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<b>Title:</b>	<b>Dengue cases on the rise among children in Hyderabad, Telangana</b>			
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Greater Hyderabad and its adjoining areas are driving an upsurge in Dengue cases in Telangana as the state registered 9,298 dengue cases so far. Hyderabad alone has seen 4,245 cases as per official data. However, the case count has not breached the 2019 high of 13,337.

As per Tv9 Telugu, Warangal, Karimnagar districts are the worst hit with Raikal mandal of Karimnagar district registering 8 deaths so far while Rangareddy has registered 897 cases. Children are said to be the worst affected this time around.

Speaking to TV9 Telugu, Superintendent of Fever Hospital Dr Shankar said, "Last month we got 180 positive cases for Dengue but this month the number of cases have gone up to 250. At least 150 people reported viral fever and all of them are coming with typical symptoms including high grade fever, body pain, vomiting and motions. Many people from adjoining areas of Hyderabad are coming to us. The patients are doing fine and none of them are serious. They are recovering fully after a few days but cases have gone up. The platelet count is above 20,000. So the mortality is almost zero."

Earlier this month, the state health department had stepped up efforts to control the spread of the vector-borne disease. GHMC officials had deployed around 1,600 entomology experts as part of the drive against the disease.

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