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DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL HAEMATOLOGY
PG TEACHING SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST
2026

THEORY (TIME: 3.00 PM - 4.00 PM)

DATE	TOPIC	FACULTY
07.08.2026	Recent development in the genomic landscape of Myeloproliferative Neoplasm & its relevance	Dr. Suchitra Sivadas
14.08.2026	Molecular Basis of Fanconi Anemia & its relevance on disease biology, diagnosis & management.	Dr. Rema G
21.08.2026	Molecular pathogenesis of APML. Risk stratification & Management.	Dr. Manoj Unni
28.08.2026	GVHD following Haplo SCT	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan

SEMINAR (TIME: 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs & FACULTIES)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
03.08.2026	Post HCT maintenance therapy for AML- Who, When & How long	Dr. Kowsalya	Dr. Manoj Unni
10.08.2026	Anticoagulation in malignancy- Patient who bleeds & clots simultaneously	Dr. Vivek Kumar	Dr. Rema G
17.08.2026	Whats new in Hereditary hemorrhagic telangiectasia	Dr. Rucha	Dr. Suchitra Sivadas
24.08.2026	Post-transplant cells for the win? DLI & adoptive cells therapy to eradicate MRD	Dr. Akash	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan
31.08.2026	ASH guidelines for ITP	Dr. Kowsalya	Dr. Thomas Kuncheria

GROUP DISCUSSION (TIME: 3.00 PM - 4.00 PM)
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DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
05.08.2026	NPM1 mutated AML- Can MRD replace conventional risk stratification.	Dr. Akash Gupta	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra
19.08.2026	Is autologous tansplant still essential in the era of Quadruplet therapy	Dr. Vivek Kumar	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. Manoj Unni/Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra
31.08.2026	Thrombosis & bleeding in haematological Malignancies- How do we balance anticoagulation	Dr. Mourice	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. Manoj Unni/Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra

CASE PRESENTATION (TIME: 3.00 PM - 4.00 PM)
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DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
01.08.2026	B cell ALL in an Alcoholic Liver disease patient	Dr. Akash	Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri
08.08.2026	Von Willebrand Diseasetype III	Dr. vivekanand	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/Dr. Manoj Unni/Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri
22.08.2026	TTP in pregnancy	Dr. Vivek Kumar	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/Dr. Manoj Unni/Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri
29.08.2026	Steroid refractory gut GVHD	Dr. Kowsalya	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/Dr. Manoj Unni/Dr. Suchitra S/Dr. Gayathri

JOURNAL CLUB (TIME: 8.00 AM - 9.00 AM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs & FACULTIES)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
06.08.2026	Marcoux C, Milton DR, Tanner MR, Bashir Q, Srouf S, Saini N, Lin P, Ramdial J, Nieto Y, Ahmed S, Deeba RE, Tang G, Aljawai Y, Lee HC, Patel KK, Gaballa MR, Kebriaei P, Thomas SK, Orłowski RZ, Champlin RE, Shpall EJ, Qazilbash MH, Pasvolsky O. Carfilzomib, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone (KRd) versus bortezomib, lenalidomide, and dexamethasone (VRd) induction prior to autologous haematopoietic stem cell transplant/transplantation in newly diagnosed multiple myeloma. Br J Haematol. 2026 Jul 6.	Dr. Kowsalya	Dr. Neeraj/ Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri S
13.08.2026	Abramson JS, Straus DJ, Bartlett NL, Burke JM, Lynch RC, Domingo Domenech E, Hess B, Schuster SR, Linhares Y, Gandhi M, Shah HR, Jurczak W, Re A, Hahn U, Prince HM, Guo W, Davis G, Ho L, Fanale M, Yasenchak CA, Lee HJ. Brentuximab vedotin and nivolumab in combination with chemotherapy for nonbulky, early-stage classical Hodgkin lymphoma. Blood. 2026 Apr 9;147(15):1713-1722.	Dr. Akash	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ DrManojUnni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr Gayathri
20.08.2026	Lenz G, Trněný M, Burke JM, Nowakowski GS, Fox CP, Chiappella A, Duell J, Jeon YW, Cheah CY, Westin J, Ye JZ, Caguió PB, Belada D, Shin HJ, Oh SY, Amorim S, Ku M, Mocikova H, Jiménez JL, Gaidano G, Rosenwald A, Chiarle R, Colucci P, Ioannidis S, Cheng L, Vitolo U; frontMIND Study Investigators. Tafasitamab plus lenalidomide and R-CHOP versus R-CHOP for first-line treatment of patients with high-risk diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (frontMIND): a global, phase 3, randomised, double-blind, placebo-controlled trial. Lancet. 2026 Jun 20;407(10547):2528-2541.	Dr. Mohit	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema. G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri
27.08.2026	Roboz GJ, Zeidan AM, Mannis GN, Montesinos P, Arnán M, Savona MR, Odenike O, McCloskey JK, Amin HV, Fathi AT, Bernal Del Castillo T, Rodríguez-Macías G, Liesveld JL, Im AP, Cerny J, Gentile TC, Oganessian A, Chan D, Wan Y, Dijkstra M, Keer HN, Griffiths EA, DiNardo CD. All-Oral Treatment of Newly Diagnosed Acute	Dr. Rucha	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. ManojUnni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri

	Myeloid Leukemia. N Engl J Med. 2026 Jun 4;394(21):2107-2116.		
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BEDSIDE TEACHING (TIME: 10.00 AM - 11.00 AM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)

DATE	TOPIC	ALL PGs	FACULTY
01.08.2026	Role of Apheresis in management of haematological disorder	-do-	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan
08.08.2026	Prognostic scoring system in Myeloproliferative neoplasm	-do-	Dr. Rema G
22.08.2026	Management of Relapsed TTP	-do-	Dr. Suchitra Sivadas
29.08.2026	Management of Steroid refractory GVHD	-do-	Dr. Manoj Unni

CLINICO PATHOLOGICAL CORRELATION (TIME: 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM)
ATTENDEES: ALL PGs

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
04.08.2026	Thrombocytopenia with haemolytic anemia	Dr. Vibekanand	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan, Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra Dr. Gayathri /Dr. Reema
11.08.2026	Bleeding with normal PT/INR & APTT	Dr. Vivek Kumar	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. ManojUnni / Dr. Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri /Dr. Reema
18.08.2026	Monocytosis- Reactive or CMML	Dr. Akash	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ DrManojUnni / Dr. Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Reema
25.08.2026	Paraproteinemia with Renal dysfunction & anemia	Dr. Kowsalya	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. ManojUnni / Dr. Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra S/ Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Reema

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

DATE	VENUE	FACULTY& PG
01.08.2026 & 22.08.2026	Consultancy in Haemophilia Clinic, Aluva	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan
08.08.2026 & 29.08.2026	Consultancy in Haemophilia Clinic, Aluva	Dr. Rema

MORTALITY MEETING (TIME: 8.00 AM - 9.00 AM)

ATTENDEES: ALL FACULTIES & PGs

DATE	NAME & MRD	CAUSE OF DEATH	ALL PGs	FACULTY
25.08.2026	Shivanya Shameg – 2661960	Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura / Microangiopathic Hemolytic Anemia Multi Organ Dysfunction	-do-	All Faculties & PGs
	Midhun R - 1763060	Progressive Pulmonary fibrosis and Type 1 respiratory failure. dyskeratosis congenita s/p allogenic stem cell transplant		
	Pankashajaksy Amma	1061989--sepsis with septic shock secondary to pneumonia acute myeloid leukemia		
	Beena M B- 752908	sepsis with septic shock secondary to pneumonia acute myeloid leukemia		
	Siyama Abdul Rahman- 2444369	brevndimonas diminuta positive sepsis with septic shock with mods on background of igg kappa multiple myeloma		

PROCEDURES:

MONTH	CHEMOTHERAPY	MINOR (BONE MARROW BIOPSY/BM ASPIRATION/ LP+INTRATHECAL/PICCLINE INSERTION/ASCITIC TAPPING/PLUERAL TAPPING/
August 2026	545	160



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