

Seven die from dengue, 1,903 hospitalised in a day

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Online Desk: A total of seven patients died from dengue in the country in the last 24 hours till Wednesday morning, raising the death toll from the mosquito-borne disease to 1,355 this year.

According to the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS) some 1,903 people were admitted to different hospital during this period.

Of the new patients, 384 were admitted to hospitals in Dhaka and the rest outside the capital, DGHS said.

A total of 6,346 dengue patients, including 1,708 in the capital, are now receiving treatment at hospitals across the country.

So far, the DGHS has recorded 273,078 dengue cases and 265,377 recoveries this year.

September has so far been the deadliest month for the dengue outbreak this year with 396 fatalities and 79,598 cases, according to DGHS data.

Meanwhile, dengue claimed 281 lives in 2022.