



**MAHATMA GANDHI MISSION'S DENTAL COLLEGE &
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INTERDENTAL AIDS AT SHREE CHATRAPATI SHIVAJI VIDYALAYA, WAVANJE

Date: 09/08/2024

Venue: Shree Chatrapati Shivaji Vidyalaya, Wavanje

Faculty: Dr. Vaibhav Thakkar

Organizing Agency: PHD Dept, MGMDCH; NSS Unit, MGMDCH; LRTPS ULWE

Number of Students attended: 05

MGM Dental College & Hospital along with NSS unit conducts dental camp for educating and creating awareness among students. This was extended to population of Shree Chatrapati Shivaji Vidyalaya , Wavanje , with the aim to create awareness about interdental aids. Interdental aids are tools used to clean between teeth and remove plaque and food debris. Various interdental aids include dental floss, interdental brushes or rubber-tipped water flosser.

Aim and objective:

1. To assess the oral health status of the population
2. To create awareness about interdental aids.
3. To provide basic dental care for their existing dental problems.

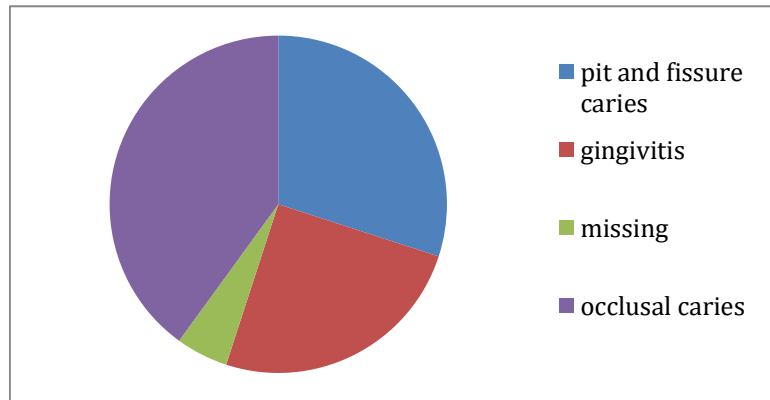
Method:

The patients were assessed using tongue depressors in bright day light vision. The oral health statuses of the visitors were evaluated and they were explained about the interdental aids. They were demonstrated proper brushing techniques and use of interdental aids. Various preventive and corrective measures to be undertaken were explained to the patients. The visitors who consented for treatment were provided with basic dental care for their existing dental problems. Visitors having extensive dental problems were referred to MGM Dental College & Hospital for further treatment.

Observations: A total of 106 patients were examined for various dental problems. Those requiring extensive treatment were referred to MGM Dental College and Hospital, Kamothe.

Oral health status:

Findings	Percentage %
Occlusal caries	40%
Pit and fissure caries	30%
Gingivitis	25%
missing	5%



Interpretation and conclusion:

- Knowledge of visitors regarding nutrition was good.
- Pit and fissure caries, occlusal caries and gingivitis, was evaluated.
- Occlusal caries were most prevalent in the evaluated group. This was followed by pit and fissure caries, at last was followed by missing. Preventive and corrective measures were undertaken to prevent further deterioration of oral health.
- Treatment: Screening was done at LRTPS ULWE



ORAL HEALTH COUNSELING



Oral Health Examination

List of Attendees

Sr. No	Name of faculty
1	Dr. Vaibhav Thakkar
	Name of Interns
2	Prutha Pargaonkar
3	Shruti Patil
4	Nidhi Choudhari
5	Vallabh Sawant
6	Ishan Birar