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Title:	40 Students fell ill after consuming hostel food in Warangal district, Telangana			
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Food poisoning at Battupalli Essarprime campus in Warangal district has sparked an uproar. At SR Prime Junior College in Battupalli, 40 students fell ill due to contaminated food. Egg biryani and chicken were served to the students on Sunday night. After eating this food, about 40 students of Inter MPC had vomiting and diarrhea.

About 20 of them have been admitted to Father Colombo Hospital, Urusugutta Hunter Road, Warangal. Others were admitted to Hanumakonda Jaya Hospital. On learning about the matter, a medical team led by Hanumakonda District Health Department DMHO Dr. Madan Mohan Rao visited the college and organized a health camp with the medical officers of Kadipikonda Primary Health Center.

Medical treatment was provided to the students of the college. He also inspected the medical services provided to the students who are being treated at Father Colombo Hospital. Dr. Madan Mohan Rao said that the medical officers of Kadapi Konda are supervising to provide better treatment to the students. He said that most of those admitted to the hospital have recovered and been discharged, and currently only six female students are undergoing treatment. They will also be discharged in the

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evening. He said that the students were made sick due to eating chicken and egg food in the college along with the food provided by their parents who came from home.

Meanwhile, parents and student union leaders are expressing concern as they are being secretly taken to the hospital for treatment. Essar Prime administrators are concerned that the focus on fee collection is not on children's health. They are criticizing that they are leaving cleanliness to the wind. The student unions are demanding to cancel the recognition of Essar Prime and take action. While the management remained silent, the hospital doctors said that there is no need to worry about the health of the students.

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