

REGIONAL VIRAL RESEARCH AND DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY (RVRDL) JIPMER, PUDUCHERRY

Workshop on Molecular & serologic diagnosis of scrub typhus (20th – 22nd February 2025)

The Regional Viral Research and Diagnostic Laboratory located in Department of Microbiology, JIPMER, Puducherry has been doing pioneering work on laboratory diagnosis of Scrub typhus.

Scrub typhus, a common acute febrile illness in India causing severe morbidity, accounts for a large number of deaths. The burden of the disease has been underappreciated. It is known to affect multiple organs in the majority of positively tested patients. This increases complications and the risk of death. Improving awareness about this disease, increasing access to testing and initiating appropriate therapy early can help reduce this public health threat in the future.

The workshop is designed for the “Junior Resident/Senior Resident/Junior faculty/Scientist/Staff of VRDL Laboratory”. This intensive course is designed to give valuable knowledge and to stay updated in the field of Scrub Typhus.

COURSE CONTENT

1. Guest lectures by eminent faculties from various prestigious institutions
 - Dr George Varghese, Professor of ID, CMC Vellore
 - Dr Vivekanandan, Professor of Medicine, JIPMER Puducherry
 - Dr Monil Singhai, Joint Director, NCDC, New Delhi
2. Hands on training will be given for:
 - ELISA & its quality control
 - LJ charting – controls preparation and analysis
 - Real time PCR and its quality control parameters
 - Micro Immunofluorescence testing.

No. of participants: 25

COURSE FEE: Rs. 7000/- (mode of payment will be intimated to selected candidates)

ELIGIBILITY: Junior Faculty, Junior Resident/Senior Resident/Scientist/Staff of VRDL Laboratory.

VENUE: Regional level VRDL, Dept. of Microbiology, JIPMER, Dhanvantari Nagar, Puducherry- 605006

Accommodation: Should be arranged by participants of the workshop.

Food: Lunch & snacks will be provided during the workshop days

Note: Candidates who have already registered need not register again. Registration fee is “non-refundable” in case of withdrawal of participation by the candidate.

Interested candidates are requested to upload scanned copy of their ID card and registration form on or before 8th February 2025 through the link given below:

<https://forms.gle/QNfB7kf1NnmX71G27>

Provisionally selected candidates shall be displayed on JIPMER website by **10th February, 2025**. Candidates are requested to check for updates

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Registration form

(need to upload the scanned version of this document in the Google form)

Workshop title: _____

Participant name: _____

Designation: _____

Educational qualification: _____

Name and address of institute/Medical College:

Mobile no: _____

Email: _____

The candidate if shortlisted shall be permitted to attend the above said workshop

from _____

Signature of participant

Signature and seal of HOD/PI

Date: