



Mini Oommen

MICROBIOLOGIST

Laboratory Management | Infection
Control Team Member

Experienced and exceptional Clinical Diagnostic Professional who excels in various laboratory types and sizes. I am a dedicated hardworking individual with an extensive experience in studying structure and characteristics of micro-organisms.

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Education

2022- currently pursuing

D.Y. PATIL University

**MBA IN HOSPITAL
ADMINISTRATION
AND HEALTHCARE
MANAGEMENT**

1993 - 1996

Mahatma Gandhi University

**TWO YEAR ADVANCED
POST GRADUATE
DIPLOMA IN MEDICAL
MICROBIOLOGY
(Equivalent to M. Sc
Medical Microbiology)**

1990 – 1993

Kerala University

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

1988 – 1990

Kerala University

Pre-Degree (Science)

Experience

- **Nov'21 – July '23**
Immucare Laboratories, Kochi (NABL Accredited) ; Divison of Medgenome, Bangalore
Microbiologist/Laboratory Manager
 - Responsible for Quality assurance and management of the Covid – 19 PCR Laboratory
- **Jan'14 – Mar'21**
Kinder Women's Hospital & Fertility Centre, Cherthala, Kerala, India
(NABH Accredited Hospital)
Microbiologist/Laboratory in-Charge
 - Responsible for Quality assurance and management of the whole laboratory
 - Supervision and Management of laboratory
 - Coordinate with Hospital Administration in the management of recruitment, staff appraisal and staff promotion
 - Performs quality control monitoring in laboratory
 - Supervise the preparation of duty roaster
 - Responsible for on the job training
 - Compiles with standard operating procedures
 - Instructs interns and other medical personnel on matters pertaining to laboratory
 - Check inventory and raise purchase order based on current stock
 - Supported NABH and Stock Audit
 - Part of core administrative team in decision making
 - Supervising on proper concentration focusing of Sterility checking
 - Participates in health care associated infection control program of the hospital

1988
Kerala State Board
10th (S.S.L.C)

Languages Known

English

Malayalam

Hindi

Tamil

Core Skills

- Positive behavior
- Monitoring, Judgement and Decision making
- Quality improvement competency
- Interpersonal and Communication skills
- Resource management expertise
- Accuracy and methodical approach to work

○ Aug'10 - Jan'14

Meditech Laboratories, Kollam, Kerala. India

Chief Microbiologist

- Responsible for the functioning of Microbiology department and supervising the whole lab in the absence of Lab-in- charge
- Review and approval of Quality reports
- Verification of On-line results review
- Equipment maintenance record review
- Documentation, review and investigation of Quality Assurance

○ Jul'05 - Jul'10

Radiology Nuclear Medicine and Laboratories Centre, Al-Adan Hospital, Adan, Kuwait (ISO 2001:2008 certified Laboratory attached to 1000 bedded ministry hospital, with state of art diagnostic facilities and taking part in CAP assessment)

Microbiology Technologist

- Responsible for providing information for patient diagnosis and treatment by performing laboratory tests in microbiology laboratories : Grade III Technologist (supervising Grade II & Grade I technologists)
- Station supervisor (Responsible for instruments)
- Shift supervisor (Ensuring uninterrupted workflow and sample processing without delay during the shift, responding to queries from the unit technical staff and medical staff of the hospital)
- QC supervisor (monitor for proper performance and documentation of instrument calibration and maintenance, QC strain maintenance)
- Safety supervisor (Supervise health and safety of all personnel in the unit, ensure the availability and adequacy of all the necessary laboratory safety equipment)
- Materials Management Supervisor (Ensuring adequate stock for all shifts, receive and distribute materials to respective work stations)
- Station Operator (Sample processing & Interpretation)

- **Jan'04 - Jun'05**
Meditech Laboratories, Kollam, Kerala. India
Chief Microbiologist
- **Aug'03 - Dec'03**
Apollo Victor Hospital, Margao, Goa. India
Junior Microbiologist
- **Apr'99 - Jul'03**
Mangalam Hospitals Pvt. Ltd., Kottayam, Kerala. India.
Microbiologist
- **Jun'98 - Mar'99**
Universal College of Medical Sciences, Bhairahawa. Nepal
Sr. Laboratory Technician (Microbiology Department)
- **Sep'96 - May'98**
Doctor's Diagnostic & Research Centre (DDRC), Trivandrum
Kerala. India
Technical Assistant (Microbiology Dept.)
- **May'96 - Sep'96**
Iypes Diagnostic Laboratory, Trivandrum, Kerala. India
Microbiology Trainee

Trainings

- Certificate course in Laboratory Quality Management System & Internal Auditor ISO 15189:2012 (82%) – conducted by CAHO & CQI Aug 2021; Awareness program on ISO 15189:2022 organized by NABL & CAHO held on 31 August & 1 September 2023 at KIMS Trivandrum.
- Online course on Infection Prevention & Control (81% A grade) conducted by State Resource Centre, Kerala Oct 2020
- Training Program in NABL Entry Level – conducted by CAHO Sep 2019
- Training in Water Quality Analysis and Management July 2013, Conducted by: MSME, Govt. of India at TIES, Vellore, Kerala. INDIA

- Workshop on Clinical Parasitology Nov 2008
Conducted by: Directorate of Medical Laboratories Services Training Department, MOH, KUWAIT
- Training in Revised National Tuberculosis Control Program Nov 2001 Conducted by: Govt. of India at District TB Centre, Kottayam, Kerala, INDIA.

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Expertise

- DADE BEHRING Micro Scan Walkaway 96 SI system
- BacT ALERT 3D & BACTEC 9240 Microbial Detection Systems
- VITEK 2 COMPACT system
- Urisys 1800, ROCHE for routine urine examination
- Anoxomat Mark II OP system
- VIDAS system (ELFA method) for TORCH complex, Hepatitis panel, HIV etc.
- ELISA tests for Tuberculosis, TORCH complex, Hepatitis Panel, HIV, Dengue & Leptospira Antibodies, Helicobacter Pylori and various autoimmune diseases by the detection of Anti-Nuclear Antibody, Anti Cardiolipin Antibody, Anti Sperm Antibody etc.
- API (Analytical Profile Index) System
- Routine tests like RA, ASO, CRP, IM, Widal, VDRL, HIV, Brucella Agglutination, TPHA, Pregnancy test etc.
- Bacterial cultures, Fungal and Mycobacteria culture
- Staining and screening of AFB and Malaria smears
- CSF Antigen detection tests
- Handling Culture media sterilizer and Automated plate pourer for the preparation of various media

References

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