

**Medical Association for Prevention of War,
Victorian Branch, hosts two members
reporting back from recent trips abroad.**

Indigenous villagers suffer from India's Jadugoda uranium mine

MAPW Vice-President Dr Bill Williams will brief MAPW members and supporters on the scandal of Jadugoda - the uranium mine in northern India, where workers' and villagers' health is being seriously affected by countless unsafe practices.

Our Indian colleagues at IDPD (Indian Doctors for Peace and Development) have supported the Jadugoda with an initial health survey; Bill will outline the results. We will discuss a possible role for MAPW and our partners in supporting the community's campaign.

Afghanistan: The human costs of conflict

Medical student member Ashraf Tokhi will illustrate his talk with pictures from a visit to family in Afghanistan's capital, Kabul, where he observed at first hand the impact of conflict on lives of ordinary people.

Tuesday 13 May 2008, 7.00-8.15pm in Carlton

Level 2, Alan Gilbert Building, University of Melbourne, 161 Barry St (cnr Grattan and Barry, opposite Medical School). Take lift to Level 2.

All welcome. Enquiries mapw@mapw.org.au or 8344 1637 (0431 475 465 on the night). MAPW Branch Committee meets at 6.30.