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Microbiology overlaps with other areas of biology such as Biotechnology, Genetics, Molecular Biology and Immunology. Microbiology therefore opens a myriad of opportunities for microbiology-related career in a range of sectors:

- After completing Bachelor and/or Master degree in microbiology, students can get lucrative jobs in India as well as abroad apart from securing civil services.
- Students can get placed in Government and private hospitals or clinical laboratories as microbiologists and may act as quality analyst in food industry and beverage industry.
- Students of Microbiology may remain in the academic field and pursue a PG or Ph.D. degree and might even become a field expert, lab assistant or an academic lecturer.
- Students may also become researchers cum scientists in research organizations, chemical industries, different agricultural departments and pharmaceutical sectors.