



**MICROCON 2022**

**Pre-conference CME on**

**NEGLECTED OUT OF NEGLECTED TROPICAL DISEASES: CHALLENGES TO BEAT**



<b>AGENDA</b>			
8:30am-9:00am	<b>Registration</b>		
9:00am-9:30am	<b>Inauguration</b>		
9:30 am -10:30am	<b>SESSION : I</b>		<b>Chairpersons</b>
9:30am – 10:00am	<b>Overview of NTDs</b>	<b>Dr. Ashutosh Biswas</b> Executive Director, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar	<b>Dr. Rama Chaudhry</b> Prof. & Head, Dept of Microbiology, AIIMS, Delhi
10:00am-10:25am + 5 min Discussion	<b>Recent advances in visceral leishmaniasis &amp; PKDL</b>	<b>Dr Pradeep Das</b> ICMR Emeritus Scientist, NICED, Kolkata	
10:30am-10:45am	<b>Tea break</b>		
10:45am-12:45pm	<b>SESSION II : Ever neglected and emerging newer candidates</b>		<b>Chairpersons</b>
10:45am-11:10am + 5 min Discussion	<b>Leptospirosis: Indian scenario &amp; outbreak investigation</b>	<b>Dr. Vijayachari Paluru</b> Director, RMRC, WHO Collaborating Centre for diagnosis; Research; Reference & Training in Leptospirosis; Portblair, Andaman	<b>Dr. Ashok Praharaj</b> Professor, Dept of Microbiology, KIMS, Bhubaneswar Ex- Professor, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar  <b>Dr. Jayant Panda</b> Professor & Head, Dept. of Internal Medicine, SCB Medical College, Cuttack
11:15pm-11:40am + 5 min Discussion	<b>Scrub typhus: The expanding horizon</b>	<b>Dr. Rama Chaudhry</b> Prof. & Head, Dept of Microbiology, AIIMS, Delhi	
11:45am-12:10pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Melioidosis: The unrevealed endemicity</b>	<b>Dr. Prasanta R Mohapatra</b> Prof& Head, Dept of Pulmonary Medicine, AIIMS,BBSR	
12:15pm-12:40pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Rabies: Newer insights in diagnosis &amp; prevention</b>	<b>Dr. Reeta Mani</b> Professor, Dept. of Neurovirology, NIMHANS, Bangalore	
12.45pm-1:30pm	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
1:30pm-2:45pm	<b>SESSION III : The neglected parasitic infections</b>		<b>Chairpersons</b>
1:30 pm-1:50pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Neglected cestodes in India</b>	<b>Dr. K.N . Prasad</b> Senior Consultant & Head, Microbiology, Apollo Medics Super speciality hospital, Lucknow, Ex- Professor, SGPGI, Lucknow	<b>Dr. Manoj Kumar</b> Professor, Dept. of Microbiology, RIMS, Ranchi  <b>Dr. Sumi Nandwani</b> Professor & Head, Dept. of Microbiology, PGICH, Noida
1:55pm-2:15pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Diarrheal parasitic infections in India: Current perspective</b>	<b>Dr. Ujjala Ghoshal</b> Professor & Head, Microbiology, SGPGI, Lucknow	
2:20pm-2:40pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Strongyloidiasis: New horizon in Soil transmitted Helminths</b>	<b>Dr. Abhishek Mewara</b> Associate Professor, Medical Parasitology, PGIMER, Chandigarh	
2:45pm-5:30pm	<b>SESSION : IV</b>		<b>Chairpersons</b>
2:45 pm-3:05pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Diagnosis of neglected fungal infections</b>	<b>Dr. Immaculata Xess</b> Professor, Microbiology, AIIMS, Delhi	<b>Dr. Jagdish Chander</b> Ex- Professor & Head at Government Medical College & Hospital, Chandigarh <b>Dr . Manisha Biswal</b> Professor, Medical Microbiology PGIMER, Chandigarh
3:10 pm-3:30pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Dengue &amp; Chikungunya in India: Evolving Indian scenario</b>	<b>Dr. Baijayantimala Mishra</b> Prof & Head, Microbiology, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar, ASM Country Ambassador Eastern India	
3:35pm-3:55pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Non Tuberculous Mycobacteria: An unseen assailant emerging as worrisome pathogen</b>	<b>Dr Bharti Malhotra</b> Professor & Head, Microbiology, SMS Medical College, Jaipur	
4:00pm-4:15pm	<b>Tea break</b>		
4:15pm-4:35pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Lyme's disease: Indian scenario</b>	<b>Dr. Tapan Majumdar</b> Professor & Head, Microbiology, Agartala Govt. Medical College	<b>Dr. Anupam Dey</b> Additional Professor & Head, Dept. of General Medicine, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar  <b>Dr. Nidhi Prasad</b> Assoc. Professor, Dept of Virology, IGIMS, Patna
4:40 pm-5pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Leprosy: Current scenario &amp; recent advances</b>	<b>Dr. Vineeta Mittal</b> Professor, Microbiology, Dr RMLIMS, Lucknow	
5:05 pm- 5:20pm + 5 min Discussion	<b>Interesting cases of Mucormycosis</b>	<b>Dr. Monalisa Sahu</b> Senior Consultant, Infectious Diseases, Yashoda Hospitals, Hyderabad	
<b>Closing and Vote of Thanks</b>			



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