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<b>Title:</b>	<b>5 more test anthrax +ve in district Rayagada, Odisha</b>			
Action By CSU, IDSP -NCDC	Information communicated to DSU-Rayagada, SSU-Odisha			

AT least five persons of Taladheska village under Kashipur block tested positive for anthrax on Saturday. Dr Ram Prasad Mohapatra of Mobile Health Unit (MHU) said at least seven persons of Dabadaiguda and five of Taladheska village were referred to District Headquarters Hospital (DHH). Three persons of Dabadaiguda died in the last five days. Additional District Medical Officer, Public Health, Dr BLN Prusty said a team of DHH will visit the affected village besides the surrounding villages on Sunday to take stock of the situation. After receiving complaints of suspected anthrax cases, a team of DHH and Kashipur CHC rushed to the village. According to medical sources, villagers had consumed stale buffalo meat which was brought from Taladheska village. The MHU has distributed preventive drugs among the residents of the two affected villages. The three deceased are Jaimoti Jhodia (40), Somnath Naik (50) and Gaurimani Naik, an old woman. While Jhodia and Naik died on Tuesday, Gaurimani died on Friday. All of them were suffering boils on their hands and legs and acute body pain and fever.

### No awareness

Health officials of DHH and Kashipur CHC in Dabadiguda village to examine anthrax patients Villagers had consumed stale buffalo meat 15 days back Three persons have died in four days, 10 others suffering At least 10 persons have died of anthrax in eight months in Jammuguda, Haridashpur and Kapadanga under Kashipur block of the district

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