

Leukemia Fellowship Program

Class of 2021-2022



Jayastu Senapati, MBBS, M.D.

Clinical Fellow in Leukemia

MD Anderson Cancer Center Fellowship Program

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Dr. Jayastu Senapati, MBBS, MD is a (first year) Fellow in The Leukemia Fellowship Program at The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center, Department of Leukemia. He plans to further his knowledge on the advances in clinical care and therapeutics in the field of leukemia during his fellowship and thereafter wishes to have advanced training in stem cell transplantation/ cellular therapy. Post his fellowship in USA he intends to return to India and continue working there, preferably in an academic setup, with a focus on clinical research and therapy development best suited for patients with hematological ailments in India.

He obtained his D.M. (equivalent to fellowship) degree in Clinical Hematology from All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, India in July 2021, serving as advisor to the Resident Doctors Association (RDA) of his institute (Jan 2021- to course completion). He was also awarded the COVID warrior award (in December 2020) by his department. Dr. Jayastu Senapati completed his residency (M.D.) in Internal Medicine from Christian Medical College (C.M.C), Vellore, India in May 2018. During his M.D. training he was also part of the team that won the national level hematology quiz (at HAEMATOCAN, India) in 2015 and 2017 and he won the best paper in malignant clinical Hematology at HAEMATOCAN in 2016. He did his M.B.B.S. and internship at C.M.C Vellore (from 2007-2013) and served mandatory service obligation at the same institute in the Department of Clinical Hematology and Medical I.C.U for a year each.

Dr. Jayastu has been the student quiz master in his undergraduate medical college (C.M.C.) and was the college football goalkeeper and chess captain. He takes interest in astrophysics and anthropology. During his leisure hours he writes poems and plays drums. He is fluent in English, Bengali and Hindi and can understand Tamil and Urdu.