

Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences

(A Unit of The Madras Medical Mission)

Department of Microbiology

MBBS BATCH 2024 - TEACHING SCHEDULE APRIL 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
MI 3.11, 3.12	01.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Laboratory diagnosis of Malaria, Visceral Leishmaniasis and Lymphatic filariasis		SGD/DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
02.04.2026 to 04.04.2026 - EASTER HOLIDAYS											
MI 7.1, 7.2	07.04.2026	9 - 10 AM	Orthomyxovirus infections of respiratory tract (Influenza) Paramyxovirus infections of respiratory tract (Parainfluenza virus, Mumps, RSV)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Vivian				
MI 1.2, 1.4	07.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Streptococcal pharyngitis and Diphtheria Case based discussion on Pneumococcal pneumonia & Haemophilus influenzae pneumonia		SGD/DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johnny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 1.2, 1.4	08.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Streptococcal pharyngitis and Diphtheria Case based discussion on Pneumococcal pneumonia & Haemophilus influenzae pneumonia		SGD/DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
2 - 4 PM	09.04.2026		HOLIDAY FOR ELECTION								
2 - 4 PM	14.04.2026		TAMIL NEW YEAR								
MI 7.1,7.4	16.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Revision practicals DOAP session – Acid fast stain, Gram stain		SGD/DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
MI 7.1, 7.2, 7.3	16.04.2026	8 - 9 AM	Coronaviruses (including SARS-CoV, MERS-Co, COVID 19) Miscellaneous respiratory viral infections (Epstein Barr virus, Adenovirus, Rhinovirus)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Sujitha				

	20.04.2026	8 - 11 AM	MID TERM EXAMINATION (#Topics mentioned below)			3 hour					
MI 7.2, 7.3	21.04.2026	9 -10 AM	Mycobacterium tuberculosis (including national health program) Nontuberculous Mycobacteria infections (NTM)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Patricia Anitha				
MI 7.2,7.5	21.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Case based discussion on Tuberculosis COVID-19 and other viral agents MID TERM EXAMINATION - VIVA VOCE		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 7.2,7.5	22.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Case based discussion on Tuberculosis COVID-19 and other viral agents MID TERM EXAMINATION - VIVA VOCE		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Dr. Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
MI 7.2, 7.3	23.04.2026	8 - 9 AM	Parasitic (Paragonimus westermani) and fungal infections of the respiratory tract (Mucor, Rhizopus, Aspergillus species, Pneumocystis jirovecii)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Symphonia				
MI 7.2, 7.3	27.04.2026	8 - 9 AM	Pertussis (Bordetella pertussis) Respiratory Infections due to Non-fermenting bacteria(Pseudomonas/Burkholderia/Acinetobacter)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Sridevi				
MI 6.1, 6.2	27.04.2026	9 - 10 AM	Overview of CNS infections (Acute pyogenic meningitis, Streptococcus pneumoniae, Streptococcus agalactiae, Hemophilus influenza, Listeria)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Nimmy				
	27.04.2026	12 - 1 PM	MENTOR MENTEE MEETING			1 hour					
MI 6.1	28.04.2026	9 -10 AM	Tetanus		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Vaishali				
MI 7.2,7.5	28.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Specimen collection and Laboratory diagnosis of fungal infections Mucor, Rhizopus, Aspergillus species, Pneumocystis jirovecii (Demo) DOAP session – Acid fast stain-(2)		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Shashikala	Dr. Vivian	Dr. Johny Dr. Sridevi	Dr. Sujitha Dr. Vaishali	Dr. Patricia Dr. Vidya
MI 7.2,7.5	29.04.2026	2 - 4 PM	Specimen collection and Laboratory diagnosis of fungal infections Mucor, Rhizopus, Aspergillus species, Pneumocystis jirovecii (Demo) DOAP session – Acid fast stain-(2)		SGD/ DOAP	2 hour	Dr. Sheela Devi	Dr. Sandhya	Dr. Symphonia	Dr. Nimmy Dr. Priya	Dr. Meghna Dr. Chavini
MI 6.1	30.04.2026	8 - 9 AM	Agents causing viral meningitis (Poliomyelitis, Cocksackie virus)		Lecture	1 hour	Dr. Priya				

MID TERM EXAMINATION Topics:Antimicrobial agents, mechanisms of resistance, Monitoring of antimicrobial therapy and AMSP, Bacterial genetics, Transplant immunology, Autoimmunity & CVS and Blood

Dr. Shashikalá
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