

Effect of Consanguineous Marriages on Mortality Among Yadavas and Kammas of Andhra Pradesh

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ABSTRACT In the present paper 667 families of two occupationally different communities, Yadava and Kamma of Krishna and Guntur districts of Andhra Pradesh have been studied. Out of 667 families, 230 families are found to have genealogical relationship. For total population of Yadavas and Kammas high percentage of still births and miscarriages have been observed in consanguineous marriages for all the conceptions.