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Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences (A Unit of The Madras Medical Mission) Department of Microbiology MBBS BATCH 2024 - TEACHING SCHEDULE MARCH 2026											
Competency No	Date	Timings	Competency	Integration / Nesting Horizontal / Vertical	Teaching Learning Methods	Hours taken	Faculty 1	Faculty 2	Faculty 3	Faculty 4	Faculty 5
<b>CVS and Blood</b>											
MI 3.1, 3.2	03.03.2026	9 - 10 AM	Introduction to bloodstream infections and CVS infections. Classification of Streptococci, Group A Streptococci and others (Special emphasis on Rheumatic fever/ infective endocarditis)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Patricia Anitha				
MI 3.3,3.4	03.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	CVS infections - Infective endocarditis(case based), Rheumatic fever(case based), DOAP session – Gram stain		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 3.3,3.4	04.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	CVS infections - Infective endocarditis(case based), Rheumatic fever(case based), DOAP session – Gram stain		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Dr. Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
MI 3.5, 3.7,3.8	05.03.2026	8 - 9 AM	Enteric fever (Etiopathogenesis, clinical features, diagnostic modalities and treatment)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Vidya				
MI 3.5	10.03.2026	9 - 10 AM	Rickettsial infections and Miscellaneous bacterial infections (Leptospirosis, Borreliosis)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Priya				
MI 3.5	10.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	Pyrexia of unknown origin Laboratory diagnosis of blood stream infections (Enteric fever, Brucellosis, Leptospirosis) Practical assessment test on Gram stain		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 3.5	11.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	Pyrexia of unknown origin Laboratory diagnosis of blood stream infections (Enteric fever, Brucellosis, Leptospirosis) Practical assessment test on Gram stain		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Dr. Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
MI 3.1, 3.2	12.03.2026	8 - 9 AM	Viral Hemorrhagic fevers- Dengue, Chikungunya, KFD, Crimean Congo fever		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Chavini				
	16.03.2026	8 - 10 AM	INTERNAL ASSESSMENT - III THEORY (#Topics mentioned below)		IA	2 hour					
MI 3.13	17.03.2026	9 - 10 AM	HIV/ AIDS (national program)	Integrated with Medicine, Community medicine	Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Symphonia				
MI 3.13	17.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	HIV (NACO guidelines) and dengue fever INTERNAL ASSESSMENT - III VIVA VOCE		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 3.13	18.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	HIV (NACO guidelines) and dengue fever INTERNAL ASSESSMENT - III VIVA VOCE		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Dr. Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
MI 3.11, 3.12	19.03.2026	8 - 9 AM	Malaria including national program; and Babesia	Integrated with medicine, community medicine and pathology	Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Shashikala				
MI 3.11, 3.12	24.03.2026	9 - 10 AM	Visceral Leishmaniasis and Lymphatic filariasis including national program;	Integrated with medicine, community medicine and pathology	Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Vaishali				
MI 3.11, 3.12	24.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	Laboratory diagnosis of Malaria, Visceral Leishmaniasis and Lymphatic filariasis DOAP session – Acid fast stain		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 3.11, 3.12	25.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	Laboratory diagnosis of Malaria, Visceral Leishmaniasis and Lymphatic filariasis DOAP session – Acid fast stain		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Dr. Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
MI 3.1, 3.2	26.03.2026	8 - 9 AM	Systemic Candidiasis and Systemic mycoses		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi				
MI 3.13	28.03.2026	10.15 - 1 PM	INTEGRATED TEACHING - MALARIA	Integrated with medicine, community medicine and pathology		2 hour 45 Minutes	Dr. Sridevi				
<b>RESPIRATORY SYSTEM</b>											
MI 7.1, 7.2	31.03.2026	9 - 10 AM	Overview of Respiratory tract infections (definitions)- Streptococcal sore throat, Diphtheria (Corynebacterium diphtheriae)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Sandhya				
MI 7.1, 7.2	31.03.2026	2 - 4 PM	Streptococcal pharyngitis and Diphtheria Gram stain exercise for URTI		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 7.1, 7.2	01.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Streptococcal pharyngitis and Diphtheria Gram stain exercise for URTI		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Dr. Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
# Internal assessment topics: 1. General Virology, Laboratory diagnosis, specimen collection and overview of viral infections 2.General concepts, classification and overview of protozoan infections and helminthic infections 3.General Mycology, classification and overview of fungal infections 4. Antimicrobial agents, mechanisms of resistance, Monitoring of antimicrobial therapy and AMSP											

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