



AMRITA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES AND RESEARCH CENTRE

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DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHIATRY

P.G. TEACHING SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2026

THEORY (Time: 8am-9am)

DATE	TOPIC	FACULTY
04/04/2026	Trauma and stressor related disorders	Dr.Bindu Menon
10/04/2026	Disturbances of cognitive function and consciousness	Dr.Lakshmi.K.P
17/04/2026	Vascular Depression	Dr.Arjun Balaram
24/04/2026	Electro Convulsive Therapy	Dr.Kaushika

SEMINAR (Time: 4pm-5pm)
(Attendees : All Faculties & PGs)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	CHAIRPERSON
02/04/2026	Neurobiology of OCD	Dr.Raghu	Dr.Kaushika
09/04/2026	Motivation Enhancement Therapy	Dr.Ritu	Dr.Aiswarya
16/04/2026	Mood disorders - neurobiology and psychological theories	Dr.Sahil	Dr.Kathleen
23/04/2026	Phenomenology of schizophrenia	Dr.Rajeev	Dr.Bindhu
30/04/2026	Clinical features and management of OCD	Dr.Rahima	Dr.Lakshmi

CASE PRESENTATIONS (Time: 4pm-5pm)
(Attendees : All PGs)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
07/04/2026	Neurobiology of Obsessive compulsive Disorder	Dr.Raghu	Dr.Kaushika
14/04/2026	Recurrent depressive disorder	Dr.Ritu	Dr.Aiswarya R Kamath
21/04/2026	Bipolar Affective Disorder currently in mania	Dr.Rahima	Dr.Lakshmi.K.P
28/04/2026	Acute polymorphic psychotic disorder	Dr.Suraj	Dr.Kaushika

GROUP DISCUSSION- (Time:4pm-5pm)
(Attendees : All PGs)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
01/04/2026	Suicide risk assessment and management	Dr.Naveen	Dr.Aiswarya R Kamath
08/04/2026	Neuroleptic malignant syndrome	Dr.Ann	Dr.Kathleen Anne Mathew
22/04/2026	Drug induced movement disorders	Dr.Amrutha	Dr.Lakshmi.K.P
29/04/2026	Pseudo seizures	Dr.Anagha	Dr.Bindu Menon

JOURNAL CLUB (Time: 4pm-5pm)
Attendees : All Faculties & PGs)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
06/04/2026	Manoj Kumar , Rudraprasad Acharya .A prospective study of suicidal behavior in young patients of depressive episodes with hidden bipolarity exposed to selective serotonin reuptake inhibitor .Indian Journal of Psychiatry. February 2024 66(2), 195/198	Dr.Rithu	Dr.Kaushika
13/04/2026	Vijay Krishnan , Koushik Sinha Deb . Prevalence of restraint use in psychiatric inpatient care facilities in India – A systematic review. Indian J Psychiatry. 2025 Aug 15;67(8):743–753.	Dr.Raghu	Dr.Arjun Balaram
20/04/2026	Piyali Mandal , Rajkumar Sanahan . Buprenorphine maintenance treatment and its outcome among opioid dependent pregnant women –A case series from India. Indian J Psychiatry. 2025 Aug;67(8):809-812	Dr.Rajeev	Dr.Kathleen Anne Mathew
27/04/2026	Si Dai Yujun Long .A comprehensive metabolomics and lipidomic study of olanzapine in the treatment of first episode schizophrenia. Asian J Psychiatr. 2025 Mar:105:104387.	Dr.Rahima	Dr.Aiswarya R Kamath

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