





# FORENSIC MEDICON 2026

**47th Annual National Conference  
of the Indian Academy of Forensic Medicine**

 27<sup>th</sup> Feb - 01<sup>st</sup> March, 2026

 NEIGRIHMS, SHILLONG

**Organised By:**  
**Department of Forensic Medicine**  
**North Eastern Indira Gandhi Regional Institute of Health and Medical**  
**Sciences, (NEIGRIHMS), Shillong**

**THEME:**  
**“Bridging tradition and technology in forensic  
medicine practice for the cause of justice”**



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# Message from the Organising Desk

Dear Esteemed Colleagues, Faculty, Researchers, and Students of Forensic Medicine, It is with immense pleasure and profound enthusiasm that the Organising Team extends a warm invitation to you for the National Conference of Forensic Medicine, FORENSIC MEDICON 2026, to be held at North Eastern Indira Gandhi Regional Institute of Health and Medical Sciences (NEIGRIHMS), Shillong, during February–March 2026.

Under the aegis of our esteemed parent body, the Indian Academy of Forensic Medicine (IAFM), we are honoured to host this significant gathering in the picturesque and culturally vibrant setting of Shillong, Meghalaya, at NEIGRIHMS, which is a premier institute in North Eastern part of the country.

This conference, themed “Bridging Tradition and Technology in Forensic Medicine Practice for the Cause of Justice”, aimed to be a dynamic platform for intellectual exchange, knowledge dissemination, and collaborative networking within the forensic medicine fraternity across India and beyond. FORENSIC MEDICON 2026 aims to explore the intricate interplay between established forensic principles and the transformative power of modern technology. Our scientific program is meticulously crafted around this central theme, with dedicated tracks designed to delve into specific areas of expertise. We will feature insightful keynote addresses by leading experts, thought-provoking plenary sessions, engaging oral and poster presentations, interactive workshops, and stimulating panel discussions across various aspects of the subject.

We believe that FORENSIC MEDICON 2026 will provide an invaluable opportunity to:

- a) Participate and enhance your knowledge and skills on the live workshops on important topics like conventional autopsy and CT based virtual autopsy, sexual assault examination, and tissue processing techniques for histopathology.
- b) Increase your presence in forensic medicine by connecting with leading experts, gaining deeper insights into medico-legal issues such as courtroom testimony, medical negligence, and forensic ethics, and interacting with legal professionals to bridge the gap between forensic medicine and the judicial system.
- c) Present your research or case to an esteemed audience, receive valuable feedback, and compete for awards to enhance your academic profile, while also earning a participation certificate to strengthen your CV and professional growth. Additionally, explore opportunities for higher education, research collaborations, and career advancement in forensic medicine.
- d) Enjoy the beauty of Shillong’s hills, waterfalls, and cultural heritage while immersing yourself in its vibrant local culture, food and music, making the conference a perfect blend of academic learning and relaxation.

Don’t miss this vital platform for learning, networking, and experiencing the best of forensic medicine and Shillong. The Organising Team at NEIGRIHMS is committed to ensuring a memorable and intellectually stimulating conference experience for each and every participant. We are working diligently to create a seamless and enriching event that will contribute significantly to the advancement of forensic medicine in the country, while thoughtfully bridging the gap between tradition and technology for the cause of justice.

We eagerly anticipate your active participation and looking forward to welcome you to Shillong for FORENSIC MEDICON 2026. Let us come together to learn, share, and collectively shape the future of forensic medicine in India, embracing both its rich heritage and its technological evolution.

Warm Regards,

**The Organising Team**  
**FORENSIC MEDICON 2026**  
**NEIGRIHMS, Shillong**



## HOW TO REACH

### NEAREST DOMESTIC AIRPORT – SHILLONG AIRPORT

Shillong Airport ([IATA](#): SHL, [ICAO](#): VEBI) is a domestic airport serving Shillong, the capital of Meghalaya, India. It is located at Umroi, and one can hire local cab to reach Marriott Hotel, Police Bazar (about 24 kms via NEHU road). It provides flight services from Aizawl, Dimapur, Guwahati, Dibrugarh, Lilabari, Silchar, Agartala, Kolkata.



### NEAREST INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT – LOKPRIYA GOPINATH BORDOLOI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, GUWAHATI

Nearest major airport is 'Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport' ([IATA](#): GAU, [ICAO](#): VEGT), Guwahati, Assam which is well connected to all parts of India and some of the South-East Asian Countries. It is about 114 km from Police Bazar, Shillong and one can hire a cab from the airport to reach here.



### BY RAILWAY – GUWAHATI RAILWAY STATION

Nearest major railway station is 'Guwahati Railway Station' (Station code: GHY), Guwahati, Assam, which is well connected to major cities in India via an extensive rail network. From outside the station, travellers can hire a taxi or cab to reach Shillong.



Tucked away in the north eastern side of the country, with abundant sunshine, high plateaus, tumbling waterfalls, crystal clear river, beautiful and hospitable people, Meghalaya is a destination for and all who love to travel.





## LOCATION ATTRACTIONS



**Cathedral Mary Help of Christians**



**Dawki**



**Mawmluh Cave**



**Krang Shuri Falls**



**mawlynnong (Asia's cleanest village)**



**Wards Lake**



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## REGISTRATION FEES & GUIDELINES

### DETAILS OF REGISTRATION FEES

(FOR ANY ONE OF THE PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS ON 26<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2026)

Categories		Till 31 <sup>st</sup> October, 2025	Till 30 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	Spot Registration
Category-A	Under-graduate students, including Interns	₹ 1,000	₹ 1,500	₹ 2,000
Category-B	Post-graduate trainees, Faculty and Working professionals	₹ 2,000	₹ 2,500	₹ 3,000

### DETAILS OF THE PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS ON 26<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2026: –

Hall no.	Topic	Expected resource persons	Target audience	Number of participants
1	Live autopsy workshop comprising of conventional and virtual autopsy	Forensic medicine specialists	Doctors	Max 40 participants
2	Mastering the art and science of forensic examination in cases of sexual assault in children: Examination, evidence collection and preservation, with special focus on DNA analysis	Multidisciplinary approach	Doctors and Nurses	Max 40 participants
3	Tissue processing techniques for histopathology	Forensic medicine specialists and Pathologists	Doctors	Max 40 participants

### REGISTRATION OF WORKSHOP INCLUDES: –

- Entry to any one of the workshops as mentioned above on 26th February, 2026.
- Breakfast, working lunch and refreshment during the workshop and all the workshop related documents.
- Refreshments and Lunch will be provided only for the registered delegates for workshop.

**DETAILS OF REGISTRATION FEES**  
**(ONLY FOR CONFERENCE FROM 27<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY TO 1<sup>ST</sup> MARCH, 2026)**

Categories		Till 30 <sup>th</sup> June, 2025	Till 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct. 2025	Till 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2025	Spot Registration
Category-A	IAFM Member (Faculty & Working Professionals)	₹ 7,000	₹ 8,000	₹ 10,000	₹ 12,000
Category-B	Non-IAFM Member (Faculty & Working Professionals)	₹ 8,000	₹ 9,000	₹ 11,000	₹ 13,000
Category-C	IAFM Member (Post-graduate trainees)	₹ 4,500	₹ 5,500	₹ 6,500	₹ 7,500
Category-D	Non-IAFM Member (Post-graduate trainees)	₹ 5,000	₹ 6,000	₹ 7,000	₹ 8,000
Category-E	Undergraduate students, including Interns	₹ 2,000	₹ 3,000	₹ 4,000	₹ 5,000
Category-F	Overseas Delegates	\$ 550	\$600	\$650	\$680
Accompanying person		₹ 4,500	₹ 5,500	₹ 6,500	₹ 7,500
Overseas Accompanying person		\$300	\$350	\$400	\$450

**REGISTRATION OF CONFERENCE INCLUDES: –**

- Entry to all scientific programme of the conference from 27th February to 1st March, 2026.
- Breakfast, lunch and refreshment during the conference.
- Dinners on 27th and 28th February 2026.
- Conference kit.

**FOOTNOTES FOR CONFERENCE REGISTRATION: –**

- Registration for conference is complementary for IAFM members above 70 years of age, who are currently not working.
- Accompanying person/s will be entitled only to point number 2 and 3 as mentioned above.
- Category E (undergraduate students, including interns) will be entitled only to point number 1 and 2 as mentioned above.
- It is desirable for the Category E (undergraduate students, including interns) to present either oral or poster in the scientific sessions of this conference.


**CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY FOR THE REGISTERED DELEGATES**

- Up to 30th November, 2025: 75% of the registration fee will be refunded.
- Up to 31st December 2025: 50% of the registration fee will be refunded.
- Up to 31st January 2026: 25% of the registration fee will be refunded.
- Beyond 31st January 2026 the registration fee will not be refunded.
- The amount to be refunded will be transferred to the delegates only after two months of completion of the conference.

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# ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES



## 1. ABSTRACT GUIDELINES: –

- Types: Poster and Oral presentations (Original Research/ Case Report/ Case Series/ Review Articles). Please specify the category (poster/ oral) during submission.
- Under-graduate (MBBS) students and Post-graduate trainees are not allowed to present Review articles.
- Language: English.
- Word Limit: 300 words (excluding title, affiliations, references and keywords).
- Font style, Font size, and Spacing: Times New Roman, font size 12, spacing 1.5.
- Format: Structured format in Microsoft Word (.doc/.docx) with the following headings:
  1. Original Research: Introduction, Objectives, Methodology, Results, Conclusion.
  2. Case Report/ Series: Introduction, Case history, Examination and Findings, Discussion, Conclusion.
- Title should be clear and precise, written in bold, with the first letter of each word capitalized.
- The name of the authors and affiliation should follow immediately under the title, highlighting and underline the name of presenting author.
- Keywords: Include 4-5 keywords at the end.
- No references are to be included in abstract.
- Graphs, Tables, and Images not to be included in the abstract.
- Submission: Only through the link provided in the website [www.forensicmedicon2026.com](http://www.forensicmedicon2026.com). Submission of abstract by any other means will not be accepted.
- Last date of submission: 15/12/2025.
- Notification: Presenting authors will be informed about the acceptance/rejection of their abstract via registered email by 15/01/2026.

## 2. IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER:-

- Maximum Submissions: one registered delegate can submit a maximum of two abstracts, comprising of one oral and one poster.
- Only the presenting author will get the certificate.
- While mentioning the names of the authors, the surname should be first followed by the first name.
- All presenters must declare that their presentations (Poster / Oral) have not been presented elsewhere.
- For original research article, a copy of the ethical clearance is to be uploaded while submitting the abstract.
- Abstracts once submitted will be treated as final and cannot be changed further.
- Please note that IAFM Life Membership is mandatory for Competitive Sessions.
- The souvenir committee of the conference reserves the right to edit the abstracts as deemed necessary for publication in the souvenir.
- Please note that the decision of the Judges will be final and binding to all concerned for competitive sessions.
- Please note that Registration is mandatory for presenting any paper/ oral presentations
- Please note that IAFM life membership is mandatory for competitive sessions, except for Undergraduate students, including Interns.

**SUBMIT NOW**





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• **Conference Transportation will be arranged from designated points only.**

• **Esteemed delegates to book the Accommodation and Transportation for Airport pick-up and drop through Clara Tours.** [VISIT HERE](#)

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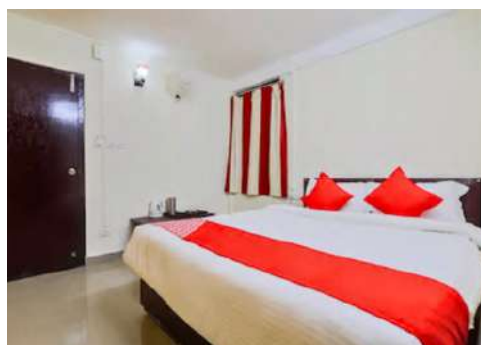
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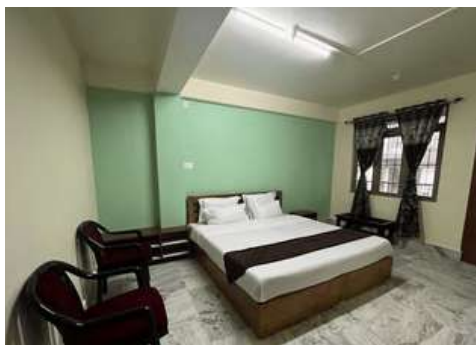
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### Room Tariff

Sl. No.	Rooms Categories	Single Occupancy	Double Occupancy
1	Deluxe twin bedroom	3000.00	3500.00
2	Deluxe king bedroom	3500.00	4000.00
3	Executive room	4000.00	4500.00
4	Premium Executive room	5500.00	6000.00
5	Rollaway bed (Extrabed)	800.00	
6	Sofa bed (Extrabed)	1200.00	

\*\*\* Kitchen charge 1000.00 + GST\*\*\*

\*\*\*The above mentioned room tariff are exclusive of taxes \*\*\*

\*\*Including of Complimentary Breakfast\*\*\*

\*\*\*Any Extra person 10years of age an above with or without breakfast extra charge are applicable @800/- +GST (Per Head) \*\*\*

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