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Dr. Cyriac Abby Philips, a Specialist in Hepatology and Liver Transplant Medicine, did his MBBS from St Johns Medical College at Bangalore, MD in Internal Medicine from Nilratan Sircar Medical College, Kolkata and DM in Hepatology & Liver Transplant Medicine from the prestigious Institute of Liver and Biliary Sciences, New Delhi under the mentorship of Prof. Shiv K. Sarin. He is an avid clinician and basic science researcher in liver diseases. He is the author of 87 publications in both national and international journals, chapters in various text books of medicines and co-author of book titled "Diseases of Pancreas". He conceived the first fecal or stool transplant protocol for severe alcoholic hepatitis in the world, currently published by the American Gastroenterology Association. He was awarded the Gold Medal for Academic Excellence in Hepatology by the honorable President of India, Shri Pranab Mukherjee during the Institute of Liver and Biliary Sciences Convocation and Foundation Day Ceremony held on 14th of January, 2016 at New Delhi and has won the prestigious American Association for Study of Liver Disease (AASLD) - Young Investigator and Excellence Awards consecutively in the years 2015 and 2016. He was given the Honorary Trainee Membership to the AASLD during their annual Liver Meeting held at San Francisco in November 2015. His main areas of interest include gut microbiome and its modulation in liver disease, especially alcoholic hepatitis and cirrhosis, sepsis in cirrhosis and care of the critically ill cirrhotic and complementary and alternative medication induced liver injury. His ongoing projects include gut microbiome in alcoholic hepatitis and cirrhosis, fecal microbiota transplantation in alcoholic hepatitis, hepatic encephalopathy and chronic cholestatic liver disease; Ayurveda and herbal medication associated liver injury and population based studies on gut microbiome in central Kerala.