

Child suicide bomber kills five at wedding in Afghanistan

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An injured man receives treatment at the hospital, after a suicide attack in Jalalabad, Afghanistan. (REUTERS)

Kabul: A 13-year-old suicide bomber blew himself up at a wedding in eastern Afghanistan's Nangarhar province, killing five people and injuring 11 others.

Police official Fayz Mohammad Babarkhil said the child blew himself up early Friday at a wedding organized by Malik Toor, a commander of a pro-government militia.

Toor died in the attack, and officials said he was the likely target of the bomber. The attack took place in Pachirwa Agham district of Nangarhar province.

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