

Asha workers stage protest in Udalguri



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Protesting against government [failure](#) to implement their long pending [demands](#), hundreds of Asha [workers](#) of [Udalguri](#) district staged protest at [Udalguri](#) on August 30 with day long programme. Several hundred Asha [workers](#) from all the places of the district had staged a protest rally at the Deputy Commissioner's office [Udalguri](#) and submitted a memorandum to the Assam government through the Deputy Commissioner, [Udalguri](#). A thousand strong rally walked through the streets of the town with members shouting slogans and holding play cards in support of their long pending [demands](#). Anju Daimari, president of [Udalguri](#) district Asha Karmi Santha told media that Asha [workers](#) had been deprived of various facilities as had been promised by the government. She specially mentioned that government of Assam declared payment of rupees thousand per month to Asha [workers](#) in 2013 which has never been implemented till 2017. They demand government to release the amount with effect from the year 2013. She expressed her regret saying that Asha [workers](#) have been receiving an amount of Rs.600 only for each patient admitted in the government hospitals. The Asha [workers](#) by another ultimatum to the government declared that they would take further agitation programme after September 12 if their [demands](#) were not met before the dead line.

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