



AMRITA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES AND RESEARCH CENTRE

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**DEPARTMENT OF RHEUMATOLOGY
PG TEACHING SCHEDULE- JULY 2025**

THEORY (TIME:8AM TO 9AM)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
05/07/2025	Host Defence and Immune Architecture	Dr.Meghana	Dr.Mithun CB
12/07/2025	Inflammasome	Dr.Gopika	Dr.Suma Balan
19/07/2025	Monocytes and Macrophages	Dr.Ashwani	Dr.Jyothi S
26/07/2025	PRRs	Dr.Deeksha	Dr.Sandeep S

**SEMINARS (TIME:3PM TO 4PM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL FACULTIES & PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
07/07/2025	Complement System in Disease	Dr.Deeksha	Dr.Suma Balan
14/07/2025	Dendritic Cells: Subsets	Dr.Meghana	Dr.Jyothi S
21/07/2025	Neutrophils and NETosis	Dr.Gopika	Dr.Mithun CB
28/07/2025	Innate Immune Circuits	Dr.Ashwani	Dr.Sandeep S

**CASE PRESENTATIONS TIME: 8:30 AM TO 9:30AM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
01/07/2025	SLE with Lupus Nephritis	Dr.Sabin	Dr.Mithun CB
08/07/2025	Axial SpA	Dr.Abhinav	Dr.Suma Balan
15/07/2025	RA with ILD	Dr.Sabin	Dr.Sandeep S
22/07/2025	Systemic Sclerosis	Dr.Abhinav	Dr.Jyothi Srikanth

**JOURNAL CLUBS (TIME:4PM TO 5PM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL FACULTIES & PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
03/07/2025	Richard A Furie, Gustavo Aroca, Matthew D Cascino, et al. B-cell depletion with obinutuzumab for the treatment of proliferative lupus nephritis: a randomised, double-blind, placebo-controlled trial, Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases.2022: 81: 1:100-107, ISSN 0003-4967	Dr.Sabin	Dr. Jyothi Srikanth

10/07/2025	Dafne Capelusnik, Clementina Lopez-Medina, Désirée van der Heijde, et al. Evaluation of instruments assessing peripheral arthritis in spondyloarthritis: an analysis of the ASAS-PerSpA study, <i>Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases</i> . 2025;84:8: 1324-1334, ISSN 0003-4967	Dr.Abhinav	Dr.Suma Balan
17/07/2025	Blockmans D, Penn SK, Setty AR, et al. SELECT-GCA Study Group. A Phase 3 Trial of Upadacitinib for Giant-Cell Arteritis. <i>N Engl J Med</i> . 2025 May 29;392(20):2013-2024. doi: 10.1056/NEJMoa2413449. Epub 2025 Apr 2. PMID: 40174237	Dr.Ashwani	Dr.Suma Balan
31/07/2025	Locatelli F, Jordan MB, Allen C, et al. Emapalumab in children with primary hemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis. <i>N Engl J Med</i> . 2020 May 7;382(19):1811–1822. doi:10.1056/NEJMoa1911326	Dr.Gopika	Dr.Suma Balan

**GROUP DISCUSSIONS (TIME:4PM TO 5PM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
02/07/2025	SLS Trials	Dr.Abhinav	All faculties
09/07/2025	NK cells and ILCs	Dr.Meghana	All faculties
23/07/2025	Spinal X-Rays	Dr.Gopika	All faculties
30/07/2025	B-Cell Development and Checkpoints	Dr.Deeksha	All faculties

**BEDSIDE TEACHING (TIME:4PM TO 5PM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	FACULTY
04/07/2025	MRSS	Dr.Jyothi Srikanth
11/07/2025	Approach to Oligoarthritis	Dr.Mithun CB
18/07/2025	PET scan significance in pediatric PUO	Dr.Suma Balan
25/07/2025	Wrist Ultrasound	Dr.Sandeep S

CLINICOPATHOLOGICAL MEET:

DATE	TOPIC	ATTENDEES
16/07/2025	Multicentric Castleman's Disease	All PGs

MORBIDITY & MORTALITY MEETING (TIME: 3PM TO 4 PM)

DATE	TOPIC	ATTENDEES
29/07/2025	ICU CASES	All Faculties & PGs

PROCEDURES

MONTH	PROCEDURES
July 2025	93



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