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Title:	Dog bites 30, beaten to death in Balasore, Odisha			
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Angry locals beat a stray dog to death after it bit 30 people, including 15 women and seven children, at Sunhat here on Saturday.

The mad dog went on a rampage biting one person after another in Fulbazar, Khuajabad, Kasab Mohalla, Balu Bazar and Munipada in ward no. 4 of Balasore municipality.

"The dog attacked my son while he was going out to play on Friday evening. When I tried to kill the dog, apprehending that it may attack others, it attacked me," said Sheikh Nasrullah of Kasab Mohalla. Another injured person, Sheikh Kadir, said, "We were not able to move out of our homes as the dog turned violent on Saturday."

All injured were admitted to Balasore district headquarters hospital. Akshya Kumar Sethi, a doctor, four persons sustained grievous injuries. "All were treated as per protocol as rabies is a fatal disease," said Sethi. Residents alleged that no steps has been taken to control the canine population in the town.

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