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DIGITAL SMILE DESIGN

Department of Prosthodontics and e - content committee organized a CDE program titled "Digital Smile Design" as a part of the "leaders in making" initiative on 28th of August 2024. The lectures were followed by a live demonstration on two-dimensional digital smile designing of a patient profile using Smile cloud software. Followed by inpatient demonstration of intra oral scanning protocol.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Honouring the birthday of our Managing Director, **Tmt. Indira Raajendran**, whose vision and leadership have fostered a culture of growth, excellence and innovation of PDCH. The cake-cutting celebration was a heartfelt display of the admiration and appreciation we collectively hold for our esteemed MD, Madam.







Celebrating the Birthday of Our esteemed Chairman, Thiru. V. G. Raajendran, MLA., whose leadership and vision have been instrumental in shaping the future of PDCH. The event was filled with heartfelt wishes from Principal and all the faculty members. The delightful cake cutting ceremony was a testament the respect admiration we all have for our chairman.

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CLINICAL SOCIETY MEETINGS

- The second CSM for 2024-25 was conducted on 26th July 2024. Three presentations were made by the Department of Oral Pathology and Oral Microbiology.
- The third CSM for 2024-25 was conducted on 27th August 2024. Three presentations were made by the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry.
- The fourth CSM for 2024-25 was conducted on 27th September 2024. Four presentations were made by the Department of Oral Surgery.







INTERN MENTORSHIP PROGRAM 'IGNITE THE INSPIRED'

The first "Ignite the Inspired" program for the academic year 2024 was conducted on 28.08.2024. The resource person for the program was Dr. K. Dharani Chowdary., MDS, Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial surgery, CKS Teja Dental college, Tirupathi, Andhra Pradesh.



Saveetha Dental College- AI in diagnostics of Oral Cancer, seminar conducted on 06.07.24. Faculty members and Post graduates from PDCH actively participated in this program.

Times of PDCH, volume 3 issue 2 was released by our beloved chairman **Thiru V. G. Raajendran** on 22/07/24.





PDCH SCIENCE CLUB

Third PDCH SCIENCE CLUB meeting was held on 24th July 2024.

Topics:

- Theory of relativity- Dr. Selvamani
- Grandparents paradox- Mr. Sri Aravindha, CRI
- Brain Pacemaker- Dr. K. Gnanambigai

Fourth PDCH SCIENCE CLUB meeting was held on 22nd August 2024.

Topics:

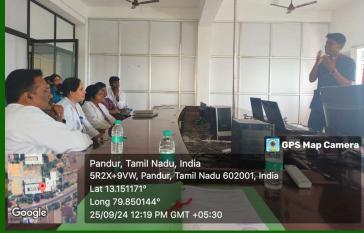
- Yantra, Mantra and Einstein- Dr. Ashok Pothuri.
- Super charged cancer curing cells- Mr. Ragavendran, CRI.
- How dinosaurs died ?- Mr. Sri Aravindha.

Fifth PDCH SCIENCE CLUB meeting was held on 25th September 2024.

Topics

- Fibonacci numbers- Dr. Selvamani. B
- 2024 PT 5- Dr. K. Gnanambigai
- The evolution of Y chromosomes- Dr. Georgia Benitha. J
- Story of blue LED- Mr. Sri Aravindha,





FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Dental Education Unit and IQAC of PDCH conducted a faculty development program on 30.07.24 for the Heads of the departments.

Dental Education Unit and IQAC of PDCH conducted a faculty development program on 11.09.24 to ensure improvisation in communication of the faculty members





INSTITUTIONAL ETHICAL COMMITTEE MEETING

First Institutional Ethical Committee meeting for the academic year 2024-25 was held on 23.07.2024. Dr. Radhika. T, Professor, Department of Oral Pathology, Thai Moogambigai Dental College and Hospital, Chairperson, IEC-PDCH and Dr. MRC. Rajeswari, Prof and Head, Member Secretary, IEC-PDCH joined the meeting. A total of 48 new proposals were presented of which 28 proposals were subjected for critical review. The remaining twenty proposals were waived off from the presentation as they did not have any ethical issues and were given approval.



ORAL HYGIENE DAY

Dept of Periodontics, PDCH has celebrated Oral Hygiene Day of 2024. Students from second year to interns have actively participated in the event. Various on stage performances including skit, radio talk, mime and debate took place on the motto of oral hygiene awareness and off stage events including flashmob, rangoli, meme and reels creation were conducted as a part of the celebrations. As a token of appreciation for Oral hygiene day, Indian Society of Periodontology awarded plaque for the dept of periodontics and the college.





ANTI-RAGGING DAY

To curb the menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, the UGC has directed the HEI to conduct "Anti- Ragging Day" and "Anti- Ragging week"

Accordingly PDCH has conducted "Anti- Ragging Day" on 12th August followed by "Anti- Ragging week from 12th - 18th August 2024.



FREE MEDICAL AND DENTAL CAMP

- Department of Public Health Dentistry, PDCH along with Indira Medical College and and Indira college of Nursing Hospital attended a FREE MEDICAL AND DENTAL CAMP organised by Lion's club, Korattur branch and Myrtle social network foundation on 12/09/2024 at Punambakkam samuthaya koodam. People of Punambakkam were benefited by the camp. medical/dental screening camp included various awareness programmes on tooth Brushing campaign, hand Wash campaign, mouth Wash campaign, tobacco cessation counseling, nutrition and healthy diet campaign.
- Department of Periodontics, Pedodontics and Public Health Dentistry conducted a free dental camp for the tribal population in Pattipulam on 22.08.24.



KARGIL VICTORY DAY

On the Occasion of 25th **Kargil Vijay Diwas**, the Department of Public Health Dentistry in coordination with the NSS unit of PDCH organized a program on 26th July 2024.

Dr. Ganesh. R, NSS unit 1 Coordinator, gave a welcome speech about the day's importance and invoked a sense of patriotism. Dr. C. Vijay Adhith, Prof and Head gave a brief note on Kargil Vijay Diwas. The video on the Kargil war was edited and projected by Ms. Asvitha, CRI. Dr. B. Selvamani, NSS unit 2 coordinator, and Dr. V. Hemamalini, Tutor, Department Of Public Health Dentistry coordinated the program. All the students and faculty observed silence as a mark of respect for the brave hearts, who lost their lives for the country.

Vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. M. Sasikala, Senior Lecturer, Department of Public Health Dentistry.



Swachhatha Pakhwada

The PDCH NSS units along with the Department of Public Health Dentistry and PDCH Green Committee organised 'Swachhatha Pakhwada' program on 13/09/2024.

Ms. Subasree, CRI presented a seminar on 'Swachh Bharath Abhiyan'. Principal Dr. B. Sivapathasundharam gave a thought provoking speech about cleanliness.

Mr. Sri Aravindha, CRI along with students and staff took the 'Swachh Shapath'. After the pledge students registered themselves in the 'Swachh Shapath' website to get their ecertificate. On 14/09/2024 as a part of 'Swachhata Pakhwada' program the Dept of Public Health Dentistry organised cleanliness evaluation to the various dental departments of PDCH. Dr. C. Vijay Adhith, Principal In charge of the day and Dr. T. Sridhar Reddy, Professor and Head, evaluated the cleanliness of the departments.



STEM CELL REGISTRY CAMPAIGN

Department of Public Health Dentistry, Youth Red Cross and NSS unit of PDCH in coordination with DATRI organised a stem cell registry awareness campaign on 24th July, 2024.



ONAM CELEBRRATION



e-CONTENT PROGRAM

The e-content committee and DEU of PDCH organized a CDE program on 'Developing Marketing Strategies for Dental Clinics' on 14/09/24. The resource person for the program was Mr. K.R. Keerthi Raman, Founder and CEO, Anicha Digital Infrastructure Private Limited.





LITERARY CLUB

The literary club programs were organised from 10.09.24 to 14.09.24. Various competitions like Agni Siragondru Kanden, Essay writing and debate were conducted.

IDA MOLARIS AWARD

Dr. Anjana. R, Dr. Georgia Benitha. J and Dr. Tinesh Raja won the IDA Molaris award on 04.08.24.





21st NATIONAL FORENSIC CONFERENCE

The 21st National IAFO conference held at Tagore Dental College and Hospital on September 19, 20 and 21. Dr. B. Sivapathasundharam, Dr. MRC. Rajeswari and Dr. B. Prem Karthick chaired the various sessions in the conference. Dr. K. Gnanambigai, Department of Oral Pathology, Ms. J.S. Deepthi, Ms. S. Deborah Priyanka, Ms. Subhasree Subramani and Mr. Dinesh. V, presented posters in the scientific sessions.



FACULTIES OF PDCH

Dr. Ganesh. R, Dr. Jai Senthil. A, Dr. I. Paavai, Dr. Veera Kumar. R and Dr. C. Vijay Adhith, Professor and Heads of various departments attended the Prestigious program conducted by the Royal College of Surgeons at Taj Connemara on August 20th 2024.



HUMOUR CLUB PROGRAM

The humour club program of PDCH was held on 31st July 2024.



NATIONAL SPORTS DAY

National sports day was celebrated on 29.08.24.





TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

On the occasion of "Teacher's Day" on 5th September 2024, the CRIs and all the BDS students organised a program to acknowledge and honor the incredible contribution, dedication and hard work of our teachers.



STARS OF PDCH

- 1. The research paper from the Department of Public Health Dentistry has won second prize in the research day competition. Ms.Vivega, CRI received the prize from the Honorable Health Minister of Tamil Nadu at Tamilnadu Dr.MGR Medical University on the occasion of the University Research Day celebration.
- 2. N. Anusha, Second year BDS, won third prize in essay competition held at Dr. MGR Medical University.
- 3. Ms. Rithikka Fathin. S, Ms. Nithya Jayasree. S and Ms. Sherlin Hepsiba. S won second place in short film in the 'University Research Day' competition.
- 4. Ms. Shaheen Farhana has won first place in the poster presentation held at ACS Medical College.
- 5. Dr. Shobana. R, Dr. Govindarajaa. V.K and Dr. Sowmy.P, PGs, Dept. of Pedodontics presented posters in the 45 th ISPPD Annual National Conference, 2024.
- 6. Dr. Sajitha, Dr. Parvathi and Dr. Priyadarshini, PGs. Department of Orthodontics, attended 58th IOS conference, Bengaluru on September 20, 21 and 22.
- 7. Ms. M. Akshaya, Ms. Illakiya. R, Ms. Keerthana. K, Mr. N. Sri Aravinda, Ms. Ubayana, Mr. Jegan. M, Mr. Udhaya Kumar. S and Ms. Preethi won the ICMR grant of Rs. 50,000/, for their research proposals.
- 8. Second, third and final year students won in various games conducted for Anti-ragging week and literary club programs.
- 9. Ms. Teena. S.K, Final year BDS, Department of Oral Pathology, won the first prize in Saveetha Dental College and Hospital on 10th and 11th September 2024.



GENDER SENSITIZATION AND EQUITY COMMITTEE PROGRAM









CAMPS OF PDCH

- For the month of July, nine camps were conducted, 296 patients were screened.
- For the month of August, four camps were conducted, 152 patients were screened.
- For the month of September, ten camps were conducted, 477 patients were screened.
- School camps- 10,000 students were screened.



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