



**DEPARTMENT OF RESPIRATORY MEDICINE  
P.G. TEACHING SCHEDULE - APRIL 2026**

**THEORY (TIME : 2-3PM )**

DATE	TOPIC	FACULTY
06/04/2026	Lung compliance	Dr.Akhilesh
09/04/2026	Ventilator graphics in ARDS	Dr.Asmita Mehta
16/04/2026	Mixed venous sampling	Dr.Vishnu Vazhoor
23/04/2026	Pulmonary AV malformation	Dr.Nithya Haridas

**SEMINAR (TIME: 8-9 AM)  
(ATTENDEES: ALL FACULTIES & PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	CHAIRPERSON
06/04/2026	Development of Lung	Dr.Akhila	Dr.Vishnu Vazhoor
13/04/2026	Occupational Lung Diseases	Dr.Saumya	Dr.Akhilesh
20/04/2026	Bronchopulmonary Segments	Dr.Namratha	Dr.Nithya Haridas
27/04/2026	Bronchiectasis	Dr.Shibi	Dr.Akhilesh

**CASE PRESENTATIONS (TIME : 4-5PM )  
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
06/04/2026	Right LL collapse	Dr.Akhila	Dr.Vishnu Vazhoor
10/04/2026	Right upper lobe mass	Dr.Saumya	Dr.Nithya Haridas
17/04/2026	IPF	Dr.Shirin	Dr.Akhilesh
24/04/2026	Pneumothorax R	Dr.Shibi	Dr.Asmita Mehta

**GROUP DISCUSSION (TIME: 12-1PM )  
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)**

DATE	TOPIC	FACULTY
04/04/2026	Mesothelioma	Dr.Akhilesh
11/04/2026	Bronchial thermoplasty	Dr.Asmita Mehta
18/04/2026	Endobronchial valve	Dr.Vishnu Vazhoor
25/04/2026	Narrow band imaging	Dr.Nithya Haridas

**BEDSIDE TEACHING (TIME : 11 AM-12 PM)**  
**(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
04/04/2026	EBUS scanning	Dr.Vishnu Vazhoor
11/04/2026	Bronchial biopsy	Dr.Nithya Haridas
18/04/2026	Thoracocentesis	Dr.Akhilesh
25/04/2026	USG chest	Dr.Asmita Mehta

**JOURNAL CLUB (TIME :4-5PM)**  
**(ATTENDEES: ALL FACULTIES & PGs)**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
04/04/2026	Ran Wang, Robert Maidstone et al. The impact of dosage timing for inhaled corticosteroids in asthma: a randomised three-way crossover trial. Thorax. 2025 Jul 15;80(8):504-511.	Dr.Shirin	Dr.Vishnu Vazhoor
11/04/2026	Scott M Matson, Grace Hyun J Kim Impact of quantitative radiological features of interstitial lung disease on immunomodulatory treatment response in three autoimmune interstitial lung disease cohorts . Thorax. 2025 Jul 15;80(8):540-546	Dr.Saumya	Dr.Nithya Haridas
18/04/2026	Wenlou Zhang , Baiqi Chen. PM <sub>2.5</sub> as a risk factor for sleep oxygen desaturation in COPD: identifying susceptible individuals by smoking and inflammatory phenotypes . Thorax. 2025 Sep 15;80(10):683-692	Dr.Anuthama	Dr.Akhilesh
25/04/2026	Antoine Léotard , Charles Khour. Home and outpatient versus in-hospital initiation of non-invasive ventilation in people with neuromuscular and restrictive thoracic disorders: a network meta-analysis. Thorax. 2025 Sep 15;80(10):730-737.	Dr.Samhita	Dr.Asmita Mehta

**SYMPOSIUM**  
**(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
18/04/2026	Pulmonary vasculitis	Dr. Asmita

**MORTALITY MEETING(TIME:4-5PM)**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
27/04/2026	sepsis	Dr.Nithya/PGs

**PROCEDURES**

MAJOR PROCEDURES	-	40
MINOR PROCEDURES		- 104



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