatnam & Tiruapthi.
- **AFTER CARE HOME:** One After Care Home is at Hyderabad for care & guidance for the rehabilitation of Children leaving the homes to lead a normal life.

PROBATION SERVICES

- The department also implements Probation of Offenders Act 1958.
- District Probation Officers (Gr.I & DPO Gr.II), work for implementation of PO Act under the supervision of Regional Inspectors of Probation at Hyderabad (Dist & Rural), Warangal, Vijayawada, Visakhapatnam, Chittoor, Nellore and Ananthapur.
- District Probation Advisory Committees headed by District Collector extends the Rehabilitation Schemes for the Probationers under supervision of District Probation Officers.

WELFARE OF STREET/RUNAWAY CHILDREN

The GOI supports NGOs for running institutions for ran away children by providing Grant-in-aid in 90:10 ratio of GOI & NGO under the scheme of Open shelters in Urban and Semi-Urban Areas” under ICPS.

At present 10 NGOs are running open shelters and recently 16 new NGOs were sanctioned grant-in aid for running open shelters.

CHILD WELFARE COMMITTEES/ JUVENILE JUSTICE BOARDS:

The Government in G.O. Ms. No. 8 and 9, Dept for W,C, D,S C (JJ), Dt. 20.01.2011 constituted Juvenile Justice Boards and Child welfare Committees in all the districts in the State to exercise the powers and to discharge the duties in relation to ‘Juveniles in conflict with law’ and ‘Children in need of care & Protection’

REFORMS

PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELLING SERVICES FOR THE CHILDREN:

A pilot project ‘Counseling Services in JJ Homes’ was initiated with the financial support of United Nations Office on Drugs & Crime, New Delhi from 1.11.09 onwards in all the 21 Homes. As the project gave significant results, the same is continued on regular basis with departmental resources.

YUVA - AN ADOLESCENT CLINIC:

Govt. vide GO.30 WD CW&DW(JJ) Dept. Dt.7-7-2010 has set up “YUVA” an Adolescent, Counselling & Guidance Clinic at Niloufer Hospital, Hyderabad in partnership with Medical & Health Dept. and this department. The doctors and outreach workers of the clinic conduct field visits to Schools and Colleges to extend counseling services to the students.

EDUCATION

As per the orders issued in GO Ms.No. 16, WDCW&DW(JJ) Dept, dt. 16.5.2009, around 400 children were admitted in outside regular schools/colleges/residential institutions during the Academic Year 2012-13. The remaining children (around 600) were imparted education & vocational training in the schools run by the Homes.

14 children are in intermediate and one boy is studying B.Com. Two children are studying B.Tech.

In 2012, 45 children passed SSC through open school system and five children passed SSC regularly. One girl of Tirupati who secured high marks in SSC was provided a grant of Rs.38,000/- for providing free education under 'Prajwalika Scheme' by the District Collector, Chittoor.

77 children appeared for SSC examinations 2013 and results are awaited.

TRAININGS & PLACEMENTS

All the children are provided with computer training. The Children above 14 years are provided with training in various vocational courses like Carpentry, Plumbing, Tailoring, House-wiring, Beautician, Photography, Videography, PA system etc. The children are also provided training & placement services by the reputed agencies.

MARRIAGES:

Marriage of three girls who are above 18 years were performed with the persons of their choice. One on (i) 30-10-2011 at Sangareddy and (ii) two at Tirupati Home was performed on 7-11-2011 & 15-04-2012.

PARTICIPATION OF CHILDREN IN CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

11 children participated in '***Balala Nandi Natakotsavalu***' organized by the State Govt. The drama '*Baapu Kalalu kanna desham*', was played at Khammam from 1.2.2010 to 7.2.2010 and was awarded with "Golden Nandi".

In the year 2012, 9 dramas were nominated for **Nandi Natakotsavalu**. Two dramas - "Uthista Jagratha" of CHB, WGL and "Mathrusri Tharigonda Vengamamba" of CHG, TPT were staged in finals at Guntur from 5th to 11th Feb 2012. "Uthista Jagratha" won Nandi Award for Best Script.

100 children of Homes participated in the ***National Jamboree*** in Jan 2011 and won medals, where 25000 Scouts & Guides participated from India & abroad.

50 children were trained in ***Acting & Magic*** at CHB, Hyd from 10th-15th Jan 2011 with the help of Magic Funskool.

Ten boys of the Homes acted in a film '***Sikharam***', which was screened in the International Children Film Festival in 2011 at Hyd. The film was awarded with Golden Nandi by Govt. of A.P.

The girls of Tirupati participated in ***4th Prapancha Telugu Maha Sabhalu***.

NEW INITIATIVES

CHILDREN HOME AT SRIKAKULAM: The Collector, Srikakulam has allotted 0.30 cents of site in Srikakulam for construction of Children Home for Boys in partnership with Indian Red Cross Society, Srikakulam. Sri MV Ramana Murthy, resident of Srikakulam donated an amount of Rs.52 lakhs.

HOME FOR MENTALLY CHALLENGED CHILDREN: A Home for Mentally Challenged will be started as a joint management project with Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Trust, Hyd at Gajula Ramaram, RR district.

LAND SITE AT RAJAHMUNDRY: The Prisons Dept allotted land to the extent of 44.50 cents at Rajahmundry for construction of Observation Home.

ADMINISTRATIVE BLOCK: A new building was constructed at Saidabad, Hyd and was inaugurated on 8-04-13 by Hon'ble Minister for IKP, Pensions, SHG, WDCWDW&JW. The Directorate and local offices will be accommodated in this complex.

SICK ROOM AT TIRUPATI: A sick room was constructed at CHB, Tirupati with the support of local people and another room by Panchayat Raj Dept (RWS Wing).

CLASS ROOMS BY RVM: Three class rooms were constructed by Rajiv Vidya Mission at Children Home for Boys, Kadapa.

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