



## Dr Imen Ben Mustapha

Imen Ben-Mustapha is a Professor of Immunology. She received her M.D. from the University of Tunis and her M.Sc. from the University Pierre et Marie Curie in Paris. She completed a research fellowship at the Laboratory of Human Genetics of Infectious Diseases, INSERM U550, in Paris. In 2008, she joined the Medical School of the University of Tunis El Manar and the Pasteur Institute of Tunis, where she has served as Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, and, since 2018, Full Professor in Immunology. She currently leads the national reference diagnostic laboratory for patients with inborn errors of immunity (IEI) at the Pasteur Institute of Tunis.

Dr Ben-Mustapha is also a member of the National Immunization Technical Advisory Group. Her research has contributed to the discovery of several new genes and modes of inheritance associated with IEI. Her current work focuses on uncovering the immunological mechanisms underlying IEI with atypical presentation. She was awarded the University of Montreal/Besrour Prize for Excellence in Research.