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<b>Title:</b>	<b>21-day-old infant died after being administered polio drop in district Kendrapada, Odisha</b>			
Action By CSU, IDSP -NCDC	Information communicated to DSU-Kendrapada, SSU-Odisha			

In a shocking incident, a 21-day-old infant died after being administered polio drop at a polio booth under Pattamundai block in Kendrapada district on Sunday.

According to reports, Suprabha Sathy, the mother of the child, took her sick son who was suffering from chicken pox, to the polio booth at the Kathiapada ME School. However, the baby died minutes after taking polio drops. The infant was rushed to Pattamundai Community Health Centre, where doctors declared the child brought dead. The family of the deceased alleged that a local ASHA worker had advised them to get the baby administered with polio drops even though he was suffering from chicken pox. The mother lodged an FIR at the Pattamundai police station regarding the matter. A pall of gloom descended on the area as the day was the ekaoisia ceremony of the child.

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