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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Scrub typhus among hospitalised patients with febrile illness in South India: magnitude and clinical predictors. <i>Journal of Infection</i> , 2006, 52, 56-60.	3.3	147
2	Clinical profile and improving mortality trend of scrub typhus in South India. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2014, 23, 39-43.	3.3	137
3	Predictors of multi-organ dysfunction in heatstroke. <i>Emergency Medicine Journal</i> , 2005, 22, 185-187.	1.0	112
4	Severe scrub typhus infection: Clinical features, diagnostic challenges and management. <i>World Journal of Critical Care Medicine</i> , 2015, 4, 244.	1.8	108
5	Scrub Typhus: Prevalence and Diagnostic Issues in Rural Southern India. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2004, 39, 1395-1396.	5.8	104
6	Scrub typhus in South India: clinical and laboratory manifestations, genetic variability, and outcome. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2013, 17, e981-e987.	3.3	87
7	Molecular Epidemiology and Genetic Diversity of <i>Orientia tsutsugamushi</i> from Patients with Scrub Typhus in 3 Regions of India. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2015, 21, 64-69.	4.3	74
8	Nuclear Imaging for Classic Fever of Unknown Origin: Meta-Analysis. <i>Journal of Nuclear Medicine</i> , 2016, 57, 1913-1919.	5.0	74
9	Clinical management of COVID-19. <i>Indian Journal of Medical Research</i> , 2020, 151, 401.	1.0	68
10	Melioidosis in South Asia (India, Nepal, Pakistan, Bhutan and Afghanistan). <i>Tropical Medicine and Infectious Disease</i> , 2018, 3, 51.	2.3	62
11	Eschar in scrub typhus. <i>Journal of Postgraduate Medicine</i> , 2013, 59, 177-178.	0.4	61
12	The burden of scrub typhus in India: A systematic review. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009619.	3.0	60
13	Acute undifferentiated febrile illness in patients presenting to a Tertiary Care Hospital in South India: clinical spectrum and outcome. <i>Journal of Global Infectious Diseases</i> , 2016, 8, 147.	0.5	60
14	Tropical fevers: Management guidelines. <i>Indian Journal of Critical Care Medicine</i> , 2014, 18, 62-69.	0.9	50
15	Profile of organ dysfunction and predictors of mortality in severe scrub typhus infection requiring intensive care admission. <i>Indian Journal of Critical Care Medicine</i> , 2014, 18, 497-502.	0.9	48
16	Magnitude and Features of Scrub Typhus and Spotted Fever in Children in India. <i>Journal of Tropical Pediatrics</i> , 2006, 52, 228-229.	1.5	45
17	Cytokine Network in Scrub Typhus: High Levels of Interleukin-8 Are Associated with Disease Severity and Mortality. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2014, 8, e2648.	3.0	45
18	Rising antimicrobial resistance: an evolving epidemic in a pandemic. <i>Lancet Microbe</i> , The, 2021, 2, e419-e420.	7.3	43

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19	Definition, diagnosis, and management of COVID-19-associated pulmonary mucormycosis: Delphi consensus statement from the Fungal Infection Study Forum and Academy of Pulmonary Sciences, India. <i>Lancet Infectious Diseases</i> , The, 2022, 22, e240-e253.	9.1	41
20	Risk factors associated with the mucormycosis epidemic during the COVID-19 pandemic. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 111, 267-270.	3.3	40
21	Deregulated Tyrosineâ€“Phenylalanine Metabolism in Pulmonary Tuberculosis Patients. <i>Journal of Proteome Research</i> , 2015, 14, 1947-1956.	3.7	39
22	Investigating and managing pyrexia of unknown origin in adults. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 2010, 341, c5470-c5470.	2.3	37
23	Post-exposure prophylaxis for blood borne viral infections in healthcare workers. <i>Postgraduate Medical Journal</i> , 2003, 79, 324-328.	1.8	36
24	COVID-19 in India: Moving from containment to mitigation. <i>Indian Journal of Medical Research</i> , 2020, 151, 136.	1.0	36
25	Performance of molecular and serologic tests for the diagnosis of scrub typhus. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2020, 14, e0008747.	3.0	35
26	Diagnosis of scrub typhus. <i>Expert Review of Anti-Infective Therapy</i> , 2014, 12, 1533-1540.	4.4	34
27	Cases of human fascioliasis in India. <i>Journal of Postgraduate Medicine</i> , 2012, 58, 150-152.	0.4	34
28	Differential diagnosis of scrub typhus meningitis from bacterial meningitis using clinical and laboratory features. <i>Neurology India</i> , 2013, 61, 17.	0.4	33
29	Posaconazole: an emerging therapeutic option for invasive rhinoâ€“orbitalâ€“cerebral mucormycosis. <i>Mycoses</i> , 2016, 59, 765-772.	4.0	33
30	Kinetics of IgM and IgG antibodies after scrub typhus infection and the clinical implications. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 71, 53-55.	3.3	33
31	Rickettsial infections: A blind spot in our view of neglected tropical diseases. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009353.	3.0	33
32	Prevalence and risk factors for scrub typhus in South India. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2017, 22, 576-582.	2.3	32
33	Epidemiology & risk factors of scrub typhus in south India. <i>Indian Journal of Medical Research</i> , 2016, 144, 76.	1.0	31
34	Invasive fungal infection following chemotherapy for acute myeloid leukaemiaâ€“Experience from a developing country. <i>Mycoses</i> , 2017, 60, 686-691.	4.0	26
35	Scrub typhus meningitis: An under-recognized cause of aseptic meningitis in India. <i>Neurology India</i> , 2015, 63, 209.	0.4	24
36	Clinical Manifestations, Antimicrobial Drug Susceptibility Patterns, and Outcomes in Melioidosis Cases, India. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2019, 25, 316-320.	4.3	23

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37	Increased endothelial and macrophage markers are associated with disease severity and mortality in scrub typhus. <i>Journal of Infection</i> , 2014, 69, 462-469.	3.3	22
38	Scrub typhus: a reemerging infection. <i>Current Opinion in Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 33, 365-371.	3.1	20
39	Issues in antifungal stewardship: an opportunity that should not be lost: Table 1. <i>Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy</i> , 2017, 72, dkw506.	3.0	19
40	Symptomatic HIV CNS viral escape among patients on effective cART. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2019, 84, 39-43.	3.3	18
41	Impact of prior vaccination with Covishield™ and Covaxin® on mortality among symptomatic COVID-19 patients during the second wave of the pandemic in South India during April and May 2021: a cohort study. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2022, 40, 2107-2107.	3.8	17
42	Fungal endocarditis. <i>Current Infectious Disease Reports</i> , 2008, 10, 275-279.	3.0	15
43	India's National Action Plan on Antimicrobial Resistance: a critical perspective. <i>Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance</i> , 2021, 27, 236-238.	2.2	15
44	Comparison of a conventional and nested PCR for diagnostic confirmation and genotyping of <i>Orientia tsutsugamushi</i> . <i>Diagnostic Microbiology and Infectious Disease</i> , 2014, 79, 7-9.	1.8	14
45	Kikuchi-Fujimoto disease: Clinical and laboratory characteristics and outcome. <i>Journal of Global Infectious Diseases</i> , 2014, 6, 147.	0.5	13
46	Clinical profile and predictors of mortality of severe pandemic (H1N1) 2009 virus infection needing intensive care: A multi-centre prospective study from South India. <i>Journal of Global Infectious Diseases</i> , 2012, 4, 145.	0.5	12
47	Single-nucleotide polymorphisms in Toll-like receptor (TLR)-2, TLR4 and heat shock protein 70 genes and susceptibility to scrub typhus. <i>Journal of Human Genetics</i> , 2013, 58, 707-710.	2.3	12
48	Clinical Spectrum, Susceptibility Profile, Treatment and Outcome of Culture-Confirmed Brucellosis from South India. <i>Indian Journal of Medical Microbiology</i> , 2018, 36, 289-292.	0.8	11
49	Exploring rotavirus proteome to identify potential B- and T-cell epitope using computational immunoinformatics. <i>Heliyon</i> , 2020, 6, e05760.	3.2	11
50	Multiple relapses of visceral leishmaniasis in a patient with HIV in India: A treatment challenge. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2014, 25, 204-206.	3.3	10
51	The Twin Epidemics of Tuberculosis and HIV. <i>Current Infectious Disease Reports</i> , 2013, 15, 77-84.	3.0	9
52	Elusive treatment for human rhinosporidiosis. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2016, 48, 3-4.	3.3	9
53	Spectrum of cardiac manifestations and its relationship to outcomes in patients admitted with scrub typhus infection. <i>World Journal of Critical Care Medicine</i> , 2018, 7, 16-23.	1.8	9
54	A probable case of acquired toxoplasmosis presenting as pyrexia of unknown origin in an immunocompetent individual. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2013, 17, e1067-e1068.	3.3	8

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55	Toxicity and clinical outcomes in patients with HIV on zidovudine and tenofovir based regimens: a retrospective cohort study. Transactions of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, 2015, 109, 379-385.	1.8	8
56	BK Virus Characterisation among HIV-1-Infected Individuals and Its Association with Immunosuppression. Indian Journal of Medical Microbiology, 2018, 36, 172-177.	0.8	7
57	Plasma Von Willebrand Factor Levels Predict Survival in COVID-19 Patients Across the Entire Spectrum of Disease Severity. Indian Journal of Hematology and Blood Transfusion, 2022, 38, 333-340.	0.6	7
58	Nasal conidiobolomycosis. Journal of Postgraduate Medicine, 2015, 61, 143-144.	0.4	7
59	Scrub Typhus-Associated Opsoclonus: Clinical Course and Longitudinal Outcomes in an Indian Cohort. Annals of Indian Academy of Neurology, 2019, 22, 153-158.	0.5	7
60	Salmonella typhi rib osteomyelitis with abscess mimicking a "cold abscess". Journal of Global Infectious Diseases, 2013, 5, 80.	0.5	6
61	Serum siderocalin levels in patients with tuberculosis and HIV infection. International Journal of Infectious Diseases, 2019, 85, 132-134.	3.3	6
62	Case Report: Failure of Therapeutic Coma in Rabies Encephalitis. American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, 2018, 98, 207-210.	1.4	6
63	Haploidentical transplantation is feasible and associated with reasonable outcomes despite major infective complications—a single center experience from India. Transplantation and Cellular Therapy, 2022, 28, 45.e1-45.e8.	1.2	6
64	The CCR5 Gene Edited CD34+CD90+ Hematopoietic Stem Cell Population Serves as an Optimal Graft Source for HIV Gene Therapy. Frontiers in Immunology, 2022, 13, 792684.	4.8	6
65	A Rare Case of Cryptococcal Infection of Talus with Pathological Fracture That Healed with Medical Management. Journal of Foot and Ankle Surgery, 2011, 50, 740-743.	1.0	5
66	Ecthyma gangrenosum of a single limb. Indian Journal of Critical Care Medicine, 2011, 15, 188-189.	0.9	5
67	Scrub Typhus and Other Rickettsial Infections. Indian Journal of Critical Care Medicine, 2021, 25, S138-S143.	0.9	5
68	The role and diagnostic accuracy of serology for COVID-19. BMC Infectious Diseases, 2022, 22, 390.	2.9	5
69	Facilitating Safe Discharge Through Predicting Disease Progression in Moderate Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19): A Prospective Cohort Study to Develop and Validate a Clinical Prediction Model in Resource-Limited Settings. Clinical Infectious Diseases, 2022, 75, e368-e379.	5.8	4
70	Anti-nuclear antibody expression in severe scrub typhus infection: preliminary observations. Journal of Global Infectious Diseases, 2014, 6, 195.	0.5	3
71	Mucosal Leishmaniasis Due to <i>Leishmania donovani</i> —A Rare Presentation. Ear, Nose and Throat Journal, 2022, 101, 226-227.	0.8	3
72	Actinomycosis: An Unusual Cause of Maxillary Sinusitis. Ear, Nose and Throat Journal, 2022, 101, 433-434.	0.8	3

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73	Secreted Wnt antagonists in scrub typhus. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009185.	3.0	3
74	Community seroprevalence and risk factors for SARS-CoV-2 infection in different subpopulations in Vellore, India, and their implications for future prevention. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 116, 138-146.	3.3	3
75	Rhinofacial conidiobolomycosis: Clinical and microbiological characterisation and shift in the management of a rare disease. <i>Mycoses</i> , 2021, 64, 882-889.	4.0	2
76	Effectiveness of a real-time PCR for diagnosis of <i>Pneumocystis pneumonia</i> in immunocompromised patients – Experience from a tertiary care center, India. <i>Journal De Mycologie Medicale</i> , 2022, 32, 101241.	1.5	2
77	The Search for Effective Empiric Therapy for Acute Undifferentiated Febrile Illness. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 73, e1487-e1488.	5.8	1
78	Clinical utility of antifungal susceptibility testing in patients with fungal rhinosinusitis. <i>Indian Journal of Medical Microbiology</i> , 2021, 39, 328-333.	0.8	1
79	Prospective study to assess the treatment modalities and fever defervescence in patients with scrub typhus from a tertiary care centre in South India. <i>Journal of Vector Borne Diseases</i> , 2021, 58, 33.	0.4	1
80	1655. Performance of Molecular and Serologic Tests for the Diagnosis of Scrub Typhus. <i>Open Forum Infectious Diseases</i> , 2019, 6, S605-S605.	0.9	0
81	Treatment outcomes with daily self-administered treatment and thrice-weekly directly-observed treatment in two cohorts of newly-diagnosed, sputum-positive adults with pulmonary tuberculosis. <i>Indian Journal of Tuberculosis</i> , 2020, 67, 105-111.	0.7	0
82	Authors' response. <i>Indian Journal of Medical Research</i> , 2020, 152, 151.	1.0	0
83	Neuromelioidosis: A Single-Center Experience with Emphasis on Imaging. <i>Indian Journal of Radiology and Imaging</i> , 2021, 31, 57-64.	0.8	0