

Diarrhoea turns epidemic, claims 5



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Diarrhoea has turned epidemic claiming five lives and several affected in the villages of Wajao, Hajadisa and Diger constituencies of Dima Hasao Autonomous Council under Maibang Civil Sub-Division from June 7 last.

It is learnt more than fifty people of Khepre, Wajao, Deger, Hajadisa villages are affected by Diarrhoea reportedly due to untreated water since the water supply in these villages is totally absent. The victims died on the way to Maibang as they were brought for proper treatment at Maibang. The villagers have been demanding for proper water supply since long but authority concerned always remained silent to their pleas, people alleged.

Meanwhile the Jadikhe Naisho Hosom, (JNH) Dimasa Apex body has informed the Joint Director, Health Services, Dima Hasao and requested to send at least three medical teams to these villages for medical relief with adequate medicines as the area is quite big with large population.

When the Joint Director, Health Services, Dima Hasao Dr F T Amo contacted he disclosed that a medical team from Maibang has been sent to Wajao, Hajadisa and Diger area and he is waiting for the report from this visiting team.

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