

Friday - 12 th September 2025			Conference Day 1	
Jamshed Bhabha Theatre		Tata Theatre		
09:00 - 09:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Dilip Mathai, Dr. Tushar Medhekar			
	Presidential Address- Dr. George M Varghese Infectious diseases in India: the role of CIDS			
09:25 - 09:35 am	Moderators: Dr. Dilip Mathai, Dr. Tushar Medhekar	09.25 - 09.35 am	Moderators: Dr. Mayur Ramesh, Dr. Laxman Jessani	
	Interesting Neuro case Dr. Ravikant Porwal		ALT case Dr. Saidulu Ganta	
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	Approach to Meningo-encephalitis beyond the ME panel in India Dr. Kavitha Saravu		C difficile: Approach and treatment options in India Dr. Parikshit Prayag	
10:00 - 10:10 am	Moderators: Dr. Nitin Bansal, Dr. Hemant Mehta	10.00 - 10.10 am	Moderators: Dr. Swapnil Gautam, Dr. Netto George	
	Interesting case on UTI Dr. Anivita Agrawal		HAI Interesting case Dr. Geethu Joe	
10:10 - 10:30 am	Moderators: Dr. Nitin Bansal, Dr. Hemant Mehta	10.10 - 10.30 am	Moderators: Dr. Swapnil Gautam, Dr. Netto George	
	What is new in UTI Dr. Umang Agrawal		Real Life challenges for Infection control in India Dr. A Rajalakshmi	

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10:35 - 11:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Abi Manesh, Dr. Netto George	10:35-10:55 am	Moderators: Dr. Neha Patel, Dr. Shailendra Hodgar
	Interesting Respiratory infections cases Presenters: Dr. Abi Manesh, Dr. Netto George Panelists: Dr. Tejas Bende Dr. Akshatha Ravindra Dr. Geethu Joe Dr. Veeren Ganta Dr. Dipanjan Bandyopadhyay		AMSP: what works in India Dr. Anup Warriar
11:20 - 11:50 am	Tea Break	11:00 - 11:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Ravikant Porwal, Dr. Shailendra Hodgar
			Community outbreak case: Dr. Aravind R
11:55 - 12:20 pm	Moderators: Dr. Senthur Nambi, Dr. Aravind R	11:55 - 12:15 pm	Moderators: Dr. Agam Vora, Dr. Vikas Suri
12:25 - 1:10pm	Recent trends in GNB resistance and treatment options in India Dr. V Balaji	12:15 - 12:35 pm	TDM : antibacterials: Dr. Parikshit Prayag
			TDM: antifungals: Dr. Atul Patel
12:40 - 1:15 pm	Moderators: Dr. Senthur Nambi, Dr. Aravind R	12:40 - 1:15 pm	Moderators: Dr. Wasim Khot, Dr. Nitin Bansal
	Interesting cases: GPC resistance and treatment options Presenters: Dr. Senthur Nambi, Dr. Aravind R Panelists: Dr. Nitin Gupta, Dr. Subbalakshmi, Dr. Swati Goel, Dr. Anup Warriar, Dr. A Rajalakshmi		Interactive cases : GNB Resistance Presenters: Dr. Wasim Khot, Dr. Nitin Bansal Panelists: Dr. Ashwini Tayade, Dr. Shaoli Basu, Dr. P S Shareek, Dr. Nikhil Balankhe

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2:00 - 2:20 pm	Moderator: Dr. Wasim Khot, Dr. Mangesh Tiwaskar	2:00 - 2:20 pm	Moderators: Dr. Kedar Toraskar, Dr. Behram Pardiwala
	Timing of antibiotics in Sepsis: Dr. O C Abraham		Recent papers in ID- session 1 Dr. Rajeev Soman <i>Sponsored by: Emcure</i>
2:25 - 2:50 pm	Moderators: Dr. Sheela Godbole, Dr. Alka Deshpande	2:25 - 2:45 pm	Moderators: Dr. Kedar Toraskar, Dr. Mayur Ramesh
	HIV- from past struggles to future breakthroughs/ Dr. Sanjay Pujari <i>Sponsored by: Emcure</i>		CEPZIS trial Dr. George M Varghese
2:55- 3:15 pm	Moderators: Dr. Anivita Agrawal, Dr. Sheela Godbole	2:50 - 3:10 pm	Moderators: Dr. Tejas Bende, Dr. V Ramasubramanian
	IRIS in HIV medicine Dr. Ayesha Sunavala <i>Sponsored by: Emcure</i>		When do I ignore a report!! Dr. Raman Gaikwad
3:20 - 3:40 pm	Moderators: Dr. Anivita Agrawal, Dr. Sheela Godbole	3:15 - 3:35 pm	Moderators: Dr. Swati Rajagopal, Dr. V Ramasubramanian
	STI: current challenges Dr. O C Abraham		Phage therapy Dr. Kalyan Koganti

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3:45 - 4:15 pm	Moderators: Dr. Tanu Singhal, Dr. Neha Patel	3:40 - 4:00 pm	Moderators: Dr. Swati Rajagopal, Dr. V Ramasubramanian
	Interesting cases: Peadiatric ID Presenters: Dr. Tanu Singhal, Dr. Neha Patel Panelists: Dr. Mamta Lala, Dr. Vinay D, Dr. Preeti Pillai, Dr. Shalmali Inamdar		Applicability of Metagenomics and NGS in ID practice (Case based) Dr. Nandini Sethuraman
4:15 - 5.00 pm	Industry symposium: Cipla Expanding the Available Armamentarium with Novel options in India for MDR; step towards AMS Speaker: Dr. V Balaji & Panel Discussion	4:00 - 5.00 pm	Industry symposium: Wockhardt Zidebactam-cefepime (Zayniche) in the management of Gram negative infections in MBL endemic settings Speakers: Dr. Thomas Lodise, Dr. Sachin Bhagwat & Panel Discussion
5:00- 6:00 pm	Moderators: Dr. Bharat Purandare, Dr. Ravikant Porwal	5:00- 6:00 pm	Moderators: Dr. Vikas Suri, Dr. Debajyoti Chatterjee
	Challenging cases in HIV medicine Presenters: Dr. Bharat Purandare, Dr. Ravikant Porwal		Clinicopathological correlation:
	Panelists: Dr. Ameet Dravid, Dr. J K Maniar, Dr. Atul Gogia, Dr. Jaya Chakravarty		Presenters: Dr. Vikas Suri, Dr. Debajyoti Chatterjee
	<i>Sponsored by: Emcure</i>		Discussants: Dr. Nathan Cummins, Dr. V Ramasubramanian

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6:00 - 6:30 pm	Moderators: Dr. Prakash Jiandani, Dr. Ashit Hegde From Accelerated Development to the Bedside: Using PK/PD to Navigate the 'Real-World' Use of Novel Antibiotics amidst Limited Clinical Data on MDR/XDR infections. Dr. Thomas Lodise	6:00 - 6:20 pm	Industry Symposium - Takeda Dengue Symposium : “Newer Approaches in Dengue Prevention Moderator: Dr. Puneet Kalra Panelists: Dr. Tanu Singhal, Dr. Senthur Nambi, Dr. Yogesh Gurav
		6:20 - 6:40 pm	Industry Symposium - Pfizer PCV20 - A new armament to battle against pneumococcal disease Speaker: Dr. V Ramasubramaniam Panel Discussion
6:30 - 6:50 pm	Industry Symposium - Kriya Medical Technologies Pvt Ltd Affordable Respiratory Molecular Diagnostics: Clinical Impact and Economic Realities Panelists: Dr. Shashikala S, Dr. Tejas Shroff, Dr. Ami Variya	6:40 - 7:00 pm	Industry Symposium – Haystacks Analytics NGS and Meta genomics
6:50 – 7:10 pm	Industry Symposium - Credence Genomics Clinical Metagenomics: leveraging clinical Impact		
6:00 - 7:00 pm	Poster Round		
7:30 - 8:30 pm	CIDS GC meeting		

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8:00 - 8:30 am	Moderators: Dr. Komal Singh, Dr. Haripriya Reddy Challa	8:00 - 9:00 am	Fellows Paper Presentation (Session 1) Judges: Dr. George K Varghese, Dr. Mala Kaneria, Dr. Aruna Poojary	
		Oral Papers		
	Innovative Entrepreneurship in Infectious Diseases: a new awakening Dr. Abdul Ghafur	8:00 - 8:10am	Clinical Outcomes of Early vs Late Renal Dose Adjustment of Meropenem in Critically Ill Sepsis Patients with AKI: An Open-Label Randomised Controlled Trial Dr. Angel Rose Varghese	
		8:10 - 8:20am	Comprehensive Report on Carbapenemase Genes in Enterobacterales: Indian Molecular Epidemiological Data (ATLAS Surveillance Data: 2019-2023) Dr. Abhisek Routray	
		8:20 - 8:30am	Impact of a Prospective Audit and Feedback(PPRF) - Based Antimicrobial Stewardship(AMS) Post-Intervention in the Hematology Department of a Tertiary Hospital in India. Dr. Saraswathi Uradi	

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8:30 - 9:00 am	From GenX to GenZ: Mentoring the next generation of ID consultants on the way forward Dr. Dilip Mathai	CIDS/RSTMH Trainee Research paper presentations	
		8:30 - 8:40am	Cross-Species Insights into MRSA: A Comparative Study of Human and Bovine Isolates from North India under the One Health Approach Dr. Adya Anwasha
		8:40 - 8:50am	Cytokine profile and immune cells in acute bacterial meningitis Dr. Aditi Das
		8:50 - 9:00am	Hains Line Probe Assay Demonstrates High Diagnostic Yield in Low-Burden GeneXpert Tuberculosis Cases: A Retrospective Study from South India Dr. Talluri Sri Sowmya
9:00 - 9:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Suneetha Narreddy, Dr. Divyashree S	9:00 - 9:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Devashish Desai, Dr. Prahlad Prabhudesai
			TB diagnostics- What's hot, what's not Dr. Camilla Rodrigues
	Infections in SOT : myths in management Dr. Subramanian Swaminathan	9:25 - 9:45 am	Moderators: Dr. Devashish Desai, Dr. Prashant Chajjed Primary Immunodeficiency Dr. Mukesh Desai

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9:25 - 10:10 am	Moderators: Dr. Suneetha Narreddy, Dr. Divyashree S	9:50 - 10:10 am	Moderators: Dr. Rahul Garg, Dr. Neha Rastogi
	Interactive cases: SOT Presenters: Dr. Suneetha Narreddy, Dr. Divyashree S Panelists: Dr. Kirti Sabnis, Dr. Gopalkrishna Bohra, Dr. Ankit Mittal, Dr. Nathan Cummins, Dr. Mohammad Niyas V K		Paradoxical reactions in TB (non-HIV) Dr. Prasannakumar P
10:10 - 10:30 am	Moderators: Dr. Abi Manesh, Dr. Neha Gupta	10:15 - 11:00 am	Moderators: Dr. Preeti Pillai, Dr. Umang Agrawal
	Febrile neutropenia: different approaches across continents Dr. P H Chandrasekar		Interactive cases: MDR, XDR TB Presenters: Dr. Preeti Pillai, Dr. Umang Agrawal Panelists: Dr. Komal Singh, Dr. Bharat Purandare, Dr. Parwinder Chawla, Dr. Siddhant Shetty
10:35 - 11:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Abi Manesh, Dr. Sujata Rege	11:00 - 11:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Mohammad Niyas V K, Dr. Senthur Nambi
	Interactive cases: HSCT Presenters: Dr. Abi Manesh, Dr. Sujata Rege Panelists: Dr. P H Chandrasekar, Dr. Rohit Vashisht, Dr. Neha Mishra, Dr. Haripriya Reddy Challa, Dr. Suneetha Narreddy		Recent papers in ID: session 2 Dr. Ashwini Tayade

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11:25 - 12:00 noon Inauguration @ Jamshed Bhabha Theatre			
12:00 - 12:20 pm	Moderators: Dr. Vidya Devarajan, Dr. Irfana Mohammad	12:00 - 12:20 pm	Moderators: Dr. Rohit Vashisht, Dr. Praveen Tirlangi
			2 Interesting NTM cases: Pulmonary NTM, NTM in HIV Dr. Atul Patel Sponsored by: Emcure
	Balancing innovation and Infection risks (Biologics and CAR-T) Dr. Vasant Nagvekar	12:25 - 12:45 pm	Moderators: Dr. Rohit Vashisht, Dr. Praveen Tirlangi
12:25 - 1:15 pm	Moderators: Dr. Vidya Devarajan, Dr. Devashish Desai		Nosocomial NTM in India Dr. Ayesha Sunavala
	Interactive cases (Rheumatology, Haematology - Oncology) Presenters: Dr. Vidya Devrajan, Dr. Devashish Desai Panelists: Dr. Madhumita Ram, Dr. Parwinder Chawla, Dr. Raman Gaikwad, Dr. Ram Gopalakrishnan, Dr. Mavur Ramesh	12:45 - 1:15 pm	Moderator: Dr. Gopalkrishna Bohra, Dr. Nikhil Balankhe Rabies FAQs Dr. Vinay D

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2:00 - 2:20 pm	Moderators: Dr. Pruthu Dhekane, Dr. Pragya Yadav	2:00 - 2:20 pm	Moderators: Dr. N Santhanam, Dr. Nitin Shinde
	Lyme disease in India Dr. Rama Chaudhary		Common errors in lab and clinical mycology Dr. Arunaloke Chakrabarti
2:25 - 2:50 pm	Moderators: Dr. Pruthu Dhekane, Dr. Pratik Sawaj	2:25 - 2:50 pm	Moderators: Dr. N Santhanam, Dr. Nitin Shinde
	Is typhoid still the same? Dr. Soumendranath Halder		ECMM ISHAM guidelines- key recommendations Dr. Nathan Cummins
2:55 - 3:40 pm	Moderators: Dr. Nitin Gupta, Dr. Venkat Ramesh	2:55 - 3:40 pm	Moderators: Dr. Tanu Singhal, Dr. Aashna Gandhi
	Interactive cases: Make in India Presenters: Dr. Nitin Gupta, Dr. Venkat Ramesh		Interesting cases of Invasive Fungal Infections (Session 1) Sponsored by Viatrix Presenters: Dr. Tanu Singhal, Dr. Aashna Gandhi
	Panelists: Dr. George M Varghese, Dr. Mala Kaneria, Dr. Divya Joshi, Dr. Soumendranath Halder		Panelists: Dr. Shivaprakash, Dr. Irfana Mohammad, Dr. Piyush Chaudhari, Dr. N Santhanam, Dr. Ram Gopalakrishnan

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3:40 - 4:00 pm	Moderators: Dr. George M Varghese, Dr. Mala Kaneria	3:40 - 4:00 pm	Moderators: Dr. Trupti Gilada, Dr. Kirti Sabnis
	Advances in Rapid and Accurate Diagnostics for Acute Febrile Illnesses Dr. Nick Day		Resistance in dermatophytes: itching for a solution Dr. Shivaprakash M R
4:00 - 4:45 pm	Lunch Symposium: Pfizer MBL Under Siege: Optimizing Treatment in the Age of Superbugs International Speaker: Dr. Garyfallia Poulakou, <i>Greece</i> Co-Chairpersons: Dr Subramanian Swaminathan, Dr V. Balaji Case Discussion: Dr. Monalisa Sahu Panelists: Dr. Garyfallia Poulakou, Dr. Subramanian Swaminathan, Dr. V. Balaji, Dr. Parikshit Prayag, Dr. Monalisa Sahu	4:00 - 4:45 pm	Lunch Symposium: GSK Adult Vaccination
			Panelists: Dr. Tanu Singhal, Dr. Neha Gupta, Dr. Swapnil Gautam Cultivating a Preventive Mindset for VPDs: Focus on Shingles Dr. V Ramasubramanian

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4:45 - 5:30 pm	Moderators: Dr. Madhumita Ram, Dr. Praveen Trilangi Interactive cases : Reverse travel medicine Presenters: Dr. Madhumita Ram, Dr. Praveen Tirlangi Panelists: Dr. Kavitha Saravu, Dr. Nitin Shinde, Dr. Nick Day	4:45 - 5:30 pm	Moderators: Dr. Neha Gupta, Dr. Pruthu Dhekane
			Interesting cases of invasive fungal infections (Session 2)
			Presenters: Dr. Neha Gupta, Dr. Pruthu Dhekane Panelists: Dr. Atul Gogia, Dr. Deepak Kumar, Dr. Mahesh Lakhe, Dr. Rahul Garg, Dr. Ram Gopalakrishnan
5:30 - 6:15 pm	Quiz - Scavenger Hunt Quiz Masters: Dr. Akshatha Ravindra, Dr. Yash Khatod	5:30 - 6:15 pm	Moderator: Dr. Subramanian Swaminathan
			Ask me Anything
			Presenter: Dr. Subramanian Swaminathan Panelists: Dr. Arunaloke Chakrabarti, Dr. Camilla Rodrigues, Dr. Nathan Cummins, Dr. Rajeev Soman, Dr. P H Chandrasekar
5:30 - 6:30 pm	Poster Round		
6:30 - 7:15 pm	Cultural Program		
7:30 - 8:30 pm	CIDS GBM		
8:30 pm onwards - Banquet			

Sunday, 14 th September 2025		Conference Day 3	
Jamshed Bhabha Theatre		Tata Theatre	
8:00 - 9:00 am	Moderators: Dr. Parth Shah, Dr. Ankit Mittal	8:00 - 9:00 am	Fellows paper presentation (Session 2)
	4 Guidelines presentation Dr. Rucha Karad, Dr. Anita Mathew, Dr. Siddhant Shetty, Dr. Nisarg Shah <i>Sponsored by: Emcure</i>		Judges: Dr. Swati Goel, Dr. Arvind Kumar, Dr. Vidyullata Koparkar
9:00 - 9:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Surabhi Madan, Dr. Kanishka Dawda	9:00 - 9:20 am	Moderators: Dr. Chintan Kaswala, Dr. Muralidhar Varma
	Prophylaxis in Indian TID context Dr. Vishnu Rao		Diagnostic tests in Parasitology, its availability and clinical applicability? Dr. Partha Banerjee
9:25 - 9:45 am	Moderators: Dr. Surabhi Madan, Dr. Kanishka Dawda	9:25 - 9:45 am	Moderators: Dr. Chintan Kaswala, Dr. Monalisa Sahu
	Role of new drugs in SSTI Dr. Neha Mishra		Surprises in ID- Radiologist perspective Dr. Bhavin Jankharia
9:50 - 10:35 am	Moderators: Dr. Vikas Deswal, Dr. Pratik Sawaj	9:50 - 10:35 am	Moderators: Dr. Vishnu Rao, Dr. Sujata Rege
	Interactive cases: Skin and soft tissue infections Presenters: Dr. Vikas Deswal, Dr. Pratik Sawaj Panelists: Dr. Mahesh Lakhe, Dr. Muralidhar Verma, Dr. Aashna Gandhi, Dr. Arvind Kumar		Challenging cases in ID: Presenters: Dr. Vishnu Rao, Dr. Sujata Rege Panelists: Dr. Soumyadip Chatterji, Dr. Chhavi Gupta, Dr. Ankita Baidya, Dr. Pratik Patil, Dr. Rajiv Karthik

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11:00 - 11:30 am	Moderators: Dr. Prashant Chajjed, Dr. Surendran Rajendran	11:00 - 11:45 am	Moderators: Dr. Piyush Chaudhari, Dr. Chintan Kaswala
	Advances in TB treatment Dr. Zarir Udwadia		Interactive cases on Orthopaedic infections Presenters: Dr. Piyush Chaudhari, Dr. Chintan Kaswala Panelists: Dr. Vikas Agashe, Dr. Aruna Poojary, Dr. Kanishka Davda, Dr. Pratik Patil
11:40 - 12:30 pm	Moderators: Dr. Surabhi Madan, Dr. Surendran Rajendran	11:45 - 12:30 pm	Moderators: Dr. Swati Rajagopal, Dr. Neha Rastogi Panda
	Interactive cases: Endocarditis		Interactive cases: Intra-abdominal infections
	Presenters: Dr. Surabhi Madan, Dr. Surendran Rajendran		Presenters: Dr. Swati Rajagopal, Dr. Neha Rastogi Panda
	Panelists: Dr. C K Ponde, Dr. Vikas Deswal, Dr. Laxman Jessani, Dr. Suresh Kumar D, Dr. Rajiv Karthik		Panelists: Dr. Monalisa Sahu, Dr. Hitesh Mehta, Dr. Wasim Khot, Dr. Saurabh Chakravarty, Dr. Trupti Gilada
12:30 pm onwards	Prize distribution, followed by Vote of Thanks		