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<b>Title:</b>	<b>60 residents in Ghaziabad condominium fell ill, water contamination suspected, Uttar Pradesh</b>			
Action By CSU, IDSP -NCDC	Information communicated to DSU-Ghaziabad, SSU-Uttar Pradesh			

Nearly 60 residents, mostly children, of Land Craft Golf Link in Ghaziabad fell sick on Wednesday morning, prompting the authorities to send medical teams to the residential society for checkups.

Officials suspect consumption of contaminated drinking water led to the health emergency in the society.

Residents had initially thought that this problem was caused due to change of weather, but when as many as 59 people, including 38 children, started facing health issues like vomiting and loose motion, the alarm bells started ringing. "Both of my sons started vomiting and complained of stomach ache in the morning, while the elders in the family had fever. When several families experienced the same symptoms, the health department officials were informed," said Nidhi Jain, a resident.

Dr Bhavtosh Shankdhar, chief medical officer of Ghaziabad, said that teams, including ambulances, were also rushed to the society "as soon as we were alerted".

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“Our teams monitored the health of the children and other residents who fell ill. A team will again visit the society on Thursday and Friday.”

Few children were also referred to the outpatient department of hospitals, officials said. Later in the day, the medical teams collected samples from eight water sources, including the storage tanks and taps in households.

“The samples have been sent for lab testing. Once the report is with us, the actual cause will be ascertained,” Shankdhar said.

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