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Dengue is back to haunt denizens of Cuttack. In last two weeks, at least 11 cases of dengue have been reported officially in the city. And the major cause of concern is that out of 11, atleast eight cases have been reported from Jagatpur locality.

After detection of the cases, Cuttack Municipal Corporation (CMC) has started sanitation and cleanliness drive in the city and especially, in Jagatpur locality. CMC health officer P K Pradhan said that through loudspeakers awareness is being created among denizens about do's and don'ts of dengue. Besides, special teams have been formed to carry out bush cutting and to clear water stagnation in unused tyres and septic tanks in the locality. Anti mosquito chemical is also being sprayed in the drains."As Jagatpur is an industrial area we are facing lot of difficulty in dealing with the situation. Lot of crap is lying on the premises of many industrial units, which has turned an apt breeding ground for mosquitoes,' said Pradhan. Notably, in 2013, over 1400 cases of dengue were reported in the city.

Looking at the inflow of dengue patients, a special dengue ward has been made operational at SCB Medical college and hospital and even a dedicated team has been formed to ensure proper healthcare to the patients. 'The ward has 30 beds and if required we will increase its strength,' said administrative officer of SCB, Pratap Mishra. By Monday evening atleast 8 patients were undergoing treatment in the dengue ward.

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