

# **DENGUE FEVER: A REVIEW**

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#### Abstract

May 16th is recognized as the National Day of Dengue in India. The Swahili term dinga, representing fastidious or careful, originates from the Spanish word dengue. An effort by the National Dengue Day Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is intended to increase awareness of dengue and its prevention measures. Dengue fever (DF) is a widespread dengue virus-induced mosquito-borne illness. It is caused by the dengue virus serotype 4 and is spread to humans by the female Aedes mosquito. Dengue virus transmission is highly affected by Aedes aegypti's primary mosquito vector, rainfall, temperature utilization, and distribution. In preparing effective control measures against dengue fever, information on the burden of dengue disease, its occurrence rate, and regional spread is important. To monitor and deter the transmission of pathogens and to minimize influenza flare-ups, global warming plays a major role in calculating disease dissemination.

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## **INTRODUCTION**

The beginning of the word "Dengue" is derived from the Swahili phrase ka-dinga pepo which describes the sickness as being due to an evil spirit. The Swahili word dinga her it's beginning from the Spanish word dengue, which means fastidious or careful [1]. Dr. Benjama Rusha Professor of chemistry and scientific idea at the UPEN, in the course of the. Philadelphia in 1779-1780, first described the dramatic symptoms of dengue as smash bone fever. (Myalgia and arthralgia). Dengue fever to saver dengue hemorrhagic fever DHF and dengue shock syndrome DSS which can also flip fatal. Benjamin Rush used the call "Bilious remitting fever". The first file of case of in all likelihood dengue fever became discovered in Chinese medical encyclopedia from Jin Dynasty's which referred to a "water poison". Associated with flying insect's vascular leakage in this patient outcomes in hemoconcentration and severe effusion and might result in circulatory fall apart has been defined [2].

## Types of Dengue

There are 4 sorts DENV-1, DENV-2, DENV-three, and DENV-four. It belongs to the genus flavivirus, the family Flaviviridae. (Of which yellow fever virus is the sort species.) which incorporates about fifty-three viruses [3].



# Pathophysiology

At first, The transmission cycle of the Dengue virus through the mosquito *Aedes aegypti* beings with a Dengue infected man or woman. This man or woman may have a virus circulating within the blood a viremia that lasts for about five days. Second, during the viremic period, an uninfected lady *Aedes aegypti* mosquito bites the man or woman and ingests blood that carries the Dengue virus. On the 0.33 degree, the mosquito then bites an inclined character and transmits the virus. The incubation phase lasts a variety from 3 to 14 days. (Common 4 to 7 days)., even as virus replication takes place in target dendrites cells. Infection of target cells broadly speaking those of the reticuloendothelial and endothelial cells[4].

## Epidemiology

Dengue currently is seemed globally as the most crucial mosquito-borne viral disease. Estimates of the worldwide occurrence of Dengue infection in keeping with year have ranged between 50 million and two hundred hundreds of thousands but recent estimate the usage of carto picture approach advise this number in the direction of nearly 4000 million [5][6]. The epidemiological statistics in accordance o IECR are given in figure 1.

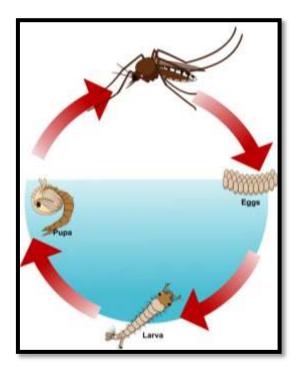


Figure 1. The life cycle of Mosquito

#### Signs and Symptoms

Signs which generally start in four to six days after contamination and last for up to 10 days can also include, unexpected high fever, extreme headache, pain behind the attention, extreme joint and muscle ache, nausea and vomiting, pores and skin rash, moderate bleeding (nostril



bleeding), and so forth. Now and then symptoms are moderate and can be unsuitable for those of the flu or some other viral contamination [7].

Haematological parameters include the following:

- Leucopenia. (WBC<5000 cells/mm 3)
- Thrombocytopenia (<150,000 cells/mm 3)</li>
- Everyday Platelets matter (15- four lac )
- In dengue patient (20,000 forty,000)
- In viral fever upto (ninety,000)

#### Prevention of Dengue fever (DF)

- No vaccine can protect towards DF most effective heading off mosquito chew can prevent it.
- Everybody who lives in or tours to a danger region can use a no of manner to keep away from being bitten.
- Apparel: reduce the quantity of skin uncovered by warming lengthy pants, lengthy-sleeved shirts and socks, and wearing a hat.
- Mosquito repellent: Use a repellent with as a minimum 2% awareness of diethyl Toluamide [DEET]. Avoid the use of DEET on young youngsters.
- Mosquito traps and nets: Nets are handled with insecticide are extra powerful otherwise the mosquito can chew via the net of the individual is status next to it.
- Keep away from scents: heavily scents soaps and perfumes can also attract mosquitoes.
- Camping equipment: treat garments, footwear, and camping tools with permethrin.
- Timing: try to avoid being outdoor at down dirt and early evening.
- Stagnant water: The Aedes mosquito breeds in clean, stagnant water, checking for and casting off stagnant water can help lessen the hazard [8][9].

#### Diagnosis of Dengue Fever

Prognosis of DF can be difficult because, its signal and signs and symptoms can be easily stressed with those of different disorders, which include malaria, leptospirosis, and typhoid fever. Journey records and overseas tour history govern the infection in most instances. Sure laboratory checks can stumble on proof of the dengue virus but results typically are too overdue to help direct treatment decision. Dengue can be diagnosed using laboratory take a look at to determine the presence of Dengue antibodies (igg &igm) and thru polymers chain reaction PCR to decide the presence of the virus. Ideally, this test needs to be accomplished in the first few days of the patient's signs. The assessments may be performed at the local hospital or fitness clinic [10].



# Treatment of DF

A vaccine for DF has been permitted and it's commercially to be had in a lot of international locations. The vaccine, however, is only suggested in those who have been previously infected another method of prevention include decreasing mosquito habitat and restricting publicity to bites for commonly dengue other remedy is only worried about the relief of the signs and symptoms relaxation and fluids intake for good enough hydration is important.

Dragon fruit is also a very rich supply of vitamin C. Dragon fruit boom haemoglobin and is healthful for the bones Dengue is known as the bone-breaking fever. And Papaya leaves works wonders on a Dengue patient while platelets drop to the count of 50,000 Papaya leaf juice fill up if inside days and it could reach the mark of 20,000 [11].

#### Dengue Vaccine

Dengue Vaccine is used to prevent DF in humans. As of 2019 one model is commercial to be had, known as CYD – TDV, and offered underneath the emblem name Dengvaxia. Dengvaxia is the primary Dengue Vaccine permitted for use within the preventing of Dengue. Its miles set to come to market in Brazil and Mexico quickly. There is no phrase but on whilst it or every other Dengue Vaccine may be to be had in the USA[12].

#### CONCLUSION

DF is a risky and depilating disorder and it's developing a chance to international fitness. DF is the second most significant inside the global .the world fitness organization has an estimate that's between 50 and one hundred million humans be afflicted by DF every 12 months, that's more than the population of the United Kingdom – each year! The biggest problem is that DF is spreading rapidly but currently has the best symptomatic remedy.

Excessive Dengue changed into first identified in the 1950s at some point of Dengue epidemic inside the Philippines and Thailand. Nowadays Dengue impacts most of the Asian and Latin American nations and is a cause of demise among kids in these regions. As a result to defend in opposition to DF but predominant development has been made in developing a vaccine against DF.

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