



Infectious Diseases Society of India (IDSI)



iCER-ID 2026



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06 - 07, August 2026

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Martin Delaney Collaboratories for HIV Cure Research (MDC), USA

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Keynote Speakers



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Venue:
SRM Institute of Science and Technology,
Kattankulathur, Chennai, India

Registration  open

About IDSI

The Infectious Diseases Society of India (IDSI), registered under the section 10 of the Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act, 1975, is a non-profit membership-based organization of experts and researchers in infectious diseases and public health. The society focuses on knowledge dissemination and capacity building through collaborations with national and international institutions to resolve public health challenges and pandemics.

About iCER-ID 2026

iCER-ID 2026, organized by the Infectious Diseases Society of India (IDSI), is an international scientific conference dedicated to advancing research, innovation, and evidence-based practice in infectious diseases.

The conference will convene leading scientists, clinicians, academicians, public health professionals, policymakers, and early-career researchers from across the globe to foster high-level scientific exchange and interdisciplinary collaboration.

The scientific program of **iCER-ID 2026** will focus on emerging and re-emerging infectious diseases, pathogen biology, host-pathogen interactions, advanced diagnostics, therapeutics, vaccinology, antimicrobial resistance, and global health preparedness.

Through plenary lectures, state-of-the-art symposia, oral and poster presentations, and expert panel discussions, the conference aims to promote critical discourse, translational research, and innovative solutions to contemporary infectious disease challenges.

Conference Topics

Viral Immunology	Public Health &
Antimicrobial Resistance	Epidemiology
Neglected Tropical Diseases	Biosafety & Biosecurity
Opportunistic Infections	SARS-CoV-2
Viral & Bacterial Infections	Vector-borne Diseases
Tuberculosis	HIV Vaccines
	Viral Hepatitis

Best Poster Award

Awards for best posters will be awarded for outstanding research works by students/research scholars/scientists during the poster session of the conference.

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Scientific Sessions

6th August 2026

08.00 AM to 09.30 AM	Registration
09.30 AM to 10.00 AM	Inauguration
10.00 AM to 10.30 AM	Plenary lecture
10.30 AM to 11.00 AM	Caffeine time
11.00 AM to 01.00 PM	Community Events
01.00 PM to 01.45 PM	Lunch time
01.45 PM to 04.30 PM	Plenary lectures
04.30 PM to 05.30 PM	Plenary lectures

7th August 2026

09.00 AM to 10.30 AM	Plenary lectures
10.30 AM to 10.45 AM	Caffeine time
10.45 AM to 12.45 PM	Plenary lectures
12.45 PM to 01.45 PM	Lunch time
01.45 PM to 03.45 PM	Plenary lectures
03.45 PM to 04.00 PM	Award presentation
03.45 PM to 04.00 PM	Cultural & Networking event
04.00 PM to 04.30 PM	Closing ceremony

Community Events

As a distinctive component of the **iCER-ID 2026** scientific program, dedicated Community Engagement Events will be organized to bridge the gap between research, clinical practice, and societal perspectives.

A focused interactive forum on **HIV** will bring together people living with HIV, clinicians, public health experts, community advocates, and members of the general public to facilitate open, evidence-based dialogue.

This session aims to **address scientific advances** in HIV prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and long-term care while simultaneously exploring lived experiences, stigma, adherence challenges, and health-system barriers.

By integrating patient narratives with clinical and epidemiological insights, the initiative seeks to promote informed public opinion, strengthen doctor–patient communication, and enhance **community trust in HIV care and prevention strategies**.

These **community-centered discussions** underscore the conference's commitment to translational science, inclusive public health practice, and socially responsive infectious disease research.

Registration

Register for the Conference

Don't miss the opportunity to be part of the **iCER-ID 2026!** Join us to explore innovative ideas, engage in inspiring discussions, and network with experts from around the world.

Registration Deadlines

Early-bird Registration: Until 15 June 2026

Abstract Submission: Until 30 June 2026

Late Registration: Until 31 July 2026

Registration Fee

Category	Early Bird	Late
Students (PG/PhD), Post-docs	INR 1500	INR 2000
Faculty/Scientists (National)	INR 2500	INR 3000
Overseas Faculty	\$ 600	
Overseas Students	\$ 200	

Registration and Payment details will be available soon...

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