



ANNAPOORANA MEDICAL COLLEGE & HOSPITALS, SALEM

(Affiliated to The Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai)

DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY

We cordially invite you all to attend the program

on

WORLD ANTIMICROBIAL AWARENESS WEEK
(THEME: "Act Now: Protect Our Present, Secure Our Future")

Presided by
Prof. Dr. B. Usha, MD.,
Dean, AMCH, Salem.

From: Thursday, 20-11-2025 to Saturday, 22.11.2025
Venue: Lecture Hall "A", AMCH, Salem.

PROGRAM

20-11-2025: Inaugural function of WAAW

- Prayer Song : ThamizhthaiVazhthu
- Welcome Address : **Prof. Dr. K. Sudha, MD.,**
09.50 AM to 10.00 AM Dept. of Microbiology, AMCH, Salem.
- Dean's Address : **Prof. Dr. B. Usha, MD.,**
10.00 AM to 10.10 AM Dean, AMCH, Salem.
"Antimicrobial Resistance – A Local and Global Crisis"
- Felicitation : **Prof. Dr. P. S. Manoharan, MS.,**
10.10 AM to 10.20 AM Medical Superintendent, AMCH, Salem.
- Prof. Dr. G. Dhanasekar, MD.,**
Director Academics & Vice Principal, AMCH, Salem.

Medical Students' Program

- 10.30 AM to 11.30 AM : M.B.B.S : Myth Bursting- Video shorts competition
- 11.30 AM to 12.00 PM : M.B.B.S : AWaRe Antibiotics- Chart Model competition
- 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM : CRMI : Mime Programme & Dumb-cherads
on Antibiotics Awareness
- 12.30 PM to 1,00 PM : Microbiology Post Graduates : Educational
content for nurses & Residents on Sample collection,
de-escalation, IV-to-oral switch.
- National Anthem

21-11-2025: Nursing Staff Program

- 11.00 AM to 12.00 PM : Nursing Staff Poster competition: Posters at their
respective wards on real-life stewardship practices they
follow
- 1.00 PM to 2.00 PM : Nursing Staff Rangoli competition: on Infection control
Practices

22-11-2025: CME

9.30 am to 4.00 PM : Invitation enclosed



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SPEAKERS

Prof. Dr. K. M. Mohana Soundaram, MD.,
HOD, Dept. of Microbiology,
Govt. Erode Medical College, Erode.

Prof. Dr. S. Mathavi, MD.,
HOD, Dept. of Microbiology, VMKVMCH, Salem.

Date : Saturday, 22.11.2025

Time : 10.00 AM to 04.30 PM

Venue : Lecture Hall "A", AMCH, Salem.

For Registration:

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Last date for registration: 07.11.2025

No spot registration

For Payment:

Registration Fee
(Faculty, PGs & CRMIs) : Rs.200/-

Payment details:

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RSVP: Dr. A. Sabari Nathan, Ph.7010487756

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

- Prayer Song** : **Thamizhthai Vazhthu**
- Welcome Address** : **Prof. Dr. N. Shanmuga Vadivoo, MD.,**
09.30 AM to 09.40 AM **HOD, Dept. of Microbiology, AMCH, Salem.**
- Dean's Address** : **Prof. Dr. B. Usha, MD.,**
09.40 AM to 09.50 AM **Dean, AMCH, Salem.**
- Introduction of Speakers:** **Prof. Dr. K. Sudha, MD.,**
09.50 AM to 10.00 AM **Dept. of Microbiology, AMCH, Salem.**
- Scientific Session** : **1. "Prescribing Pressure: The Human**
10.00 AM to 11.30 AM **Side of Resistance"**
Prof. Dr. K. M. Mohana Soundaram, MD.,
HOD, Dept. of Microbiology,
Govt. Erode Medical College, Erode.
- 11.30 AM to 01.00 PM** : **2. "The Hidden Clues:**
How Labs Guide the Right Antibiotic"
Prof. Dr. S. Mathavi, MD.,
HOD, Dept. of Microbiology,
VMKVMCH, Salem.
- Vote of Thanks** : **Dr. G. Sasikala, MD.,**
01.00 PM to 01.05 PM **Associate Professor, Dept. of Microbiology,**
AMCH, Salem.
- 01.05 PM to 02.00 PM** : **Lunch Break**
- Post Graduates' Debate** : **India needs stronger regulation on 'Over the**
02.00 PM to 04.00 PM **Counter Antibiotics'- Possible / Not Possible**
- 04.00 PM to 04.30 PM** : **Prize Distribution**
- National Anthem**

Chair Persons :

Prof. Dr. B. Usha, MD.,
Dean, AMCH, Salem.

Prof. Dr. V. Thirugnana Sambandan, MS.,
HOD, Department of General Surgery, AMCH, Salem.

Prof. Dr. K. Vijay Babu, MD.,
HOD, Dept. of Pharmacology, AMCH, Salem.