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Even as the threat of Omicron variant of Covid 19 rises, Mucormycosis is back in Haryana. According to state health authorities, 18 patients of Mucormycosis are under treatment at Pt Bhagwat Dayal PGIMS Rohtak.

Of these, 16 are from Rohtak and surrounding areas, while two are from NCR. So far, no death has been reported from the deadly disease in recent weeks.

“Majority of these patients have comorbidities. There are cases wherein the patients had either concealed or were ignorant about being diabetic during the treatment of Delta variant of Covid. The patients are responding to the treatment and the PGIMS has sufficient arrangement,” said a senior official in the Haryana medical education and research (MER) department.

Till December 8, Rohtak had registered 500 cases. Overall, Haryana has reported around 1,793 Mucormycosis cases and 274 deaths so far.

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The state had been facing threat from Covid as well as vector-borne disease (VBD) since September. With the count crossing 11,831, Haryana has surpassed its six-year-old record of dengue. In 2015, Haryana had seen 9,921 cases and 13 deaths.

“Our main thrust is on testing. We have ordered for RTPCR for dengue and Covid for the purpose of complete diagnose. At the same time Covid patients who are being given injectables are given awareness about Mucor symptoms, as well,” said an official of health department.

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