## Treatment of Spermtorrhoea by tribal population of Chotanagpur

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## Abstract

Chotanagpur area of Jharkhand had been a land of dense forest, rich in plant biodiversity and is occupied mainly by the ethnic population of tribals. The tribals have valuable indigenous knowledge of medicinal plants to cure almost all diseases. In the present paper spermattorrhoea a common disease in males ageing from 15-35 has been described according to the local herbal practitioners the dry air of winter causes Dhatu the local name of the disease having various symptoms. About 25 medicinal plants used by the tribals of Chotanagpur to cure spermattorrhoea at different stages has also been described by their common name, botanical names, family of the plant and the parts used.

Key words: Spermatorrhoea, tribals, Ethno-medicine, Herbal practitioner.