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Title:	300 fell ill due to food poisoning in district Khandwa, Madhya Pradesh			
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Around 300 people were hospitalized on Thursday night in Khandwa after they suffered food poisoning.

The victims, residents of Khandwa, Indore and Burhanpur, had attended an engagement party in the district. Of the 300, 117 were admitted to district hospital and the remaining persons including the would be groom were admitted to two private hospitals on Khandwa.

Deputy epidemiologist at Khandwa district hospital Dr Yogesh Sharma said that all patients complained of diarrhoea and vomiting after they had dinner at an engagement party organized at Shehnai Palace in Khanshawali.

“At district hospital, 117 people including 64 women and four children below five years of age were admitted between 1.45am and 7am due to food poisoning. All patients, except three, were discharged by Friday evening after being provided primary treatment. The remaining three are suffering from diabetes/hypertension. They are also out of danger but have been kept under observation for 24-36 hours,”

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Dr Sharma said. "During the treatment, many patients complained that foul smell was coming from gulab jamun which could be because the sweet dish was probably made of contaminated mawa or other raw materials or the same was going stale due to increasing temperature," he said.

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