

# 2nd Annual Conference of **CLINICAL INFECTIOUS DISEASE SOCIETY**

**HYATT REGENCY  
CHENNAI, INDIA**



**25-26 AUGUST 2012**

**PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP ON 24 AUGUST 2012**

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## Dear Colleagues

Greetings from the Clinical Infectious Disease Society (CIDS)!

The Clinical Infectious Disease Society is an organization of physicians, health professionals and scientists that advances the specialty of Infectious Disease in India through programs of education, research, advocacy and professional support. The society seeks to achieve these aims by educating health care professionals, sharing new knowledge, advancing research and advocating the highest quality care for patients.

We take great pleasure in welcoming you to the 2nd Annual Conference of our Society (CIDSCON 2012), to be held on August 25th and 26th 2012 at Hyatt Regency, No.365, Anna Salai, Chennai. The conference will be preceded by pre-conference workshops and a symposium on August 24th.

Our Organizing committee has put together an excellent scientific program, covering the fields of General Infectious Disease, Tropical Medicine, HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Infections in the Immune-compromised host. International and National experts in their respective fields will deliver lectures and participate in workshops and clinical case scenarios. The pre-conference workshops will focus on practical skill building, and the symposium on Antimicrobial Resistance is very relevant in an era of widespread resistance and a dwindling antimicrobial armamentarium.

Apart from topics of interest to Infectious disease physicians and microbiologists, the program includes separate review courses for general physicians/ pediatricians and physicians caring for patients with HIV infection. Pulmonologists and critical care physicians will find topics of interest to them clustered together. Interactive 'Meet the professor' sessions are included for focussed learning.

Chennai is the capital of Tamil Nadu and is well known for its historical architecture, magnificent temples, unique cuisine and pristine coastline. We invite you to sample these, treat yourself to South Indian culinary delicacies or simply relax on the sandy beaches before or after the conference.

We are confident that CIDSCON 2012 will turn out to be the premier academic event of the year in the field of Infectious Disease, both for the specialist and the generalist.

Looking forward to seeing you in Chennai,

Sincerely

**Dr Dilip Mathai**  
**Dr V Ramasubramanian**  
**Dr Ram Gopalakrishnan**

**President, CIDS**  
**Organizing Chairman**  
**Organizing Secretary**

## Organizing Committee

Dr Abdul Ghafur K, Chennai  
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Dr Rajeev Soman, Mumbai  
Dr OC Abraham, Vellore  
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## Faculty (Confirmed)

### International

Dr Arjun Srinivasan  
Dr David Paterson  
Dr Dilip Nathwani  
Dr Herman Goossens  
Dr Mayur Ramesh  
Dr Paul Tambyah  
Dr PH Chandrasekar  
Dr Stephan Harbarth

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## Abstract Submission

Abstracts should be submitted electronically to the Scientific Committee by emailing [cids2012@gmail.com](mailto:cids2012@gmail.com) on or before 24th July 2012. Submitted abstracts should be unpublished and should not have been presented elsewhere. Abstracts accepted for oral and poster presentations will be scheduled in the scientific program. Please limit your title to 100 letters and abstracts to 300 words. Type the author's name without degree or title. Prepare structured abstract with Objectives, Methods, Results and Conclusions. Define each abbreviation the first time it is used in the text by placing in parentheses. Do not include references in the abstract.

## Travel Grants

A restricted number of travel grants will be available for medical students and physicians in training whose abstracts are accepted. Please submit a written request along with the abstract. Selection of the grant receivers will be intimated in advance by the Scientific Committee on a competitive basis from among the accepted abstracts submitted by candidates.

# SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

## PRE-CONFERENCE EVENTS (FRIDAY, AUGUST 24th)

### WORKSHOPS

<b>WORKSHOP I (9.00 am - 1.00 pm)</b>	<b>WORKSHOP II (2.00 pm - 6.00 pm)</b>
<p><b>Clinical Microbiology</b></p> <p><b>9.00 am</b> Introduction – Need for better quality assurance in India in Clinical Microbiology: what is available at the moment <b>Dr Uma Sekar</b></p> <p><b>9.30 am</b> Are we all doing the same in Clinical Bacteriology? (Part- I Gram positive pathogens) <b>Dr Ranganathan Iyer</b></p> <p><b>10.30 am</b> Are we all doing the same in Clinical Bacteriology? (Part - II Gram Negative pathogens - all except carbapenem resistance) <b>Dr Sangeeta Joshi</b></p> <p><b>11.30 am</b> Carbapenem Resistance work up: are we doing our bit? <b>Dr Uma Sekar</b></p> <p><b>12.15 pm</b> Audience interaction / Questions and answers</p>	<p><b>Grant Writing for Clinical Research</b></p> <p><b>2.00 pm</b> Grant writing overview and components of a grant proposal. <b>Dr Subash Babu</b></p> <p><b>2.30 pm</b> Generating ideas for a (clinical) research project and international grants <b>Dr Mayur Ramesh</b></p> <p><b>3.00 pm</b> Budgeting for Indian Grants <b>Dr Dilip Mathai</b></p> <p><b>3.30 pm</b> Ethical conduct of clinical research <b>Dr Vivek AR</b></p> <p><b>4.15 pm</b> Writing a proposal: hands on guidance</p>

# **“A ROADMAP TO TACKLE THE CHALLENGES OF ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE”**

**A JOINT MEETING OF MEDICAL SOCIETIES IN INDIA**

**(Coordinator: Dr. Abdul Ghafur)**

**9.00 am - 09.15 am**

Tackling antimicrobial resistance- The Indian Perspective

**Dr Dilip Mathai**, President, CIDS

**9.15 am - 09.30 am**

European initiatives to control antibiotic use and resistance

**Dr Herman Goossens**

**09.30 am - 09.45 am**

Antimicrobial Stewardship & MDRO Control in Europe

**Dr Stephan Harbarth**

**09.45 am – 10.00am**

Apocalypse delayed: strategies to contain and control antimicrobial resistance in Asia.

**Dr Paul Tambyah**

**10.00 am - 10.15am**

UK Approach to Antimicrobial Stewardship

**Dr Dilip Nathwani**

**10.15 am - 10.30 am**

Tackling resistance: initiatives in the United States

**Dr Arjun Srinivasan**

**10.30 am - 10.45 am**

Tackling Resistance: initiatives in the Pacific region

**Dr David Paterson**

**10.45 am - 11.00 am**

Role of WHO in tackling antimicrobial resistance in India

**Dr Francois Decaillet**

**TEA BREAK**

**11.15 am - 11.45 am**

**KEYNOTE LECTURE:** Indian Government strategies to tackle the challenge of antimicrobial resistance

**Dr VM Katoch** (Secretary, Health Research, Government of India and Director General, ICMR)

**11.45 am - 12.00 pm**

Role of NABH in implementing antibiotic stewardship and infection control in Indian hospitals

**Dr Sanjeev Singh** (NABH)

## **Panel Discussion 1: 12.00 pm - 12.40 pm**

**Chairperson: Dr (Prof) H S Rissam, Member, Board of Governors, Medical Council of India**

- **Dr Rama Kant** (President, Association of Surgeons of India)
- **Dr Ram E Rajagopalan** (ISCCM)
- **Dr Rohit Agrawal** (President, Indian Association of Paediatrics)
- **Dr Rajendrasing Pardeshi** (FOGSI)
- **Dr Raman Sardana** (Hospital Infection Society)
- **Dr Ajit Huilgol** (President, Transplantation Society)

# **INAUGURATION**

**12:40 pm - 1:00 pm**

## **LUNCH**

**1.00 pm - 1.40 pm**

**01.40 pm - 2.00 pm**

Stepping up microbiology laboratory facilities in the country and the role of Microbiologists in tackling antimicrobial resistance.

**Dr Aarti Kapil** (IAMM)

## **Panel Discussion 2: 2.00 pm - 2.40 pm**

**Chairperson: Dr PV Ramesh IAS, Principal Finance Secretary (R&E), Government of Andhra Pradesh**

- **Dr G N Singh** (DCGI)
- **Dr J P S Gill** (Veterinary Expert)
- **Dr Subash Todi** (Panel member of Ministry of Health STG on Critical Care)
- Representatives of State Govt.

**02:40 pm – 03.00**

Antimicrobial resistance and Oncology service

**Dr Kumar Prabhash**

## **Panel discussion 3: 03.00 pm - 03.30 pm**

**Chairperson: Dr (Prof) B M Hegde**

- **Dr Siddharth N Shah**, Editor, JAPI
- **Dinesh C Sharma**, Science Editor, Mail Today
- State Govt. Representatives
- **Dr O C Abraham**, Prof. of Medicine & Infectious Diseases, CMC, Vellore
- **Dr M V Ramanamma**, Rector, Dr NTR University of Health Sciences, Hyderabad

## **TEA BREAK**

**03.45 pm - 04.05 pm**

Over the counter sale of antibiotics in India: ban or restriction?

**Dr A Muruganathan (President Elect API); Dr JA Jayalal (IMA)**

**04.05 pm – 04.45 pm**

Open forum for questions and discussion

**(Moderator: Dr V. Ramasubramanian)**

**04.45 pm – 05.00 pm**

What's in the pipeline and sum-up

**Dr. Abdul Ghafur**

# **DAY 1 (SATURDAY, AUGUST 25th)**

**Meet the Professor (07.30 am - 8.30 am)**

**Hall 1:** Outbreak investigation and infection control issues

**Dr Arjun Srinivasan and Dr Paul Tambyah**

**Hall 2:** Bacterial and fungal infections in the immune compromised host

**Dr David Paterson and Dr P H Chandrasekar**

**Session I: Tropical Medicine (8.30 a.m – 10 a.m.)**

**8.30am – 09.00 am**

Lepthangamushi: The misdiagnosed trio of scrub typhus, leptospirosis & hantavirus

**Dr George M Varghese**

**09.00 am – 9.30 am**

Influenza in the tropics: what's relevant in 2012

**Dr Paul Tambyah**

**09.30 am - 10.00 am**

Neglected tropical diseases

**Dr Shyam Sundar**

**TEA BREAK**

**10.00 am – 10.15 am**



## Session II (10.15 a.m - 1.15 p.m.)

<p><b>Track 1</b></p> <p><b>10.15 am - 10.45 am</b> Resistant Gram positives: Indian scenario <b>Dr Dilip Mathai</b></p> <p><b>10.45 am - 11.15 am</b> Approach to therapy of serious MDR-GNB infections <b>Dr David Paterson</b></p> <p><b>11.15 am – 12.30 pm</b> <b>Controversies in therapy:</b></p> <p>I. Bacterial sepsis: single drug or combination? <b>Dr Dilip Nathwani</b></p> <p>II. Infections caused by ESBL producers: carbapenems always or carbapenems sparingly? <b>Dr David Paterson</b></p> <p>III. Nebulized antibiotics for VAP: useful or useless? <b>Dr Ram E Rajagopalan</b></p> <p>IV. Colistin: what's new? <b>Dr Subhash Todi</b></p> <p><b>12.30 pm - 1.00 pm</b> Preventing transmission of multi-drug resistant gram negative pathogens <b>Dr. Arjun Srinivasan</b></p> <p><b>01.00 pm - 01.15 pm</b> Questions</p>	<p><b>Track 2</b> (ID review course for physicians/paediatricians)</p> <p><b>10.15 am – 10.40 am</b> Infections in OP: A syndromic approach <b>Dr Suneetha Narreddy</b></p> <p><b>10.40 am – 11.05 am</b> Outpatient Antibiotics simplified <b>Dr Lavanya Nutankalva</b></p> <p><b>11.05 am -11.30 am</b> Therapeutic options in typhoid: quinolones still the king or is it time to move on? <b>Dr George K Varghese</b></p> <p><b>11.30 am – 11.55 am</b> Fever with rash <b>Dr Pallavi Bhargava</b></p> <p><b>11.55 am – 12.20 pm</b> Syndromic approach to STD <b>Dr S Subramaniam</b></p> <p><b>12.20 pm – 12.45 pm</b> PUO – A practical approach <b>Dr D Sureshkumar</b></p> <p><b>12.45 pm – 1.00 pm</b> Approach to infections following animal bites <b>Dr Vasanth Nagvekar</b></p> <p><b>1.00 pm- 1.15 pm</b> Questions</p>
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## LUNCH

**01.15 pm – 02.00 pm**

**Session III (2.00 pm to 03.55 pm)**

<b>Track 1</b>	<b>Track 2</b>
<b>02 .00 pm– 02.30 pm</b> Epidemiology of Fungal Infections in India <b>Dr Arunaloke Chakrabarti</b>	<b>02.00 pm - 02.25 pm</b> Approach to skin & soft tissue infections <b>Dr Moti Talpada</b>
<b>02.30pm – 03.00pm</b> Recent advances in diagnosis and management of invasive fungal infections <b>Dr P H Chandrasekar</b>	<b>02.25 pm - 03.00 pm</b> (Chair : <b>Dr. Shankar Kurpad</b> ) Approach to bone & joint infections <b>Dr Swati Rajagopal</b>
<b>03.00 pm – 03.15 pm</b> Mucormycosis – Is India the capital? <b>Dr Abdul Ghafur</b>	<b>03.00 pm - 03.25 pm</b> Infective endocarditis – when to suspect? <b>Dr Anup Warriar</b>
<b>03.15 pm – 03.40 pm</b> Clostridium difficile in India: truly rare or just rarely detected? <b>Dr. C Vaishnavi</b>	<b>03.25 pm - 03.55 pm</b> Infection Control: the basics <b>Dr Purnima Parthasarathy</b>
<b>3.40 pm -03.55 pm</b> Questions	

**TEA BREAK      03.55 pm – 04.10 pm**

**Session IV (4.10 pm – 6.10 pm)**

**04.10 pm – 04.40 pm**

Rapid tests and molecular diagnosis: the role of the Microbiology laboratory.

**Dr Camilla Rodrigues**

**04.40 pm – 06.10 pm**

Challenging cases in ID: Clinical interactive

**(Co-ordinated by Dr Rajeev Soman)**

# **DAY 2 (SUNDAY, AUGUST 26th)**

**Meet the Professor: (07.30 am - 08.00 am) Dr Hans Rodger**

Prevention of Nosocomial Viral Infections - Can Chemical Disinfection/Antisepsis Help?

**Session I: Tuberculosis (08.00 am - 10.45 am)**

**08.00 am - 08.30 am**

XXDR TB: back to the sanatorium era?

**Dr. Zarir Udawadia**

**08.30 am - 09.05 am**

Who's right: WHO or RNTCP?

**Dr Soumya Swaminathan and Dr Senthur Nambi P**

- Daily versus alternate day therapy: which is better?
- Do we continue ethambutol after 2 months of intensive phase?
- Mycobacterial cultures pre-treatment: selectively or always?

**09.05 am – 09.30 am**

TB IRIS: frustrating to patient and physician alike

**Dr Priscilla Rupali**

**09.30 am – 10.00 am**

HIV / TB: What's new

**Dr Soumya Swaminathan**

**10.00 am – 10.45 am**

Challenging cases in TB: panel discussion

**Co-ordinated by Dr Rajeev Soman**

**TEA BREAK (10.45 am - 11.00 am)**

## Session II (11.00 am to 01.15 pm)

<p><b>Track 1</b></p> <p><b>11.00 am - 11.30 am</b> Malaria update <b>Dr Dilip Karnad</b></p> <p><b>11.30 pm – 12.00 pm</b> Viral encephalitis and hemorrhagic fevers in India: an update <b>Dr V Ravi</b></p> <p><b>12.00 pm - 12.20 pm</b> Vaccinations in an adult: what's appropriate for India? <b>Dr V Ramasubramanian</b></p> <p><b>12.20 pm – 01.15 pm ID Quiz</b></p>	<p><b>Track 2 ( HIV Medicine)</b></p> <p><b>11.00 am – 11.40 am</b> HIV Literature review with a focus on India. <b>Dr OC Abraham</b></p> <p><b>11.40 am - 12.05 pm</b> Non AIDS issues in management of HIV - what's relevant to India. <b>Dr Sanjay Pujari</b></p> <p><b>12.05 pm – 12.30 pm</b> Options for first line therapy in India: whom, when, what? <b>Dr N Kumarasamy</b></p> <p><b>12.30 pm – 12.55 pm</b> When first line fails: genotypes and the new drugs simplified <b>Dr Sanjay Pujari</b></p> <p><b>12.55 pm - 01.15 pm QUESTIONS</b></p>
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## LUNCH

**01.15 pm - 02.00 pm**

## Session III (2.00 pm to 5.00pm)

<p><b>Track 1</b></p> <p><b>02.00 pm - 02.30 pm</b> ORAL ABSTRACTS</p> <p><b>02.30 pm – 03.00 pm</b> Update on therapeutic advances in hepatitis B and C <b>Dr Yogesh Chawla</b></p> <p><b>03.00 pm – 03.30 pm</b> ID Literature review with a focus on India <b>Dr OC Abraham</b></p> <p><b>03.30 pm – 03.45 pm TEA BREAK</b></p> <p><b>03.45 pm – 04.10 pm</b> Clinical approach to diagnosis and therapy of CMV and other viruses in the transplant recipient <b>Dr Mayur Ramesh</b></p> <p><b>04.10 pm – 05.00 pm</b> Case scenarios in TORCH and other infections in pregnancy: panel discussion (Co-ordinated by <b>Dr S Suresh</b>)</p>	<p><b>Track 2 (HIV review course)</b></p> <p><b>02.00 pm – 02.30 pm</b> Approach to Opportunistic Infections in the era of ART successes <b>Dr Sajith Kumar</b></p> <p><b>02.30 pm – 02.55 pm</b> Pulmonary, GI and Neurologic syndromes in HIV <b>Dr B Vijayalakshmi</b></p> <p><b>02.55 pm – 03.20 pm</b> Prevention of MTCT: delivering the goods <b>Dr Fehmida Visnegarwala</b></p> <p><b>03.20 pm - 03.45 pm</b> Pediatric HIV: not just small adults. <b>Dr N Ravichandran</b></p> <p><b>03.45 pm -4.00 pm TEA BREAK</b></p> <p><b>04.00 pm - 04.25 pm</b> Toxicities of ART <b>Dr G Manoharan</b></p> <p><b>04.15 pm – 05.00 pm</b> Ethical issues in HIV Panel discussion</p>
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## Registration fees

Registration	National		International	
	Physician	Postgraduate / Student	Faculty/ Physician	Fellow/Resident/ Student
Early registration ( till 24th May 2012 )	₹ 3000/-	₹ 750/-	US \$ 200	US \$ 100
Late registration ( from 25th May 2012 )	₹ 4000/-	₹ 1000/-	US \$ 250	US \$ 125
Spot registration	₹ 5000/-	₹ 1500/-	US \$ 300	US \$ 150
Pre-conference Workshop	₹ 750/-	₹ 500/-	US \$ 100	US \$ 50
Symposium	Registration Free ( All are welcome )			

Single day registration ( Only Physician )	Upto 24th May	From 25th May	Spot
		₹ 1500/-	₹ 2000/-

## CME credits

A minimum of 20 hours of Category 1 credits are available through The Tamil Nadu Dr M.G.R. Medical University.

## Housing and Travel Arrangements

Delegates interested in travel or housing arrangements may please contact the organizers :

### Event Factory

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# Registration Form

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Note: Post graduate students should attach proof of current training

## Payment Details

Payment should be made by Demand Draft / Cheque in favour of "**Clinical Infectious Disease Society**" payable at Vellore

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## Important Dates

24 May 2012 - Early Registration

25 June 2012 - Last date for Abstract Submission