# Dr. Athulya Raj, Pathologist

## MD Pathology, FRCPath

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**PROFILE** I am a Pathologist trained at Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences. After completion of MD, I took up my current job where I work as Lab director as well as report cytology and hematology independently. Meanwhile I was preparing for FRCPath examination, which I cleared in April 2022. Now I am looking forward for a job to develop my skills in reporting histopathology where I can pursue my passion for the subject, involve in patient care and contribute to the department at the same time.

#### **PERSONAL DETAILS**

Permanent address	Kailas, Panayam, Anchal, Kollam, Kerala-691312
Present address	Eattummel, Parakkat temple road, Chembumuk, Palarivattom, Kochi
Date of birth	27-07-1991
Nationality	Indian
Languages	English, Malayalam, Tamil

# QUALIFICATIONS

MBBS	Sree Gokulam Medical College and Research Foundation, Tvm	Sept 2010- Aug 2016
MD	Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi	June 2017-June 2020
FRCPath	The Royal College of Pathologist, London	June 2022

#### **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

#### Pathologist , N.S Memorial Institute of Medical Sciences (Aug 2020- Dec 2022)

N. S. Memorial Institute of Medical Sciences (NSMIMS) is a co-operative hospital located at Palathara in Kollam, India. The hospital has 500-beds, 32 specialty departments and provides a full range of services.

#### **Roles & Responsibilities**

**Clinical Duties:** 

- Reporting of Cytology (Gynaecological cytology, non-gynaecological and effusion cytology)
- Perform FNAC procedure
- Reporting of routine Haematology and Clinical Pathology samples
- Actively participated in testing and reporting of Covid-19 cases
- Routinely discussing cases with clinicians

Non-Clinical Duties:

- Setting up of cytology department
- Appeared as lab director for NABL accreditation of molecular testing of HCV
- Leading a team of 40-50 technicians and supervising all their laboratory duties
- Overall supervision of the laboratory and ensuring maintenance of the turn-around time of routine Haematology and Biochemistry samples
- Initiated setting up of Blood Bank and performed duties of blood bank medical officer
- Teaching General Pathology and Systemic Pathology for paramedical and nursing student

This job as a whole, help me in my professional as well as personal development by providing exposure to leadership roles, management aspects, and gaining confidence in the subject.

#### Aster Medcity, Kochi (October 2016-March 2016)

Junior resident in Anaesthesia department.

**SKILLS** Communication skills

Teamwork and leadership skills

### ACHIEVEMENTS

**Research** Evaluation of clinicopathological features affecting outcome of early squamous cell cancer tongue

**Audit** 1. Impact of implementing The Paris System for reporting urine cytology: An institutional experience (awarded best paper presentation prize)

- 2. Histopathological correlation of reporting thyroid cytology
- 3. Transfusion reaction analysis (ongoing)

#### REFERENCES

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