

Report: ICMR-STS Selection

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"Excellence in research begins with curiosity, dedication, and the courage to explore the unknown."

The Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) Short Term Studentship (STS) program is one of the most prestigious platforms for undergraduate medical students in India. This program is designed to foster early exposure to research, analytical thinking, and problem-solving, helping to shape the next generation of medical innovators.

It is with immense pride that we announce the selection of three of our students for ICMR-STS 2025.

Our STS 2025 Achievers:

1. Ms. Lalitha Marimuthu

- **Reference ID:** STS2025-10509
- **Year of Study:** 2nd MBBS
- **Guide details:** Dr. Raisa Faheem, Associate Professor, Dept. of Biochemistry
- **Research Title:** *A Baseline Review of the Intensified Iron Plus Initiative's Implementation in Government Schools.*

2. Mr. Mohit Shamsundar Desai

- **Reference ID:** STS2025-16864
- **Year of Study:** 2nd MBBS
- **Guide details:** Dr. S Aruna, Professor & Head of Dept. of Microbiology
- **Research Title:** *Integrating Antimicrobial Resistance Awareness into Family Adoption Program and Evaluating its Impact- A Community-Based intervention to combat Antibiotic Resistance.*

3. Ms. Anindita Panigrahi

- **Reference ID:** STS2025-23024
- **Year of Study:** 1st MBBS
- **Guide details:** Dr. Uday Kumar, Professor & Head of Dept. of Anatomy
- **Research Title:** *A Study on Dysmenorrhea and Its Effect on the Quality of Life in Female Students.*

These selections mark a significant milestone for both the students and our institution. As they embark on their research journeys, we celebrate their achievement and look forward to the impact their work will create—setting new benchmarks for excellence, innovation, and commitment in medical research.