



## Contain Typhoid Before It Reaches Crisis Levels

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The Herald (Harare)-It is disheartening to note that typhoid cases continue to rise in Harare, though the cases have all been reported in Kuwadzana. Typhoid is a common worldwide bacterial disease, transmitted by the ingestion of food or water contaminated with faecal matter from an infected person, which contain the bacterium *Salmonella typhi*. The pathogen works by perforating through the intestinal wall and thrives at 37 Degrees Celsius - human body temperature.

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