

PONDICHERY INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES
(A Unit of The Madras Medical Mission)
Department of Community Medicine
POST GRADUATE TRAINING PROGRAMME – January 2026

Place: Seminar Room, Dept. of Community Medicine

Time: 2.15 - 4.15 pm

A. Journal Club

Date	Day	Topic	Presenter	Moderator
12.1.26	Mon	Meta-analysis	Dr. Pradhap	Dr. Joy
19.1.26	Mon	Cross sectional study	Dr. Dhinesh	Dr. Anil Purty

Note: Students should discuss with Dr. Manikandan, Bio-statistician regarding statistical analysis.

B. Group Discussion

Date	Day	Topic	Presenter	Moderator
21.1.26	Wed	Public health updates (December 2025)	Dr. Nallammai	Dr. Rajesh

C. Tutorial

Date	Day	Topic	Presenter	Moderator
02.1.26	Friday	WER – Schistosomiasis & STH (14.11.2025)	Dr. Urmila	Dr. Arun
28.1.26	Wed	WER – Leishmaniasis (07.11.2025)	Dr. Vignesh	Dr. Arya

* WER can be accessed at:- <https://www.who.int/publications/journals/weekly-epidemiological-record>

D. Seminar/Pedagogy

Date	Day	Topic	Presenter	Moderator
22.1.26	Thurs	COP – 30	Dr. Shivni	Dr. Stalin
29.1.26	Thurs	New Labour Codes	Dr. Suganya	Dr. Roselin

E. Theory class [9 – 10 am]

Date	Day	Topic	Faculty
02.1.26	Friday	Leadership in public health	Dr. Velavan
16.1.26	Friday	The right to the highest attainable standard of health	Dr. Saranya
23.1.26	Friday	Ethical principles and ethical issues in public health	Dr. Nandhini
30.1.26	Friday	Biostatistics class	Dr. Manikandan

F. Clinico-social case

Date	Day	Topic	Presenter	Moderator
16.1.26	Friday	Stroke	Dr. Nallammai	Dr. Karthik
23.1.26	Friday	Hypertension	Dr. Urmila	Dr. Murugan
30.1.26	Friday	Antenatal case	Dr. Bindhu	Dr. Prahatheeswaran

[Prepared by PG Training Coordinator: Dr. P. Stalin]

Date: 13.12.2025

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