



**AMRITA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES AND RESEARCH CENTRE**

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**DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY  
PG TEACHING SCHEDULE JANUARY 2026**

**THEORY (10 am to 11 am)**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
02/01/2026	PUO- Rickettsia, Coxiella, bartonella	Dr.Divya
07/01/2026	Systemic candidiasis, mycoses	Dr.Ambili
09/01/2026	HIV	Dr.Anil
12/01/2026	Lymphatic filariasis	Dr.Anjana

**SEMINAR (11 am to 12 pm)  
(Attendees: All Faculties & PGs)**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
27/01/2026	Streptococcus mitis/oralis	Dr.Aswathi	Dr.Divya
28/01/2026	Mycoplasma infections	Dr.Mary	Dr.Nandita
20/01/2026	Acinetobacter baumannii	Dr.Leah	Dr.Poornima
30/01/2026	Bacterial virulence factors	Dr.Sonia	Dr.Chinnu

**JOURNAL CLUB (11 am to 12 pm)  
(Attendees: All Faculties & PGs)**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
17/01/2026	Naina McCann, Margarete Paganotti Vicentine .Safety, efficacy and immunogenicity of Salmonella Paratyphi A vaccine. The New-England Medical Review and Journal October 2025, 393(17):1704-1714	Dr.Leah	Dr.Nandita
12/01/2026	Ravi Kant, Naveen Kumar.Critical insights from recent outbreaks of Mycoplasma pneumoniae: decoding the challenges and effective interventions strategies. Int J Infect Dis. 2024 Oct:147:107200	Dr. Mary	Dr.Poornima

19/01/2026	Oliver A Cornely, Rosanne Sprute, Global guideline for the diagnosis and management of candidiasis: an initiative of the ECMM in cooperation with ISHAM and ASM The Lancet Infectious Diseases 2025;25(suppl 7) DOI:10.1016/S1473-3099(24)00749-7	Dr.Aswathi	Dr.Ambili
23/01/2026	Viravarn Luvira, Tanaya Siripoon · Strongyloides stercoralis: A Neglected but Fatal Parasite. op Med Infect Dis. 2022 Oct 17;7(10):310.	Dr.Irene	Dr.Divya

**DISCUSSION (10 am to 11 am)**  
(Attendees: All PGs)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
05/01/2026	Mycoplasma	Dr.Mary	Dr.Chinnu
14/01/2026	Candida auris	Dr.Leah	Dr.Nandita
19/01/2026	VZV	Dr.Sonia	Dr.Anna
29/01/2026	Dirofilaria	Dr.Aswathi	Dr.Divya

**CLINICAL PATHOLOGY MEETING ( TIME : 10 AM TO 11 AM)**  
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	Attended By
06/01/2026	Congenital Syphilis	Dr. Leah	All PGs

**PROCEDURES**

Bacteriology	Serology	Mycology	Parasitology	Virology	Immunology	Molecular	Others, Mycobacteriology
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