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Dear Editors,

The recent publication on dengue and psychiatry disorder is quite interesting¹. Caixeta et al.¹ concluded for "relationship between psychiatric disorder and actions upon environmental conditions that favors dengue, as well as its associated public health burden". Indeed, the psychiatric presentation of dengue is possible and considered uncommon². The neurological involvement of dengue can be seen in severe case and this can be the explanation for the psychiatric sequelae³. However, for the classical dengue without complication, the relationship between infection and psychiatric manifestation might still be the myth. The actual pathophysiology process has never been clarified although the observation is reported¹.

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