#### PUBLIC AWARENESS PROGRAMS AND ORAL HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAMS

### 'WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY'

The World No Tobacco Day is observed across the globe on the 31<sup>st</sup> of May every year, aimed at raising the awareness on the health hazards associated with tobacco use. The Departments of Oral Medicine and Radiology and Public Health Dentistry, in view of the World No Tobacco Day has been conducting anti-tobacco rallies, awareness campaigns and counselling sessions among the Tobacco abusers every year, encouraging them to quit the use of tobacco through the Tobacco Cessation Centre that has been established in providing a comprehensive support, resources, and treatment strategies to assist patients overcome nicotine addiction and achieving a tobacco-free lifestyle.

Anti-Tobacco Rally conducted on 31.05.2022 in Guntur.





Anti-Tobacco Rally conducted on 31.05.2019 at SIBAR institute of Dental Sciences, Guntur.

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## COUNSELLING TO PATIENTS ON TOBACCO CESSATION



Counselling sessions for patients on Tobacco cessation held on 31.05.2022 at SIBAR Institute of Dental Sciences, Guntur. 'WORLD ORAL HEALTH DAY'

The World Oral Health Day was launched by the FDI and is celebrated annually on the 20<sup>th</sup> of March to promote the importance of oral health and its impact on overall well-being. The Department of Public Health Dentistry in collaboration with the Departments of Radiology, Pedodontics and Oral medicine and Preventive dentistry, Periodontics, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Orthodontics, Prosthodontics, Conservative dentistry and Endodontics and Oral Pathology, have been conducting awareness campaigns and educational talks among the public and school children. The programs focus on inculcating proper oral hygiene practice, having regular dental check-ups, appropriate balanced-diet patterns and the importance of oral health for

overall wellbeing of the individuals.



Oral Health Campaign conducted at Takkelapadu on 20.03.2022.

Oral Health Campaign conducted at Mandal Parishad Primary school on 17.03.2022.





Oral Health Campaign conducted at Matru Sri Children Home on 30.03.2021.

Oral Health Campaign conducted at Anu Centre for Distance Education on 20.03.2018.



#### 'WORLD CANCER DAY'

The World Cancer Day is observed globally on the 4<sup>th</sup> of February every year to reduce the global burden of cancer by raising awareness about the disease and promoting prevention, early detection and treatment of various types of cancers. Rallies and awareness sessions are organized by the department of Oral Medicine and Radiology in association with Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology every year in order to eradicate the fear and ignorance among the public on cancer.



Cancer awareness campaigns conducted on 04.02.2019 at SIBAR Institute of Dental Sciences, Guntur.

Cancer awareness rally conducted on 04.02.2018 at Indira Gandhi Stadium, Vijayawada.



## SMILE WALK CAMPAIGN

Α smile walk campaign was organized at the Gandhi Municipal Stadium, Vijayawada by the Department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge to enunciate the importance of maintaining a healthy smile building the confidence and esteem of an individual to lead quality life. The campaign а focused on educating the public on various restorative as well as prosthetic rehabilitation options in replacing the lost teeth.



Smile Walk Campaign organized by the Department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge on 28.08.2022 at the Gandhi Municipal Stadium, Vijayawada.

#### 'RUN FOR OMFS'

A rally was organized by the Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery as an awareness campaign health. The faculty and students Oral on of of Oral and Maxillofacial Department Surgery, Institute SIBAR of Dental Sciences had enthusiastically participated with placards and flags uniting hands with the nationwide OMFS Run organized on the 30<sup>th</sup> of December 2018 at Guntur.



'Run for OMFS' rally conducted by the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery on 30.12.2018 at Guntur.

#### 'WORLD ORTHODONTIC HEALTH DAY'

World Orthodontic Health Day is celebrated by the Orthodontic Fraternity across the globe on the 15th of May. The Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, SIBAR Institute of Dental Sciences in view of the World Orthodontic Health Day conducts oral screening camps and distribution of oral hygiene kits, delivering myofunctional appliances to patients requiring growth modification free of cost during the week-long celebration. This is accompanied by competitions for students like smile contest, essay writing and e-poster competition etc with the distribution of prizes to the winners every year.

Oral screening and awareness camp at Kantheru on 25.04.2022





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#### 'CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS'

The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry has been enthusiastically celebrating the Children's Day on the 14<sup>th</sup> of November

every year. Various awareness campaigns on oral health among the paediatric age group educating school children, teachers and parents. Free oral screening programs are organized for children at various

educational institutes followed by instructions on oral hygiene maintenance every year.



School Oral health Camp at Sri Rama High School, Motadaka conducted on 16.12.2021.





School Oral health Camp at Vivekananda Public School, Pidugurala conducted on 17.12.2021.



# School Oral health Camp at RCM School, Kortiepadu conducted on 21.12.2021.



School Oral health camp at Zilla Parishad School, Bethapudi conducted on 25.11.2020.





School Oral health camp at Kendriya Vidyalaya, Vijayawada conducted on 24.11.2020

#### 'SCHOOL ORAL HEALTH AWARENESS PROGRAMS'

The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive dentistry has been passionately organizing Oral health awareness camps in educational institutes frequently in order to advocate and inculcate appropriate oral hygiene practices among the budding generation to lead a wise and healthy life. The faculty and the post-graduate students have been visiting numerous schools for awareness campaigns and free screening programs.



School Oral health Camp at Zillaparishad Vunnatha Patashala, Mandal Parishad Primary School, Pallapadu, Guntur conducted on 07.01.2022.

School Oral health Camp at VSR & JDM Zilla Parishad High School, Tenali conducted on 19.01.2022.





School Oral health Camp at MPUP High school, Obulnaidupalam, Pottur conducted on 24.02.2022.



School Oral health Camp at Sri Chaitanya School, Palakaluru, Guntur conducted on 17.03.2022.

School Oral health camp at Vijetha school Public conducted on 19.03.2022.





School Oral health Camp at Sri Chaitanya Public School, Tadepelli,conducted on 21.03.2022.



School Oral Health Camp at AUXILIUM SCHOOL, Guntur conducted on 23.03.2022



School Oral health Camp at Sparkling Stars School conducted on 24.03.2022.







School Oral health Camp at Lutheran Model High School, Sitaramnagar conducted on 18.04.2022.

## 'ORAL HEALTH PROGRAMS VIA ONLINE PLATFORM'

The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry actively continued their service to the society amidst the peak Pandemic time,by convening Oral health awareness programs on Online platform for children enrolled in various educational institutes in order to emphasize the importance of oral hygiene which serves as a window for overall health.



Oral Health Awareness program through online platform among for students of Top Kids high school conducted on 22.11.2020.

Oral Health Awareness program through online platform among for students of West Berry School, Tenali conducted on 28.11.2020.





Oral Health Awareness program through online platform among for students of Kendriya Vidyala, Tenali conducted on 01.12.2020.

## 'COVID – 19 AWARENESS PROGRAMS'

The Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry had organized a COVID-19 Hygiene Awareness program in the advent of controlling and preventing the further spread of pandemic by educating school children to follow appropriate preventive measures as per the guidelines of WHO. Multiple camps were conducted among various educational institutes during recovery period from Pandemic.



School Oral health Camp at Sekhuru ZPHS School on 15.11.2021.



School Oral health Camp at Sri oxford School, Nehru Nagar, Guntur on 22.12.2021.

#### 'ORAL HEALTH SCREENING CAMPS'

The department of Public Health Dentistry, SIBAR Institute of Dental Sciences has been zealously organizing oral screening camps to promote awareness health and educate the public who have not had regular access to dental check-ups. These camps emphasize the importance overall well-being oral health of on and aid in preventing and treating oral issues at an earlier stage timely referral and intervention among the through underprivileged. They have also conducted School health awareness programs in order to educate oral and habituate the young minds with good oral hygiene practices.

NCC Cadets being educated regarding the importance of oral health at KL University on 12.06.2022.





Oral screening camp at Pattabipuram on 21.05.2022.

Oral screening camp at JMJ Social Service Society, Pedakakani on 24.11.2021.





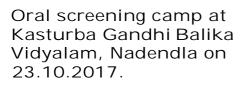
Oral screening camp at Pedanandipadu on 24.11.2021.

Oral screening camp at Tadikonda on 18.03.2019.





Oral screening camp at District Jail, Guntur on 03.02.2018.







Oral screening camp at Lions club, Gollapudi on 16.10.2017

Oral screening camp at Burripalem on 01.09.2017.



## 'ORAL HEALTH EDUCATION CAMP'

Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics have been conducting Oral Health education camps among various age groups to create awareness among conserving natural teeth by prevention and early intervention in restoring lost tooth structure and the importance of an esthetic smile.



Oral Health Education Camp at Government School, Takkellapadu held on 05.03.2022.