



**JAMNALAL BAJAJ
FOUNDATION**

AWARD FOR DEVELOPMENT AND WELFARE OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

A cash Award of Rs. 10,00,000 a trophy and citation to be given annually to a woman/women for outstanding contribution to development and welfare of women and children and/or on Gandhian lines.

Development and welfare of women and children may cover any one or more of the following activities :

- (a) Education and eradication of illiteracy, vocational training, employment and rehabilitation of women and children.
- (b) Free or low cost medical care facilities for women and children, pre-natal and post-natal care, education for better health and hygiene, better nutrition for children.
- (c) Rehabilitation of vulnerable children, work in slums.
- (d) Free or low cost legal aid to women in distress, creating general awareness among women about their rights and the laws pertaining thereto, reforms for enhancing the social status of women.
- (e) Care, education and rehabilitation of the mentally retarded and the physically challenged (including spastics, slow learners) and dyslexic children and so on.
- (f) Life Skills (Family Planning) , Education.
- (g) Scientific research and its application in the fields stated above.

(The list given above is only illustrative and not exhaustive).

RULES REGARDING SENDING NOMINATIONS FOR THE AWARD FOR DEVELOPMENT AND WELFARE OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

1. This Award is for a woman/women and not for institution.
2. Women of foreign origin who are residing in India holding an Indian citizenship; and worked for a minimum period of 15 years in the areas of development and welfare of women and children of India, can apply for this award.
3. Nominations received from the heads of recognized institutions and other representative bodies and/or from eminent individuals as also those sent by any of them on their own initiative, will be considered for the Awards.

The term 'Institutions and other representative bodies' covers Universities, Research Bodies, Social Welfare Institutions, Khadi and Village Industries Organisations, Chambers of Commerce, Rotary, Inner Wheel and Lions Clubs, concerned Government Departments of the Centre and the States and similar bodies.



The heads of these institutions or bodies-Vice-Chancellors, Presidents, Secretaries and others may send their recommendations in their individual capacity also.

4. Nominations recommended by **relatives** and/or by the **office bearers/members** of the organisation of the nominee will not be considered.
5. Self-nominations will not be entertained.
6. The recommender/s should send factual information about the overall work pertaining to the nominees on the basis of the stated criteria.
7. Nominations in respect of any woman who has been the recipient of any of these Awards in the past will not be entertained.
8. The Foundation may defer or withhold conferring of one or more Award/Awards in any year if, in the opinion of the Council of Advisers of the Foundation, no nominee/s is/are found suitable for receiving such Award/Awards.

CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION

In assessing the merits of women recommended for this Award, the overall impact and the spread effect of their work and the specific benefits accruing therefrom to women and children will be taken into account. In particular the following will be considered:

In what way and to what extent the work done has helped:

- (a) The mentally, physically and sexually abused, neglected, deserted, exploited, ailing women and widows, especially from rural and tribal areas.
- (b) The uncared for, discarded, destitute and exploited children, including orphans and juvenile children in conflict with law, especially from rural areas.

Preference will be given to those women who have been doing their work through an institutional setup, have fostered the spirit of teamwork, and have developed a second line of leadership to ensure stability and continuity of the activities/projects undertaken by them.



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NOMINATION FORMAT

1. Name
2. Address, email, telephone, mobile, fax no., website
3. Date of Birth (Age)
4. Education
5. Recommended by and contact details
6. The Dist./State where the work is being carried out
7. Working since when
8. Type of work – Rural, Tribal, Urban
9. Details of the kind of work
10. Nature of work being carried out and brief account of the work done:
11. How the work has fulfilled each of the stated criteria
12. How has the work impacted the surrounded areas/community (give specific and quantitative information)
13. Financial Position of the institution (s) with which the individual may be most closely associated and details of grants/financial assistance received during the last 3 years. (Also enclose the Income Expenditure Statement and Balance Sheet of last 3 years):

(A)	Year	Income (source-wise)		Expenditure	If Deficit- how met
		Own	Grants/Donations		

(B)	Year	Source of Grant/Assistance	Amount	Purpose

14. Details of Awards/Prizes/Recognition received earlier
15. Any other information which may be relevant:
16. Your source of information about this Award:

SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS FOR THE AWARD

The last date for receipt of nominations for the Award for Development and Welfare of Women & Children for the year 2018 is **19th January, 2018**. The proposals should be sent to :
The Secretary, Jamnalal Bajaj Foundation, Bajaj Bhawan, 2nd Floor, Jamnalal Bajaj Marg,
226, Nariman Point, Mumbai 400 021, India.

For Online Submission of Nominations visit
<http://www.jamnalalbajjawards.org/nomination-forms>



**EARLIER RECIPIENTS OF THE AWARD FOR
DEVELOPMENT AND WELFARE OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN**

- 1980 Jointly to :
(a) Smt. Jayashri Raiji, Mumbai
(b) Smt. Kamalabai Hospet, Matru Seva Sangha, Nagpur (Maharashtra)
- 1981 Smt. Ramadevi Chaudhuri, Cuttack (Orissa)
- 1982 Smt. Taraben Mashruwala, Kasturbha Sarvodaya Mandal, Madhan (Maharashtra)
- 1983 Smt. Pushpaben Mehta, P.O. Jhuhapura, Ahmedabad (Gujarat)
- 1984 Smt. Gaura Devi, Kishore Cottage, Simla (Himachal Pradesh)
- 1985 Smt. Anutai Vagh, Gram Bal Shiksha Kendra, Kosbad Hill, Dist. Thane (Maharashtra)
- 1986 Smt. Vasanti S. Roy, Lokseyayatan, Post Nimdih, Dist. Sinhbhum (Bihar)
- 1987 Smt. Annapragada C. Krishna Rao, Shree Seva Mandir, Madras (Tamil Nadu)
- 1988 Smt. Malati Devi Choudhuri, At/P.O. Angul, Dist. Dhankanal (Orissa)
- 1989 Smt. Indirabai Halbe, Matru-Mandir, Devrukh, Dist. Ratnagiri (Maharashtra)
- 1990 Smt. Ratan Shastri, P.O. Banasthali Vidyapith (Rajasthan)
- 1991 Smt. Radha Bhatt, Laxmi Ashram, Kausani, Almoda (U.P.)
- 1992 Smt. Shalini Moghe, Bal Niketan Sangh, Indore (M.P.)
- 1993 jointly to :(i) Smt. Kantabahan Shah, Pindval, Taluka Dharampur, Dist. Valsad (Gujrat)
(ii) Kum. Harvilasbahan Shah, Pindval, Taluka Dharampur, Dist. Valsad (Gujrat)
- 1994 Smt. Shantidevi, Seva Samaj, P.O. Gunupur 765 022, Dist. Rayagada (Orissa)
- 1995 Smt. Vimla Bahuguna, Navjivan Ashram, Silyara 249155 Tehri Garhwal (U.P.)
- 1996 Dr. (Smt.) Indumati Parikh, Shreehitakarini, Kakasaheb Gadgil Marg, Dadar, Mumbai - 400 025
- 1997 Vinobaniketan, Dist. Thiruvananthapuram, (Kerala) 695 542
- 1998 Dr. (Smt.) Rajammal P. Devadas, Mettupalayam Road, Coimbatore (Tamil Nadu)
- 1999 Smt. Saraswathi Gora, Founder, Atheist Centre, Benz Circle, Vijayawada 520 010 (Andhra Pradesh)
- 2000 Smt. Vidyadevi, Balika Vidyapith, Shakthi Uthan Ashram, Lakhisarai 811 311 (Bihar)
- 2001 Smt. Rehmat Sultan Fazalbhoj, 6, Clematis Gardens, 12, Boat Club Road, Pune - 411 001 (Maharashtra)
- 2002 Dr. Chitra Naik, Indian Institute of Education, J.P. Naik Path, 128/2, Kothrud, Pune (Maharashtra)
- 2003 Smt. Alice Garg, Bal Rashmi Society, A-48, Shanti Path, Tilak Nagar, Jaipur-302 004 (Rajasthan)
- 2004 Dr. (Smt.) Sarojini Varadappan, 47, Bhakthavatsalam Road, Chennai-600 004
- 2005 Kum. Arunaben Shankarprasad Desai, Vikas Vidyalaya, Wadhwan City, Dist. Surendranagar, Gujrat-363 030
- 2006 Dr. (Smt.) Rani Abhay Bang, Director, SEARCH, Gadchiroli-422 605. Maharashtra
- 2007 Smt. Ashoka Gupta, P404/5, Gariahat Road, Kolkata-700 029 (West Bengal)
- 2008 Smt. Phoolbasan Yadav, Village Sukuldenhan, Post Dhangaon. Dist. Rajnandgaon (Chhattisgarh)
- 2009 Dr. Jaya Arunachalam, No. 55, Bhimsena Garden Road, Mylapore, Chennai 600004 (Tamil Nadu)
- 2010 Sushri Shakuntala Choudhary Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Trust, Assam Branch,
P.O.Ulubari- 781007, Dist. Kamrup (Assam)
- 2011 Smt. Shobhana Ranade, Trustee, Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Trust, Bhandarkar Road, Pune 411 004
- 2012 Smt. Nighat Shafi, Chairperson, Human Effort for Love & Peace (HELP) Foundation, Srinagar, Jammu & Kashmir
- 2013 Smt. Vidhya Das, Joint Director, Agragamee, Kashipur, Dist. Rayagada, Orissa
- 2014 Smt. Chennupati Vidya, Founder President, Vasavya Mahila Mandali, Vijayawada - 520 010, Andhra Pradesh
- 2015 Ms. Anne Ferrer, Founder Member & Executive Director, Rural Development Trust, Anantpur, Andhra Pradesh
- 2016 Dr. N. Manga Devi, Founder Secretary, Sri Venkateswara Bala Kuteer & Chetana Charitable Trust, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh.