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DEPARTMENT OF CLINICAL HAEMATOLOGY

PG TEACHING SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2026

THEORY (TIME:3.00 PM - 4 PM)

DATE	TOPIC	FACULTY
05.09.2026	MDS 2022: WHO vs ICC – practical approach	Dr. Rema
12.09.2026	DLBCL in 2026 – R-CHOP, Pola-R-CHP and beyond	Dr. Thomas
19.09.2026	Relapsed/refractory AML – how to approach treatment	Dr. Manoj
26.09.2026	T-cell lymphomas – classification and treatment	Dr. Gayathri

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

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
07.09.2026	Tumor lysis syndrome	Dr. Vivek A	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr.Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas
14.09.2026	ASH 2026 Guidelines for ITP	Dr. Kowssalya	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr.Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas
21.09.2026	CAR-T patient with fever – CRS vs infection	Dr. Aakash	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr.Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas
28.09.2026	Plasma cell leukemia	Dr. Rucha	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr.Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas

GROUP DISCUSSION (TIME: 3.00 PM - 4.00 PM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs & FACULTIES)

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
01.09.2026	FLT3-mutated AML – role and sequencing of FLT3 inhibitors	Dr. Aakash	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas
08.09.2026	Lower-risk MDS – when should we treat?	Dr. Mourice	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr.Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas
15.09.2026	MRD-negative myeloma – can we stop treatment?	Dr. Rucha	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas
22.09.2026	TTP vs complement-mediated TMA	Dr. Sampanna	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr.Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas
29.09.2026	Post-transplant maintenance – when does it improve survival?	Dr. Vivek Chood	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan/ Dr.Manoj Unni / Dr.Rema.G./ Dr. Suchitra Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas

CASE PRESENTATION (TIME: 3.00 PM - 4.00 PM)
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DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
02.09.2026	DLBCL presenting with an unusual extranodal site	Dr. Rucha	Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G Dr. Suchitra S / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas K
09.09.2026	Lymphoma-associated hemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis	Dr. Aakash	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan / Dr Manoj Unni / Dr. Suchitra Dr. Gayathri
16.09.2026	Non-secretory multiple myeloma	Dr. Mourice	Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G Dr. Suchitra S / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas K
23.09.2026	Cold agglutinin disease	Dr. Sampanna	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan / Dr Manoj Unni / Dr. Suchitra S / Dr. Gayathri
30.09.2026	Complement-mediated TMA	Dr. Kowssalya	Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G/ Dr. Suchitra S / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Thomas K

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

DATE	TOPIC DETAILS	PRESENTER	FACULTY
03.09.2026	Rodriguez-Otero P, Usmani S, Cohen AD, van de Donk NWCJ, Leleu X, Gállego Pérez-Larraya J, el.al, International Myeloma Working Group. International Myeloma Working Group immunotherapy committee consensus guidelines and recommendations for optimal use of T-cell-engaging bispecific antibodies in multiple myeloma. *Lancet Oncol*. 2024 May;25(5): e205-e216.	Dr. Aakash	Dr. Neeraj S / Dr. Manoj U / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra S Dr. Gayathri S / Dr. Thomas K
10.09.2026	Piñero-Pérez C, Velasco-Guardado A, Pérez-López E, Cortés-Rodríguez M, Cabrero-Calvo M, Martín-López AA, Sánchez-Guijo F, López-Corral L. Fecal calprotectin as a biomarker for the diagnosis of gastrointestinal graft-versus-host disease following allogeneic hematopoietic stem cell transplantation. *Bone Marrow Transplant*. 2026 Sep;61(9):1169-1175.	Dr. Mohit	Dr. Neeraj S / Dr. Manoj U / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra S Dr. Gayathri S / Dr. Thomas K
17.09.2026	Zhang Y, Feng Z, Du J, Liu H, Yu S, Liang X, Zhao W, Zhang Q, Zhang X, Nie D, Sun Z, Du X, Xu X, Yu G, Shi P, Liu Q, Shao R, Qu H, Xiong W, Wang S, Jiang Y, Zhang H, Guo Z, Dai M, Jiang X, Xu D, Huang F, Fan Z, Xu N, Liu C, Wu M, Lin R, Jin H, Sun J, Liu Q, Xuan L. High-dose cytarabine with idarubicin consolidation for acute myeloid leukemia in first complete remission: a randomized controlled trial. *Leukemia*. 2025 Aug;39(8):1857-1864.	Dr. Mourice	Dr. Neeraj S / Dr. Manoj U / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra S Dr. Gayathri S / Dr. Thomas K
24.09.2026	Yang J, Jia Y, Hu X, Zhou F, Ni X, Wan J, Ding Y, Kang M, Yu X, Jiang C, Wang L, Wan L, Cai Y, Huang C, Qiu H, Ding X, Tong Y, Dong B, Zhou K, Song X. A randomized trial of GVHD prophylaxis in haploidentical PBSC transplantation: ATG, PTCy, and low-dose combination therapy. *Blood*. 2026 Jun 25;147(26):3168-3178..	Dr. Sampanna	Dr. Neeraj S / Dr. Manoj U / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra S Dr. Gayathri S / Dr. Thomas K

BEDSIDE TEACHING (TIME: 10.00 AM - 11.00 AM)
(ATTENDEES: ALL PGs)

DATE	TOPIC		FACULTY
11.09.2026	Approach to fever in a hematology patient		Dr. Suchitra
18.09.2026	AML patient with persistent cytopenias – relapse vs treatment effect vs infection		Dr. Thomas
25.09.2026	TACO vs TRALI – clinical differentiations		Dr. Neeraj

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

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER	FACULTY
05.09.2026	Persistent monocytosis with dysplasia: CMML vs reactive monocytosis.	Dr. Vivek Anand	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan / Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Rema / Dr. Thomas K
12.09.2026	Splenic lymphoma: SMZL vs hairy cell leukemia vs splenic diffuse red pulp small B-cell lymphoma.	Dr. Aakash	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan / Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra S / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Rema/ Dr. Thomas K
19.09.2026	Unexplained bleeding with normal routine coagulation tests.	Dr. Rucha	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan / Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra S / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Rema / Dr. Thomas K
26.09.2026	Unexplained cytopenia: ICUS vs CCUS vs MDS.	Dr. Mourice	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan / Dr. Manoj Unni / Dr. Rema.G / Dr. Suchitra S / Dr. Gayathri / Dr. Rema / Dr. Thomas K

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

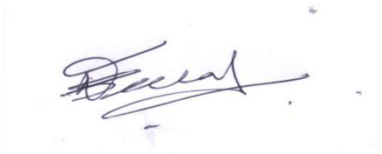
DATE	VENUE	FACULTY& PG
12.09.2026& 26.09.2026	Consultancy in Haemophilia Clinic, Aluva	Dr. Neeraj Sidharthanan
19.09.2026	Consultancy in Haemophilia Clinic, Aluva	Dr Rema G

MORTALITY MEETING (TIME: 8.00 AM - 9.00 AM)
ATTENDEES: ALL FACULTIES & PGs

DATE	NAME & MRD	CAUSE OF DEATH	ALL PGs	FACULTY
26.09.2026 (20 Minutes for each)	Neeraj Prajeesh , Mrd No: 2965986	sepsis with multi organ dysfunction syndrome (mods) known case of very severe aplastic anemia	-do-	All Faculties & PGs
	Velayudhan K K, Mrd No: 3026534	Acute decompensated heart failure uti sepsis severe anemia		
	Jayanthi, Mrd No : 1668817	Sepsis with type 1 respiratory failure with relapsed immune thrombocytopenia with marginal zone lymphoma status post rituximab with known case of bronchial asthma		

PROCEDURES:

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