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MESSAGE FROM CHAIRMAN



Sri. S. Narasa Raju
Founder Chairman,
The Oxford Educational
Institutions

The journey in quest of knowledge began with a single step. We took the historic step with just two teachers and twenty four students that inspired the odyssey towards excellence in academic pursuit. Today the 33 vibrant schools and colleges of oxford educational institutions team with 20,000 students and 2700 faculty members. The Oxford Dental College is one such important landmark in our educational

expedition. It is every students dream to study in a college that enables him/her to learn from the best. Our colleges have successfully created a holistic learning atmosphere for our students supported by counselling and placement so that they launch on a career with good growth opportunities. Deeply ingrained in our students is the belief **"Wherever you go no matter what the weather, always bring your own sunshine!"**

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MESSAGE FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Sri. S N V L Narasimha Raju
Executive Director,
The Oxford Educational
Institutions

We continue our tireless journey in quest of academic excellence and service. This issue of the college newsletter focuses on the development of academics and projects in the college through contributory skill and clinical knowledge for enrichment of talent in a broad spectrum transferable to the reader. Contents of the newsletter would enable to emphasize efficient individual patient care and enhance modern treatment skills.

MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL



Dr. Priya Subramaniam
Principal,
The Oxford Dental College

The information in this newsletter is a culmination of the many efforts of our faculty, staff and students. Without their hard work there would be no news or updates to share. I hope you find this publication informative and an excellent way to keep in touch with the Oxford dental college. The accomplishments of our faculty and students include several presentations and awards at the regional, national and international levels. The teaching

-learning process together with professional collaborations has provided opportunities for community service and research. At our institution, we continually seek to provide smooth transition from the classrooms to our pre-clinical laboratories and to patient care at the clinics and finally to practice in the community. Through various continuing dental education programs, students are encouraged in areas of critical-thinking, clinical skills, and professionally trained in communication, social and ethical responsibility. As Principal, I wish to thank the management for providing excellent infrastructure and for their continuous support and commitment. I sincerely appreciate all the faculty for their cooperation in continuing to provide an excellent academic environment for our students.

COLLEGE ACTIVITIES

Dental Camp at Blind School

“Kindness is the language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see”.

A special camp was organized for blinds by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, The Oxford Dental College in collaboration with Karnataka welfare association for blind, Seshadripuram, Bangalore. Nearly 100 visually challenged kids were benefited from this program. Treatment and education about oral hygiene was rendered.



Denture Camp by the Dept. of Prosthodontics

Oral health status is an important factor for nutrition. Tooth loss impairs oral function, esthetics and phonation. Hence replacing missing teeth is very important to maintain the General HEALTH of the patient. The Dept. of Prosthodontics held Denture Camp at Krishnagiri in association with Indian Dental Association on September 2nd and 3rd providing Prosthesis to 50 patients.



World Health Day Celebration 7th April

“Nothing captures attention more than a creative story line.”

A Skit was performed by 2nd year post graduate students of Public Health Dentistry on World Health Day celebration at Kormangala Slum, Bangalore. This skit intended to create awareness on Vector borne diseases and was called **‘Small bites big threats’**



Blood Donation Camp

“Donate your blood for a reason, let the reason to be life”.

Blood donation Camp in collaboration with Kidwai Institute of Oncology was organized at The Oxford Dental College on 4th August 2014. Students from the Dental College, Engineering college and volunteers from AMR Tech Park and Bosch actively participated in the programme.



Biomedical Waste Management

A Biomedical waste management sensitization programme was arranged for Non teaching staff of The Oxford Dental College by the Department of Public Health Dentistry.



ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

“It’s your aptitude, not just your attitude that determines your ultimate altitude.”

- Dr. Ramakrishna, Professor, Dr. Bipin Reddy, Reader, Dr. Kishan Panicker, Reader, Dept. of Oral Surgery, Dr. Satheesh Kumar, Reader Dept. of Prosthodontics Dr. Shobith Shetty Reader, Dept. of Oral Pathology, completed “**Clinical Mastership in oral implantology**” in association with Stony Brook University, Atlanta (USA).
- Dr. Satheesh Kumar, Reader, Dr. Jins John, Reader, Dept. of Prosthodontics, Dr. Bipin Reddy, Reader & Dr. Kishan Panicker, Reader, Dept. of Oral Surgery, were awarded the title of **Diplomate of International Congress of Oral Implantologists**.



Dr. Anuradha Pai, Dr. Sujatha D, Dr. Bharati, Dr. Sushmini, Dr. Asha, Dr. Aman, Dr. Sheshaprasad chaired the scientific sessions during the PG Convention 2014.

Dr. Anuradha Pai Chaired Guest Lecture on **“Immunological & Biochemical Markers in oral carcinogenesis-Current status & future research”** delivered by Dr. Chandramani.

Dr. Sheshaprasad R. Senior Lecturer, has secured First in Clinical Innovation Staff Category on **“Pirfenidone in Oral Submucous fibrosis”**.

Dr. Sirekha was the panelist in 2nd Inter- state and 42nd state conference held in Mangalore on 28-30 Nov. 2014, discussion on post endodontic- prosthesis and periodontal inter-relationship

Dr. Sirekha reviewer in Research square American journal experts.

Dr. Sujatha D. Professor has secured Second in Clinical Innovation Staff Category **“An Innovative alleviation for Debilitating Neuropathic Pain”**.



Dr. Leeky Mohanty was Organising co-chairperson of Preconference of XXIII National conference of IAOMP in Bangalore - 28/11/14 -30/11/14.

Scientific sessions were Chaired at XIX national IAPHD conference, Kochi by Dr. S. S. Hiremath (Prof. and HOD), Dr. Manjunath (Reader), Dr. Archana (Professor)

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Dr. Chaitanya Babu

- Organising Chairperson of Preconference of XXIII National conference of IAOMP in Bangalore - 28/11/14 -30/11/14
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- Guest Speaker for Rapid revision on 'odontogenic cysts' at Ambedkar Dental College, Bangalore, December 2014



Congratulations to **Dr. S.S. Hiremath** who is elected as President of IAPHD

The post graduate students of Department of prosthodontics Dr. Anvita Chadha, Dr. Mohnish Jagtani, Dr. Dipen Talaviya, Dr. Anil Avira Mathai presented a Table clinic on Saving Resources-Sand Curing & Plaster less Articulation at the 42nd annual conference, Indian prosthodontic society, Chandigarh, 6th-9th November 2014.



Dr. Manasa - Best thesis award titled "Prevalence of oral signs and symptoms in patients with inflammatory bowel disease".

Dr. Priya K. Nair has secured Best Paper on "Physiotherapy: Key to the kinetics of orofacial musculature" – in Review Category.

Dr. Tanuja Raju Jacob has secured Best paper on "A review on newer therapeutic modalities for immune mediated oral mucosal lesions ...A start from the dead end" – in Review Category. Also,

- Secured overall Best paper award in presenting paper on "A review on newer therapeutic modalities for immune mediated oral mucosal lesions ...A start from the dead end"- in Review Category.
- Secured the best debater for debate on "Interventional strategies in Oral cancer have been largely Unsuccessful".
- Secured best innovation award for the topic." A new innovative drug for de-addiction.

Dr. Kim Upadhyay and Dr. Tanuja Raju Jacob secured the best team for debate on "Interventional strategies in Oral cancer have been largely Unsuccessful".



ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Dr. Deepa D. and Dr. Eremba, post graduate students of the department of Ph.D., were awarded for the **best abstract** submission and Dr. Deepa D was awarded for the best paper presentation at The XIX National conference of Indian Association of Public Health Dentistry held at Kochi.



Dr. Shibani Das, Undergraduate Intern was awarded with ELSEVIER student ambassador for the year 2014-2015, IDA-Colgate scholarship for 1st rank in final year BDS examination, first rank in IDA Karnataka state MCQ test in the subjects of Oral Medicine and Radiology, Pedodontics and Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, first runner up for the **BITEIN CLEARPATH AWARDS 2014** under the category for best undergraduate student of the year and first prize in paper presentation in the IDC conference 2015.

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL INTERACTIONS

The Department of Pedodontics had an interdepartmental meet on Benign cementoblastoma - a case report presented by Dr. Sangeeta teleti, second year post graduate student and Oral sarcoidosis in a 11 year old child - a rare case report. Presented by Dr. Kinjal shah, final year post graduate student.

The Department of Public Health Dentistry had an interdepartmental meet on "use of caries risk assessment and individualized caries prevention in adult patients by practising dentists of bangalore city- a cross sectional study" presented by Dr. Prijitha Alex & "knowledge, practices and barriers related to diabetic patients among dentist in Bangalore city" presented by Dr. Gulam Anwar Naviwala, final year post graduate students.

CDE programmes

The Department of Pedodontics conducted a CDE programme on **enigma of pulp therapy** in children on 10th December 2014. There were three enriching scientific sessions by two eminent speakers, Dr. Muthu MS and Dr. Praveen P. the sessions were followed by a didactic panel discussion. The panelist were Dr. Kavita Rai and Dr. Latha Anand Krishna along with our guest speakers.

The programme got an overwhelming response with over 120 delegates attending the programme. We had amongst us Dr. Nagalakshmi Chowdry, Head of department Pedodontics, SSDC Tumkur, and a DCI member.

A CDE Program was conducted on synopsis writing by The Department of Public Health Dentistry, and Dr. L. Nagesh was invited as guest speaker on 28.8.14 at the Oxford Dental College.

Department of Oral Pathology Organised a CDE on **Exfoliative cytology** and FNAC in The Oxford Dental College on 26/9/14.





Dr. Nagalakshmi Chowdry



Dr. Priya Subramanyam



Dr. Praveen P



Dr. L. Nagesh

- **Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics** conducted a CDE and hands-on on 14/10/2014. Resource persons: Dr. Alexander- FKG and Dr. Nand kishore.
- Each participants were given starter rotary endodontic instruments. All the participants are eligible to showcase clinical excellence on challenging endodontic case to FKG international switzerland. The winner of this programme will visit Switzerland and the study done by the student will be funded.
- **Dr. Chris Chen**, BDS, MSc Manchester, invited speaker for various Endo continuing education courses in the Universities all over China and Taiwan gave a talk on "Simplifying Endo preparation with Single Niti file systems" on 17/12/2014, at 11:30a.m, followed by hands on course. 25PGs and staff did the hands on training.
- Webinar by **Dr. Joshi P.D.** on Endodontic retreatment, supported by Dr.Reddys lab
- National UG Convention 2014, 20.09.14 hosted By the **Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology** on The Theme "Conventional Maxillo- Facial Radiographs In Systemic Diseases."

- "TMJ Physiotherapy" conducted at The Oxford Dental College and Research Hospital, Bangalore on 6th of September 2014 by Dr. Md. Kassim.
- "Life Management through Mind Management" conducted by PDL speaker **Mr. Anurag Chabra** at The Oxford Dental College & Hospital, on 28.11.14 & 29.11.14.



PUBLICATIONS

The staff members of the college have many National and International publications to their credit every year and the publications for this year is listed below.

Sl no	Publications	Name of staff
1.	Ki-67 and p53 expression in solitary sporadic, syndrome associated and recurrent keratocysticodontogenic tumor. Journal of Oral and MaxilloFacial Pathology. 2014;18(1):21-25	Jyoti Alur, TV Narayan, Leeky Mohanty, Sadhana Shenoy, Saleha Jamadar, Shobith Shetty
2.	Origin of Ameloblastoma From Basal Cells of the Oral Epithelium- Establishing the Relation Using Neuroectodermal Markers. Journal of Clinical and Diagnostic Research. 2014 Oct, Vol-8(10): 44-47	Nagamalini. B.R, S.Suneela, T.V. Narayan, Balasundari Shreedhar, Leeky Mohanty, Sadhana Shenoy, Uma Swaminathan
3.	Micrometry made easy: A new invention. Journal of Oral and MaxilloFacial Pathology. Vol. 18 Special Issue November 2014`	Abhishek B, Sadhana S, Leeky M
4.	Friend or foe: Role of eosinophils in potentially malignant disorders of the oral cavity. Journal of Oral and MaxilloFacial Pathology. Vol. 18 Special Issue November 2014	Deepika K, Leeky M, Roopa V, Vanita V
5.	Oral mucosal lesions and immune status in HIV infected Indian children.J Oral Pathol Med. 2014. September	Subramaniam P, Kumar K.
6.	Effect of Levulose Containing Sweets on Blood and Salivary Glucose Levels. J Diet Suppl. 2014 Aug	Subramaniam P, K.L.Girish Babu, Gona H.
7.	Assessment of salivary total antioxidant levels and oral health status in children with cerebral palsy. J ClinPediatr. Dent. 2014. Spring;38(3):235-9	Subramaniam P, Mohan Das L, Babu KL
8.	Effect of erbium, chromium: yttrium, scandium, gallium, garnet laser and casein phosphopeptide-amorphous calcium phosphate on surface micro-hardness of primary tooth enamel. Eur J Dent. 2014 Jul; 8(3):402-6.	Subramaniam P, Pandey A.
9.	Dental management of a child with Goldenhar syndrome. European Journal of General Dentistry 2014 : 3(2)	Priya Subramaniam, K. L. Girish Babu, Shurti Jayasurya, Divya Prahalad.
10.	Regional odontodysplasia crossing the midline: A unique case associated with bilateral impacted supernumerary teeth. J Pediatr Dent 2014;2:96-100.	Naik LK, Shetty P, Girish Babu KL
11.	Pediatric liquid medicaments - Are they cariogenic? An in vitro study. J IntSoc Prevent Communit Dent 2014; 4:108-12.	Girish Babu KL, Doddamani GM, Kumaraswamy Naik LR, Jagadeesh KN
12.	Early treatment of class III malocclusion with modified tandem traction bow appliance and a brief literature review. Oral Health Dent Manag. 2014. Sep; 13(3):647-51.	Sharma A, Joshi SR, Hegde AM, Shetty R.
13.	Relationship between severe ECC, salivary mutans streptococci and lactobacilli in pre-school children of low socioeconomic status in Bangalore city. JISPPD-2014 Volm.32(1)	Dr. S.S. Hiremath
14.	Incidence of dental trauma among obese adolescent-a 3 year prospective study. Dental traumatology. 2014	Dr. S.S. Hiremath
15.	Prevalence and associated factors to developmental defects of enamel in primary and permanent dentition. OHDM 2014 Vol13. No 3	Dr. S.S. Hiremath
16.	Assessment of Microleakage in Class II Cavities having Gingival Wall in Cementum using Three Different Posterior Composites Journal of international oral health. JIOH. 07/2014; 6(4):35-41	Dr. Vanamala, Dr Srirekha
17.	Influence of root canal curvature on the accuracy of an electronic apex locator: An in vitro study. Journal of Conservative Dentistry Nov-Dec 2014 Vol 17 Issue 6:583-586	Dr. Lekha, Dr. Pooja, Dr. srinivas, Dr. Srirekha, Dr. Swetha, Dr. Jayakumar
18.	Maxillary first molars with six canals : A case report. International journal of medical and dental case reports: 2014;1(1):1-3	Dr. Aprajita, Dr. Kusum, Dr. Srirekha, Dr. Rupali
19.	The Effect of Home Bleaching Agents on the Surface Roughness and Fracture Toughness of Composite Resin Materials. Dentistry 2014; 4(7):1-6	Dr. Poonam, Dr. Rupali, Dr. Srirekha, Dr. Savita, Dr. Archana
20.	Study of the Anesthetic Efficacy of Inferior Alveolar Nerve Block using Articaine in Irreversible Pulpitis. The Journal of Contemporary Dental Practice, 2014;15(1):71-74	Dr. Rupali, Dr. Zeeshan
21.	Evaluation of smear layer removal from ultrasonically prepared retrocavities by three agents. Journal of Conservative Dentistry. Jul-Aug 2014, Vol 17 (4): 330-334	Dr. Ashwija
22.	Disinfection of Gutta-percha cones using three reagents and their residual effects. Journal of Conservative Dentistry. Nov-Dec 2014, Vol 17 (6):571-574	Dr. Ashwija
23.	Oral Submucous Fibrosis In India: Are We Progressing. Indian Journal Of Cancer; Jul-Sep 2014; Vol 51, Issue 3, 222-226.	Dr. Pragathi, Dr. Seshaprasad, Dr. Anuradha Pai, Dr. Sujatha.D
24.	Clinico-radiologic Features Of Cherubism :A Case Report And Literature Review General Dentistry , Sep-Oct 2014, E12 –E15	Dr. Sujatha. D, Dr. Shobha Naik
25.	Reviving Salivary Cells-Pathway To New Horizon. IJSS Review And Case Reports Vol 1 Issue 2	Dr. Sushmini Hedge, Dr. Ardra Anuradha, Dr. Amandeep Sodhi

26.	An Unusual Presentation Of Pyogenic Granuloma Of Lower Lip.Contemporary Clinical Dentistry ;Oct-Dec 2014; Vol5; Issue4	Dr. Sushmini Hedge, Dr. Ardra Anuradha, Dr. Amandeep Sodhi
27.	Ultrasound Elastography-Implications In The Head And Neck Region. IJSS Case Reports And Reviews; Aug 2014; Vol1; Issue3.	Dr. Asha.V, Dr. Dhanya M, Dr. Bharati Patil, Dr. Revanna.
28.	Atrophic Glossitis:An Indicator Of Iron Deficiency Anemia-A Case Series. International Journal Of Dental Clinics 2014;6(3):30-31.	Dr. Veena R
29.	Orofacial & Skeletal Manifestations Of Hypophosphatemic Rickets In Fanconi Bickel Syndrome. American J.Of Clinical Medicine, 2014, Vol 2, Issue 4, 68-71	Dr. Veena. R, Dr. Babita, Dr. Anuradha Pai
30.	Unilateral Masseter Hypertrophy: An Esthetic Enigma. International Journal Of Dental Case Reports Sep. 2014	Dr. Veena, Dr. Dhanya
31.	Contemporary Dental Management Of Osteogenesis Imperfecta. International Journal Of Dental Case Reports Sep. 2014	Dr. Veena, Dr. Pallavi
32.	AmelogenesisImperfecta Type I A:A Case Report. Journal Of The Oxford Dental College	Dr. Amandeep Sodhi, Dr. Mahesh, Dr. Manasa CS
33.	Epulis Fissuratum –A Case Report.Scholars Journal Of Medical Case Reports 2014; 2(7): 452-454.	Dr. Bharati Patil, Dr. Anjana Arora, Dr. Amandeep Sodhi
34.	Physiotherapy In Ginglymo -Arthrodial Joint Disorder. Dental Poster Journal, Vol 3, July-Aug 2014.	Dr. Amandeep Sodhi, Dr. Priya, Dr. Sujatha. D, Dr. Bharati Patil
35.	Palliative Care In Oral Medicine. Scholars Journal Of Applied Medical Sciences.,2014; 2(4D); 1383-1384	Dr. Sessa Prasad. R, Dr. Pragathi, Dr. Anuradha Pai
36.	Stomatitis Venanata- A diagnostic challenge. Open Journal Of Dentistry And Oral Medicine 2(1); 14-16, 2014	Dr. Pragathi, Dr. Sessa Prasad R, Dr. Anuradha Pai

TOPPERS LIST



B. Tejasree Kameswari
1st Year 80%



Sharon Chettiar
2nd Year 76%



Anjana Suresh.U
3rd Year 73%



Shibani Das
4th Year 72%

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Learn as if you were to live forever ”

- Gandhi

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