

# CIDSCON 2025

15th Annual Conference of Clinical Infectious Diseases Society

11<sup>TH</sup> WORKSHOP, 12<sup>TH</sup> | 13<sup>TH</sup> | 14<sup>TH</sup> CONFERENCE SEPTEMBER, 2025, MUMBAI

Venue: National Centre for Performing Arts (NCPA), Mumbai



Dear Friends.

Welcome to CIDSCON 2025!

We are delighted to welcome you to the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Clinical Infectious Diseases Society — CIDSCON 2025, to be held from September 11<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025, at the prestigious National Centre for Performing Arts (NCPA), located at scenic tip of exotic Mumbai.

This year's conference brings together a thoughtfully curated program featuring eminent national experts and distinguished international faculty. CIDSCON 2025 will serve as a dynamic platform for the exchange of cutting-edge research, innovative ideas, and collaborative solutions in the field of infectious diseases, with a special emphasis on Indiaspecific challenges and advancements..

CIDSCON 2025 offers an exceptional opportunity to engage with thought leaders, exchange cutting-edge knowledge, and build lasting professional connections. From state-of-the-art scientific sessions to hands-on workshops, we aim to create an enriching experience for clinicians, researchers, Microbiologist and healthcare professionals alike. Our workshops this year are uniquely crafted in collaboration with other specialties to foster cross-disciplinary learning and interaction.

Beyond the academic excellence, we invite you to experience the **vibrant culture**, **diverse cuisine**, **and breathtaking heritage** of Mumbai—India's bustling coastal metropolis by the sea, Mumbai offers an unforgettable backdrop for both scientific exchange and **memorable experiences**.

We look forward to your presence and participation in what promises to be a truly **memorable** gathering of minds and ideas.

Join us in Mumbai for CIDSCON 2025 — where science meets spirit!

Warm regards,

The CIDSCON 2025 Organizing Committee





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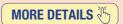
# Thursday 11th September 2025

Venue: National Centre for Performing Arts (NCPA), Mumbai			
Art and Science of Pediatric ID	09.00 am - 06.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🖔	
Overview of Infectious Diseases (Adult ID)	09.00 am - 06.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🖔	
Haemato-oncology ID	09.00 am - 01.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🖔	
Nephrology- ID	02.00 pm - 06.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🖔	
Neurology-ID	09.00 am - 01.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🖔	
Critical Care-ID	02.00 pm - 06.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🖔	

Venue: Sir H. N. Reliance Foundation Hospital and Research Centre, Mumbai		
Clinical Microbiology and ID	09.00 am - 05.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🖔
Molecular Diagnostics (PCR and NGS)	09.00 am - 04.00 pm	MORE DETAILS 🍜

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CONFERENCE PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



#### **Art and Science of Pediatric ID**

9.00 am - 6.00 pm

- · Herpes infections in children
- Exanthematous fevers in children
- HIV, HBV and HCV
- · Acute undifferentiated fever in children
- · Lymphadenopathy in children
- PUO in children-what's different from adults?
- "Infection or not?"
- . Biomarkers and molecular diagnostics
- · Drug resistant bacteria in children
- Pediatric Tuberculosis beyond guidelines
- · Inborn errors of immunity
- Invasive fungal infections in children
- Pre transplant evaluation in children
- Pediatric AMSP
- · Congenital infections
- . Difficult to treat CNS infections



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### Overview of Infectious Disease (Adult ID) 9.00 am - 6.00 pm

- Interpretation of microbiology report
- · Basics of antibiotics
- . Syndromic approach to Infectious Diseases
- Undifferentiated fever
- OPD infections
- Resistant GPC
- Resistant GNB
- TB diagnostics
- TB treatment
- HIV OI and ART
- · Principles of management of IFI
- Infections in Immunocompromised host
- · Radiology of ID
- ID in ICU
- Viral infections non-HIV
- Pitfalls in Infectious Diseases



#### Haemato-oncology ID 2.00 pm - 6.00 pm

- Diagnosis and management of Gastrointestinal Complications (including Infections) in patients with Cancer
- Anti-infective Vaccination AGIHO Guidelines
- Infections with new drugs and CAR T cell therapy in haematology
- Diagnosis treatment and prevention of EBV infections after HSCT ECIL Guidelines
- Viral Hepatitis and HSCT. ECIL Guidelines
- Diagnosis and management of common respiratory viral infections in haematology
- Diagnosis and management of rare yeasts
- Diagnosis and management of neutropenia and neutropenic sepsis
- Diagnosis and antimicrobial therapy of lung infiltrates in febrile neutropenic patients
- Infection control issues with haematological settings in era of MDRO
- Encephalitis post HSCT

#### Nephrology-ID

9.00 am - 1.00 pm

- Balancing Immunosuppression and Transplants
- BKV and Adenovirus
- CMV
- Recurrent UTIs in RENAL TRANSPLANTS
- HIV and SOT
- Hep B, Hep C and SOT
- Vascular access related Infections in Nephrology
- EBV and Transplants
- Complicated pyelonephritis and surgical interventions
- Difficult to treat fungal infections of the urinary system



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#### **Neurology-ID**

9.00 am - 1.00 pm

- Acute Meningo Encephalitis
- Chronic Meningitis
- Approach to SOL
- Neurosurgical Meningitis and Surgical
- TB Meningitis and IRIS
- Infective Mimics Meningitis
- MDR Meningitis
- Parasitic Infections and CNS

#### **Critical Care-ID**

2.00 pm - 6.00 pm

- · Approach to a patient in ER with Sepsis
- Enough or More:Duration of treatment in difficult to treat ICU patients
- Syndromic approach to ICU Infections (Different Hosts)
- Diagnosing IFI in ICU a Challenge
- Role and Interpretation of Molecular Diagnostics in ICU patients
- Drug dosing in Critical illness with organ dysfunction.(RRT / Obesity/ECMO/ARC/ Hypoalbuminemia)
- Difficult to treat common Gram negative infections
- Non lactose fermenters other than Acinetobacter and Pseudomonas
- Recent advances in the prevention of Nosocomial infections in the ICU
- What can we expect in the antimicrobial therapy pipeline.



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#### **Clinical Microbiology & ID**

9.00 pm - 5.00 pm

- Test Smarter, Not Harder: The Art Of Diagnostic Stewardship
- TB Tech Talk: Unveiling The Latest In Tuberculosis Diagnosis
- From MIC To PK-PD: Transforming Laboratory Data Into Clinical Practice
- Eminence Of Automated Id With AST Using VITEK 2 and MALDI
- Latest Updates In Diagnostics And Therapeutic Options in Gram Negative Pathogens
- Rare Yeast And Moulds In Clinical Practice
- Role Of Fungal Biomarkers At Unusual Sites
- Sepsis Signals: Decoding Biomarkers For Better Outcome
- . Gene-IUS At Work: Sequencing The Secrets Of Microbes
- Effective Approach To Antimicrobial Stewardship In Health Care Settings

#### VITEK 2 and VITEK MS in Practice: Comprehensive Hands on workshop

- VITEK 2 AMR Interpretation: Interactive group learning session
- Infection control Quest: A fun Learning adventure

#### **Molecular Diagnostics (PCR and NGS)**

9.00 am - 4.00 pm

#### **Presentations**

- Molecular Diagnostic Techniques: Genius Tools for Tiny Clues
- Cracking the Code: Application of Molecular Techniques in Diagnostics

#### **Workshops**

- Amp it Up: From Pathogens to Primers and Beyond Real Time PCR, Sanger Sequencing and Closed Platforms (GeneXpert, Biofire)
- Lunch Break
- Decode It All: NGS and Bioinformatics in Action
  Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) and Bioinformatics



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One Health	Extending the scope of Brachytherapy in ID
Use of respiratory panels: focus on diagnostic and therapeutic stewardship	C difficile: Approach and treatment options in India
Interesting Respiratory infections cases	Real Life challenges for Infection control in India
Whats new in UTI	AMSP: what works in India
Interesting Neuro case	Community outbreak case
Approach to Meningo-encephalitis beyond the ME panel in India	Clinicopathological correlation
Recent trend in GNB resistance and treatment options in India	TDM: antibacterials and antifungals
Interesting cases: GPC resistance and treatment options	Recent papers in ID
ID Quiz	Interactive cases : GNB resistance
Beyond Colistin for treating Acinetobacter infections	CEPZIS trial
HIV- from past struggles to future breakthroughs	Application of Al in IC & AMSP, Diagnosis and Therapy
STI: current challenges	Phage therapy
Interesting cases: Maternal and child infections	Metagenomics and NGS in ID practice: what do I do with this report?
Challenging cases in HIV medicine	Fellows paper presentation Poster presentations
Entrepreneurship in Infectious Diseases: a new awakening From GenX to GenZ: Mentoring the next generation of ID consultants on the way forward	TB diagnostics- What's hot, what's not
consultants on the way forward	



Infections in SOT : myths in management	Chemoprophylaxis / LTBI treatment a) For all (public health perspective) b)For certain population (individual risk)
Interactive cases: SOT	Paradoxical reactions in TB
Febrile neutropenia: different approaches across continents	Interactive cases: MDR, XDR TB
Interactive cases: HSCT	Advances in TB treatment
4 LUNCH SYMPOSIUMS	2 Interesting NTM cases: Pulmonary NTM, NTM in HIV
Balancing innovation and Infection risks (Biologics and CAR-T)	Nosocomial NTM in India
Interactive cases (Rheumat, Haem-onc )	Common errors in lab and clinical mycology
Prophylaxis in Indian TID context	ECMM ISHAM guidelines- key recommendations
Is typhoid still the same?	Interesting cases- IFI (Mucor, crypto, PJP, Histo etc)
Interactive TropMed cases: Make in India	Relevance of MIC to outcomes in IFI
Interactive cases : Reverse travel medicine	Interesting cases of invasive fungal infections (Candida, Aspergillus)
Advances in Rapid and Accurate Diagnostics for Acute Febrile Illnesses	Diagnostic tests in Parasitology, its availability and clinical applicability
Lyme disease in India	Challenging cases in general ID
Role of new drugs in SSTI	Surprises in ID- Radiologist perspective
Interactive SSTI cases	Interactive cases on Orthopaedic infections
Interactive cases: Endocarditis	Interactive cases: Intraabdominal infections



#### **Registration Tariff**

Category	Early Bird Upto 30 <sup>th</sup> June, 2025	1 <sup>st</sup> July 15 <sup>th</sup> August 2025	16 <sup>th</sup> August 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2025
Member	₹ 7,790	₹ 8,440	₹ 9,090
Non - Member	₹ 10,385	₹11,685	₹ 12,980
PG Student / Fellow	₹ 4,545	₹ 5,195	₹ 5,845

	CIDSCON Workshops	Tariff	No of seats
1	Art and Science of Pediatric ID	₹ 2600	100
2	Overview of Infectious Disease (Adult ID)	₹ 2600	100
3	Haemato-oncology ID	₹1600	60
4	Nephrology- ID	₹1600	100
5	Neurology-ID	₹1600	60
6	Critical Care ID	₹1600	100
7	Clinical Microbiology & ID	₹ 2600	40
8	Molecular Diagnostics (PCR and NGS)	₹ 2600	20
	Combined Workshops		
9	Nephrology and Haemato-Oncology	₹ 2600	
10	Nephrology and Critical Care ID	₹ 2600	
11	Neurology and Haematology-Oncolgy	₹ 2600	
12	Neurology and Critical Care ID	₹ 2600	

Delegates have the option to register for any workshop (without registering for the whole conference)

Note: Above Tariff includes 18% GST

#### LAST DATE FOR ABSTRACT SUBMISSION - 31<sup>ST</sup> MAY 2025

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