Title: Need to check the spread of mysterious viral disease in Jalgaon district of Maharashtra.

SHRI HARIBHAU JAWALE (RAVER): A mysterious viral disease has affected over 700 students in the age group of 10 to 17 years at school level in Northern Maharashtra specifically in Jalgaon district. For the last 15 days schools have declared holidays. The Students have complained of vomiting, headache, suffocation and giddiness. This was observed when some of the students during school's prayer, suddenly collapsed and started complaining. Due to lack of proper facilities at the Primary Health Centre and Gramin Hospitals of the villages, the students were brought to the nearby town hospitals.

The symptoms of illness observed were sudden collapse with heavy vomitting sensation, highly suffocating with high fever. The parents of the students are in the frightened state and not sending their children to school. All the school education in the district had been hampered. The National Institute of Virology, Pune has given NIL Report by examining the samples taken from the affected students of different schools.

The Government Health Department should work had for the detection of so called mysterious Viral Infections, might be spreading through air. I through this august House request the Government to please detect the problems and take necessary steps urgently to trace & locate the cause for this Viral disease, as the infection is spreading very rapidly in the area of Northern Maharashtra and has now started in Marathwada.