



DR. SOUMYA B M

Associate Consultant - Medical Oncology

Qualification

MBBS | MD General Medicine | DrNB Medical Oncology

Overview

Dr. Soumya B M is an experienced medical oncologist in Bengaluru with specialised training in the management of solid and haematological malignancies. She is currently practising as an Associate Consultant - Medical Oncology at Manipal Hospital Old Airport Road, bringing focused expertise in systemic cancer therapies, precision oncology, and multidisciplinary cancer care. Dr. Soumya completed her MBBS from Karnataka Medical College and Research Centre, Hubballi, followed by an MD in General Medicine from Government Medical College and Hospital, Aurangabad. She further pursued DrNB Medical Oncology at Manipal Hospitals, Bengaluru, where she underwent structured superspecialty training in cancer medicine. Her clinical practice includes the management of a wide range of malignancies affecting different organ systems. She is trained in administering systemic cancer therapies such as chemotherapy, immunotherapy, targeted therapy, and hormonal therapy. These treatments are tailored to the biological behaviour of individual tumours and patient-specific clinical factors. Her experience includes treatment planning, dose modifications based on tolerance, and careful

monitoring of treatment-related toxicities to ensure safe and effective cancer care. Dr. Soumya's expertise also includes the interpretation of pathology findings, molecular markers, and next-generation sequencing (NGS) reports that guide precision oncology strategies. By integrating molecular diagnostics into clinical decision-making, treatment approaches can be tailored to the genetic profile of tumours, improving therapeutic response and patient outcomes. This depth of knowledge in systemic therapies and molecular oncology contributes to her role as one of the best medical oncologists in Manipal Hospital, Old Airport Road, for structured and personalised cancer treatment planning. Her areas of particular interest include precision oncology, immunotherapy, targeted therapies, and the management of breast and gynaecological malignancies. She is also experienced in treating lung, gastrointestinal, and genitourinary cancers, integrating systemic therapy with supportive care and palliative care when required. Her approach emphasises comprehensive patient counselling and multidisciplinary coordination to ensure that patients and families understand the treatment pathway and potential outcomes. Dr. Soumya is actively involved in academic and research activities within oncology. She has participated in national and international conferences, including APICON, ESMO Asia, and ICON, and presented research work at the ESMO Asia Conference. Her contributions to oncology education and research were recognised with the LEAP 2.0 Roche Scholarship, awarded for presenting an innovative proposal on standardising oncology care in resource-constrained settings. She has also participated in academic competitions and oncology forums organised by associations such as AMOI and Apollo Cancer Conclave. Dr. Soumya communicates fluently in English, Kannada, Hindi, and Marathi, allowing clear communication with patients from diverse linguistic backgrounds. Her clinical focus on personalised cancer therapy, molecular diagnostics, and multidisciplinary coordination establishes her among the best medical oncologists in Old Airport Road, Bengaluru, for comprehensive oncology care.

Fellowship & Membership

- Member of ESMO, ISMPO, AMOI

Field of Expertise

- Management of solid and haematological malignancies
- Chemotherapy administration
- Immunotherapy administration
- Targeted therapy administration
- Hormonal therapy administration
- Treatment planning
- Dose modifications
- Toxicity management
- Interpretation of pathology
- Interpretation of molecular markers
- Interpretation of NGS reports
- Multidisciplinary coordination
- Patient counseling
- Palliative care integration
- Precision Oncology
- Immunotherapy
- Targeted therapies
- Breast and Gynaec Malignancies
- Lung, GI and GU malignancies
- Clinical trials and research
- Public health awareness

Languages Spoken

- English

- Kannada
- Hindi
- Marathi

Awards & Achievements

- Actively participated in national and international conferences, including APICON, ESMO Asia, and ICON.
- Presented a research paper at the prestigious ESMO Asia Conference.
- Actively participated and won various quiz competitions held at AMOI Bangalore, Apollo Cancer Conclave, etc.
- Recipient of the LEAP 2.0 Roche Scholarship, awarded for presenting an innovative proposal on standardising oncology care in resource-constrained settings.
- President's Gold Medal in Medical Oncology.