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With two cases registered on Sunday and Monday, the total number of swine flu (H1N1) cases in the city has touched three. Earlier, Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC) officials had identified a person from Paldi — undergoing treatment at SVP Hospital — as having swine flu. Officials at Civil Hospital confirmed that a 44-year-old man from Mehsana, who was admitted on Sunday, was identified as a swine flu suspect on Monday. "His samples have been sent for testing. We will soon receive the report," said a senior official. Meanwhile, AMC officials said that a 71-year-old man from Nikol, admitted to a private hospital in the city, was another case of confirmed swine flu.

"Isolation wards and medication are available and suspects are being screened," said Dr Guntant Rathod, the medical superintendent of Civil Hospital. According to the data released by the AMC on Monday, compared to 91 cases of dengue from December 8 to 14, the cases went down to 77 from December 15 to 21.

In the same period, the cases of chikungunya rose from 8 to 10. Deaths due to malaria (PF) remained two in both 2018 and 2019 whereas dengue deaths have risen from 4 in 2018 to 13 in 2019 so far. "From the last week of November, dengue cases have reported a steady decline," said an AMC official citing official data. "Water-borne diseases have also recorded a decline. The focus is on seasonal epidemics in both government and private hospitals."

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