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Title:	36 girls take ill after food poisoning in Mahabubabad district, Telangana			
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As many as 36 girl students were taken to a government hospital after they fell sick due to suspected food poisoning at Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV) residential school at Dharmanna Colony in Mahabubabad district on Thursday.

According to KGBV staff, the students were served tomato curry with rice and sambhar for dinner in their hostel mess on Wednesday night. On Thursday morning, the girls complained of vomiting and stomach pain to the headmaster and hostel warden.

The hostel staff initially decided not to reveal about the incident to the girls' parents and gave them medicine. However, when the students developed severe stomach pain and vomiting, they were taken to the district government hospital. When the parents were informed, they rushed to the hospital.

Minister for tribal welfare Satyavathi Rathod enquired about the incident and ordered the medical staff to provide proper treatment to the students.

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School's special officer, B Bhavani, they suspect the students fell ill due to contaminated water and food. "Food and water samples have been sent for testing. Based on the report we will take action," she said.

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