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Years of Experience – 27 yrs

Areas of Interest –

- Early and Rapid diagnostic techniques in infectious disease
- Diagnosis : Dengue, Leptospirosis, Malaria
- Special interest in Biomarkers in infectious disease progression.
- Pathogenesis of Malaria
- Molecular diagnostics
- Molecular identification of pathogens/ strains in Nosocomial infections
- Infection Control : modifications in standard practices
- Innovative technologies in Medical Education

Achievements and Awards –

- First in 1<sup>st</sup> MBBS university exam
- Second in Physiology in 1<sup>st</sup> MBBS university exam
- First in Pathology in 2<sup>nd</sup> MBBS university exam
- First in Pharmacology in 2<sup>nd</sup> MBBS university exam

Publications till date –

- Compiled a “**Reference Manual on HIV / AIDS for Health Care Providers**”
- Publications in Indexed Journals: 27