

DR. MISBAH LATEEFA

Associate Consultant - Pathologist

Qualification

MBBS | MD (Pathology)

Overview

Dr. Misbah Lateefa is a dedicated pathologist in Vijayawada. She is currently practising as an Associate Consultant – Pathologist at Manipal Hospital Vijayawada, contributing to hospital-based diagnostic services across multiple laboratory disciplines. Her clinical focus encompasses surgical pathology, cytology, haematology, clinical pathology, and transfusion medicine (blood bank). In surgical pathology, she evaluates biopsy and resection specimens, providing detailed histopathological interpretations that guide clinical and surgical management. Tissue diagnosis forms a critical step in identifying inflammatory conditions, neoplastic changes, and other structural abnormalities, and her role centres on delivering precise microscopic assessments that support evidence-based treatment planning. Dr. Misbah Lateefa completed her MBBS before pursuing specialisation in Pathology, strengthening her foundation in medical sciences and laboratory diagnostics. Her academic and professional engagement is reflected in her membership with the Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists (IAPM). Within cytology, she examines cellular samples obtained through minimally invasive techniques, assisting in early detection and

diagnostic clarification. Her work in haematology and clinical pathology involves laboratory-based evaluation of blood and related investigations, contributing to diagnostic accuracy and disease monitoring across medical specialities. Transfusion medicine forms another important component of her responsibilities, including blood bank-related services that support safe transfusion practices within the hospital setting. Her scholarly work includes publications and case presentations. The studies examine uncommon dermatological tumours that present diagnostic challenges due to overlapping histological features. The research highlights her involvement in analytical diagnostic work and her contribution to academic pathology discussions. At Manipal Hospital Vijayawada, she functions as part of the multidisciplinary diagnostic framework, where laboratory findings play a decisive role in shaping clinical decisions. Her expertise in tissue evaluation and laboratory medicine places her among the best pathologists in Vijayawada, particularly in surgical pathology and complex histopathological interpretation. Through consistent laboratory-based diagnostic support, she continues to contribute to accurate and timely medical reporting within the institution.

Fellowship & Membership

- IAPM

Field of Expertise

- Surgical pathology
- Cytology
- Hematology
- Clinical Pathology
- Transfusion Medicine (Blood Bank)

Languages Spoken

- English
- Telugu
- Hindi
- Urdu

Talks & Publications

- Histopathological study of 26 rare skin adnexal tumours over 5 years - a diagnostic dilemma (2 Publications and 1 case presentation).