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<b>Title:</b>	<b>Rural areas see rise in rain-related diseases in district Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu</b>			
Action By CSU, IDSP -NCDC	Information communicated to DSU- Tiruchirappalli, SSU- Tamil Nadu			

Rural areas of the district have witnessed a spurt in rain-related diseases with sixteen cases of fever being reported from Mettupatti and Attalapatti in Thathangarpettai block in the last few days. A medical team has been camping in the village to prevent a outbreak of diseases.

In Attalapatti, six women and two children have been affected with fever. Nine case have been reported in Mettupatti.

On Thursday, two women were admitted to the primary health centre (PHC) in Thumbalam.

"A total of 16 people have been affected with normal fever which could be a seasonal one. We have assigned a medical team in the village for the past five days. Two cases were reported today, but both of them were stable after regular treatment," deputy director of health services (DDHS) Dr I Raveendran told TOI.

The medical team has taken blood samples of some of the patients. While, one of the woman was found to have contracted typhoid, the rest had viral fever, said Dr Raveendran.

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"A woman admitted today tested positive for typhoid which could have been caused by water contamination," he said.

The lack of maintenance of drinking water tanks and unclean sewage canals are believed to be the main reasons behind the spread of fever. Recently, Kathikaranpatti, a small village near Manapparai on the outskirts of Trichy, had come under the grips of suspected dengue. The vector-borne disease claimed the lives of three residents Reeta Mary, 75, Saroja, 50, and Sankar Ganesh, 27.

The public health department has advised the local bodies to ensure clean water and free flow of sewage and drainage. "We have asked the village administration for chlorination of water and cleaning of sewage canals," said Dr Raveendran.

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