

EZIDCON 2026

First Eastern Zonal Infectious Diseases Conclave

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

20 . 06 . 2026

Hyatt Regency, Saltlake, Kolkata

Time	Topic
6 pm-8pm	Post Graduate Quize
8pm-8.20pm	Varicella Zoster: Prevention is better than adult infection
8.20pm- 8.50pm	Flu & Shingles in India: rethinking adult immunisation
8.50pm onwards	Faculty Dinner (by invitation only)

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Tata Medical Center, Kolkata

Time	Topic
8.30am-9.00 am	Ethical research in Infectious Diseases
9.00 am– 9.20 am	Approach to persistent diarrhoea- is it always infectious?
9.20am– 9.40 am	Surgical site infection: A shared responsibility between ID specialist and Surgeon.
9.40am-10.00 am	Spondylodiskitis beyond TB: Approach by an ID physician
10:00am– 10.15 am	Inauguration
10.15am-10.30 am	Tea Break & Networking
10.30am-10.50 am	Screening Before immunomodulators: How Much is Enough?"

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10:50 am– 11:20 am	Case based discussion: “Infections after HSCT: Navigating the Immunocompromised Host”:
11.20am – 11.40 am	Febrile neutropenia: current evidence-based management & controversies
11.40am – 12. 10 pm	Panel discussion: “Infections in Solid Organ Transplant: Current Challenges and Evolving Strategies “
12.10pm– 12.30pm	Current options in management of CR Pseudomonas and CRAB : An update
12.30pm- 12.50 pm	Updates in TB Regimen (MDR and DS-TB)
12.50pm -1.10 pm	TB preventive therapy: To whom and what? - An update
1:10pm –1.30 pm	Surviving Sepsis Guidelines 2026 : Relevance in Low & Middle Income Countries
1.30pm-2.10pm	Lunch Break
2:10pm –2.30pm	Current status of Pneumococcal vaccines in India : An evidence based needs review
2.30pm –2.50 pm	Current status of Fungal biomarkers : Fallacies and pitfalls
2.50pm – 3.10pm	Prosthetic Joint Infection : A multidisciplinary approach
3.10pm – 3.40 pm	A stitch in time saves nine: A panel discussion on optimum antibiotic choice in ICUs.
3.40pm-4.20 pm	Panel discussion: “Tropical Infections: The Ever-Changing Landscape”
4.20pm-4.30 pm	Tea Break & Networking
4.30pm-4.50 pm	Management of newly diagnosed HIV: Current guidelines
4.50pm-5.10 pm	Fever in ICU: Solving the Diagnostic Puzzle
5.10 pm	Result announcement & prize distribution

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5.30 pm	Vote of Thanks and High Tea
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10.30am-10.50 am	Nipah Virus: Threat to eastern India (preparedness and surveillance)
10.50am-11.20 am	Rapid Pathogen and AMR Gene Detection- rationalised position of of Multiplex PCRs and NGS in critically ill patients with infections : A panel discussion
11.20am-12.30 pm	Oral Paper Presentations
12.30pm-1 pm	Top 10 paper in Infectious Disease: 2025-26
1pm -1.30 pm	Shaping the antimicrobial stewardship in management MDR cUTI with novel treatment options
1.30pm-2.10 pm	LUNCH
2.10pm-2.30 pm	CLSI updates : What ID physicians should know
2.30pm-2.50 pm	Expanding Landscape of Neuro-infections in India
2.50pm-3.10 pm	Emerging Protozoal Infections
3.10pm-3.30 pm	Interesting cases on HIV
3.30pm-3.50 pm	Magic trick in newer management of Gram negatives
3.50pm-4.20 pm	Panel : New prophylactic agent in management of CMV
4.20pm-4.50 pm	High tea symposium : Newer Horizons in Complicated Gram positive infections : Panel discussion
3.30pm-5 pm	Poster judging