

Letter no: 872

From - Dr. M.P.Sharma  
Addl. Director cum  
State Programme Officer (VBD)  
Chief Malaria Office, Sultanganj, Patna

To,

**Principal & Superintendent,**  
PMCH Patna, NMCH Patna, ANMMCH Gaya,  
JLNMCH Bhagalpur, DMCH Darbhanga, SKMCH Muzaffarpur.  
**Director,**  
RMRIMS, Patna

Patna, Dated 09.09.2020

Subject:- Test for Dengue/Chikungunya.

Dear Sir,

You are aware that during monsoon period the vector density of Aedes mosquito causing Dengue & Chikungunya is high and this congenial environmental condition is responsible for transmission of the disease. This year till date no Dengue/Chikungunya case has been reported from Sentinel Surveillance Hospitals and this may suddenly lead to spurt in Dengue cases and be very difficult to contain and may eventually overload our health facility already burdened with COVID-19.

It is suggested that all recent fever cases coming to outdoor must be examined for Dengue/Chikungunya. The state has ensured uninterrupted supply of NS1/IgM ELISA Kits to all the Sentinel Surveillance Hospitals.

You are requested to direct all Head of the Departments to refer the recent fever cases to Department of Microbiology for Dengue/Chikungunya test.

Please keep this office updated with daily reporting.

With regards,

Sri Krishan Medical College, Muz.

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Date: 11/09/2020

Receiver Sign

Sincerely yours,

09.09.2020

(Dr. M.P.Sharma)

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- Copy to :-1 . Director-in-Chief, Health Services, Bihar, Patna for your kind information.  
2.Executive Director, SHSB, Patna for your kind information.  
3. Principal Secretary, Health Department for your kind information.

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