



MAHATMA GANDHI MISSION'S DENTAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL

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EVENT REPORT FOR 1stYr POST GRADUATE ORIENTATION HELD
ON 25th and 26th October 2023

Orientation programme was held for all 1st year Post Graduate students of MGM Dental College and Hospital was held on 25th and 26th October 2023 at 8:30 am in Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Auditorium, 4th floor, MGM Dental college.

PTA Committee members:

1. Dr. Srivalli Natarajan, Dean
2. Dr. Divya Naik
3. Dr. Kamlesh Dekate
4. Dr. Mihir Jha
5. Dr. Trupti Naykodi
6. Dr. Nitesh Patkar
7. Dr. Prachiti Terani

Head of the Departments/ Representatives:

1. Dr. Srivalli Natarajan- Dean, Department of Oral Surgery
2. Dr. Jyoti Nadgere – Department of Prosthodontics
3. Dr. Vineet Kini – Department of Periodontology
4. Dr. Ravindranath – Department of Orthodontics
5. Dr. Sumanthini M.V. – Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics
6. Dr. Shilpa Patel – Department of Oral Pathology

No of students attended: 17

Following were the points informed by dean to students and parents:

Following was the agenda discussed:

DAY 1: 25th October 23

1. Dean welcomed all the post graduate students to the MGM dental college. Dean introduced herself and mentioned that other department HOD will do so at the end of the meeting.
2. Information regarding college timing is 8:30am to 3:30pm but PG has to arrive before college timing and leave the department after faculty leaves department. Dean also mentioned that dress code is formal wear for all PGs. All PGs are to wear a long white apron with college logo.

3. PGs were informed to sign and stamp on all case papers or prescriptions. Also these case reports should be countersigned by a faculty.
4. Regarding 1st Year PGs have Basic Sciences and Research Methodology classes compulsory to attend. The Medical College posting is important. PGs must follow department rules wherever they are posted.
5. Attendance for PGs should be 100%. Any problem they should inform department and write leave note as per their department rules.
6. PG projects – Library Dissertation in one and half years. Dissertation synopsis within 6 months and short project as per their department rules. All projects should be completed in time.
7. Dean told the PG students to utilize the library resources daily which includes the journals and the e-library. There is Xerox facility in the library which can be used by PG students.
8. PG students were informed about completing their pre-clinical work in time.
9. Dean told PG students have to attend conferences and CDE programs. According to DCI and MUHS it is necessary for PG students to present paper and poster in conference attended.
10. Dean told the PGs to regularly attend department seminars. Journal clubs and case reports. PG should not be take leave on their presentation day. PG should follow department regulations.
11. Dean told all PG inter-department work should be through faculty of the department.
12. Dean encouraged students to do publication, copyright and patent. Students were told to utilise the innovation incubation centre for research.
13. Dean told the PGs if anyone is under stress they should talk to their guide, HOD or Dean. Also a special mention about Mentor-Mentee system where every post graduate student will be allotted a mentor to track progress in their performance.
14. Dean encouraged all post graduate students to participate in lectures or any educational programme organised by the institute.
15. All departments HOD introduced themselves to students. This was followed by PGs who introduced themselves to their colleagues and staff.
16. Dr.Manjari Chaudhary delivered a lecture on “Introduction to medical record keeping” which explained proper and systematic maintenance of medical records for doctor and patient welfare.
17. Dr.RashmiHosalkar addressed post graduate students on Code of Conduct explained about basic etiquettes to be followed by the students in college and behaviour towards staff, colleagues and patients.
18. Mrs. Chethana delivered a lecture on “Nutrition and Health” highlighting the importance of timely eating healthy food and also sharing some quick formulas to maintain diversity in all the meals for the day.
19. A lecture on “Mental Health” was delivered by Mrs Priyanka Sharma enlightening the students about various means to be aware about the mental health condition and to seek help when in need.
20. Importance of Dental Photography in research was well explained by Dr AvinashNarayankar highlighting role of photographs as one of the key element in the field of research.
21. Mr RajnikantNalawade, Librarian orientated students about rules and regulations, functions, Library management software and access to the college central library.

DAY 2: 26th October 23

22. Dr.AdilGandevivala delivered a lecture on “Infection control & Biomedical waste disposal” which emphasized the various ways to encounter infection and what are different means to prevent spread of infections and protocols to follows biomedical waste management.

23. Dr. Sandeep Joshi delivered an inspiring lecture on "Startup& Innovation ecosystem for you" highlighting various pathways to produce and execute various innovative thoughts.
24. A lecture on "Basics of Clinical Research" was delivered by Dr.ShakeebDhorajiwala which emphasized details of various study designs.
25. Dr.ShilpiSahu delivered a lecture on " Introduction to key elements of communication skills" with demonstration of role play in different situations, which is an essential and useful tool to built confidence.
26. Dr VineetKini delivered a lecture on "Fundamentals of scientific writing in research –When, How and Where" which helped students to write a structured research article systematically.
27. A lecture on "How to apply for research grant" was delivered by Dr.ShakeebDhorajiwala which emphasized on undertaking types of studies, feasibility, timeline and various platforms for research fundings.
28. Importance of "Formal and informal consent and assent" by Dr AnkitaDeshmukh which educated our students on informing every patient about the operating procedures with their consciences on the consent form before start of any clinical procedure.
29. Later on the PG's went to the concerned departments and interacted with all Guides, HOD and visited department, library and campus.



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