Macintosh IIci/Portable: Crash May Be Caused by WDEF Virus

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TOPIC --

Is there any history of floppy-disk errors occurring under System 6.0.4 that take the system down?

I been experiencing random system crashes (ID=0) when inserting or ejecting floppy disks. The disks are readable on systems running System 6.0.3, and the problem seems to appear only on the Macintosh IIci and Macintosh Portable.

I've rebuilt the desktops of the hard drive and the floppy disks, but the problem continues.

Is this problem characteristic of the WDEF virus? Is it likely that they are reinfecting their systems? Or is there another reason why this problem seems to be confined to the new machines?

DISCUSSION ---

There isn't a history of disk errors that cause any system to bomb. However, as you mentioned, the symptoms are characteristic of a WDEF virus infection on a Macintosh IIci or Macintosh Portable. It is possible you are reinfecting your own systems. Perhaps if you are reinfecting your systems, you should acquire a virus interception program and run a virus detection program routinely.
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