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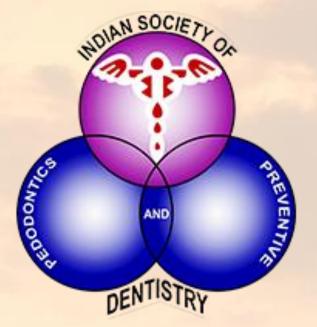
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Executive Committee Meeting of Indian Society of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry at Centre for Dental Education and Research, All India Institute of Medical Sciences New Delhi 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2024





## Some glimpses of the meeting

Module II of the certificate course of Special Healthcare needs in Dentistry organized by Indian Society of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry at Mumbai 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2024



### INDIAN SOCIETY OF PEDODONTICS AND PREVENTIVE DENTISTRY

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2023-24

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### World Oral Health Day Celebration 2024 Result

	Over all best activities	
1.	Institute of Dental Sciences, Bareilly, UP	Ist
2.	KSR Institute of Dental Sciences and Research, Tiruchengode, TN	IInd
3.	Govt. Dental College, Nagpur, MH	IIIrd
	Consolation Prizes	
1.	Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal, Manipur	Ist
2.	AIIMS, Bibinagar, Hyderabad, TG	lîn

They will receive their prizes during the image tion of ISPPD conference to be held in September, 2024, Bengaluru.

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(Prof. Nikhil Srivastava) Secretary General



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### ISPPD Nanhi-Muskan (Little Smile) Project

"Outreach activities for the underprivileged children" 15<sup>th</sup> July-31<sup>st</sup> August 2024

Pediatric Dentistry departments of all Indian dental colleges and Pediatric Dental Clinics are invited to participate in the national level **"ISPPD Nanhi-Muskan (Little Smile)"** contest by **involving the habitat based vulnerable children (children residing in jhuggi-jhopdi, under bridges, and footpaths, destitutes, beggars, poor migrant workers, rag pickers and orphans etc)** 

#### Activities to be included-

- 1. Oral health services- screening, preventive and curative
- 2. Health check-up in association with physicians, ophthalmologists etc
- Rehabilitating them in association with NGOs, social workers etc (schooling and place to live etc)
- 4. Uplifting them by providing materials (education material, cloths etc)
- 5. Any other activity to improve their well-being.

#### Note-

- Participating colleges/ clinics should send their report with geo-tagged photos at secretary@isppd.org.in latest by 10<sup>th</sup> September 2024.(report must include details of activities with proof of publicity in newspapers, TV, Radio and social media, in the attached format)
- Top 3 colleges/ clinics will be awarded with prizes at the 45<sup>th</sup> ISPPD conference to be held at Bengaluru.
- iii. For details, please visit www.isppd.org.in



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# **ISPPD Elections**

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#### 2023-24

#### ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS OF ISPPD 2024-25

#### Date: 21.06.2024

Nominations/ applications are invited from the ISPPD life members of good standing, for the following posts to elect new office bearers of ISPPD for the year 2024-25

SN	Name of the post	Tenure	Number of Posts
(i)	President Elect	1 years	1
(ii)	Vice- President	1 years	2
(111)	Secretary General	3 years	1
(iv)	Editor in Chief	3 years	1
(v)	Executive Committee members	1 years	19*

The total EC members\* will be divided into three categories.

Years of Life Membership	Nos. of Posts
8-12 years	7 (Category I)
13-17 years	6 (Category II)
Above 18 years	6 (Category III)

#### Eligibility-

- (i) *Should* be a life member of ISPPD with good standing\*\*.
- (ii) The minimum eligibility criteria in terms of life membership years for various posts are as follows:

#### S.N. Title

- 1. President Elect
- 2. Vice President
- 3. Secretary General
- 4. Editor in Chief
- 5. EC members

- Eligibility
- 15 years of membership
- 13 years of membership
- 13 years of membership
- 13 years of membership
- 8 years of membership

# **ISPPD** Awards

#### AWARDS OF ISPPD 2024-25

Nominations/applications are invited from the ISPPD members of good standing for the following awards for the year 2024-25.

- 1. Fellow of ISPPD
- 2. Star Pedodontist Award
- 3. Young Pedodontist Award
- 4. Dr. Latha Anandakrishna Memorial Award (only for post graduates)

#### Eligibility-

- 1. Fellow of ISPPD is the highest honour to the senior members of ISPPD who have-
  - Membership of ISPPD for at least 20 years with atleast15 publications in PubMed/Scopus indexed Journals (minimum 5 international) and at least 5 as first author to his/her credit and other major contributions to the Society.
  - (ii) Attended minimum 10 conferences/conventions.

The award would be in the form of a certificate and a plaque. The nomination for the award can be made on the prescribed format through the Head of the Department imparting Postgraduate Training in the specialty of Pedodontics (Pediatric) & Preventive Dentistry or by a member of ISPPD with good standing withat least 15 years of continuous membership. Only 2 awards can be given in a year. Please apply on form "A"

2. Star Pedodontist Award is given to a life member of the Indian Society of Pedodontics (Pediatric) & Preventive Dentistry of good standing and a teacher who has completed service for a minimum period of 1 year as the Principal/Dean or any other equivalent post in a recognized <u>academic institution/college</u>. He/She must have attended atleast 5 conferences/conventions of ISPPD. Please apply on form "B"

#### 3. Young Pedodontist Award

This award is for young Pedodontist (Pediatric Dentist) under 35 years of age who is a life member of ISPPD with good standing and has-

# **ISPPD** Awards

- (i) Attended minimum 3 conferences/conventions as life member.
- (ii) At least five paper presentations at national/international level.
- (iii) Minimum five publication (preferably in PubMed/Scopus indexed Journals & 2 as first author)
- (iv) The award will be given to the individual who has more achievements and has substantially contributed to the society. Annually only one award would be given.

Award committee will select the eligible candidate out of the total number of nominations. The decision of the award committee will be final.

Please apply on form "C"

#### 4. Dr. Latha Anandakrishna Memorial Award

(only for Post Graduate students)

Given to for a Postgraduate with the highest number of Good Quality Publications

- A Post Graduate(I / II / III MDS), who is Pursuing his/her Specialization in the subject of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry in an institute established and recognized under the laws anywhere across INDIA can apply for this award, duly endorsed by the Head of the Department.
  - A postgraduate must be a student member of The Indian Society of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry (ISPPD).
- The published article should be the work carried out during his / her period of post graduation and endorsed by the respective Head of the Department.

#### Selection Criteria

- Only **ONE** award will be given per year.
- The Award will be be presented at the **ISPPD Annual Conference** every year to the winner who is a **POST GRADUATE STUDENT**(Life members are not eligible for the award)

(A Post Graduate is one, who is pursuing his/her specialization in the subject of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry in an institute established and recognized under the laws any where across INDIA).

- A post-graduate student is eligible to apply for the award **ONLY ONCE** during his/her post-graduation period.
- The applicant must be a member of The Indian Society of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry (ISPPD)

# **ISPPD** Awards

• Period:

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- Articles must have been published before the last date of submission.
- If there is a tie between two or more submissions, the publication with the highest impact factor will be chosen. Impact factor to be decided, based on Clarivate analytics followed by Scimago
- If the impact factor is not, or cannot be stated, **indexing** will be considered in the order of Clarivate analytics (WOS), PubMed, Scopus, followed by others.
- While evaluating publications for an award, the preference will be given in the following order
  - (i) A systematic review
  - (ii) Original research
  - (iii) Letter to the editor
  - (iv) Narrative review
  - (v) **Case report,** and last
  - (vi) Guest Editorial.
  - If more than one postgraduate student contributed to a single publication as authors, the award shall go to the postgraduate student with higher order of authorship.
    - If **no entries** are received with post-graduate students listed as the first author, the second or third, or fourth author should be taken into consideration, and **rest all the above criteria would remain the same**.

AND

(Dr. Nikhil Srivastava) Secretary General, ISPPD Member, Dental Council of India



Copy to: Dr. Parimala Kulkarni, President, ISPPD

<u>Note:-</u>Nominations with all self attested enclosures must be mailed at secretary@isppd.org.in by 26<sup>th</sup> August 2024. Entries received after due date and other than mentioned email shall not be considered for awards. Please send nominations only as soft copy. <u>Hard copies/by post nomination will not be accepted.</u>

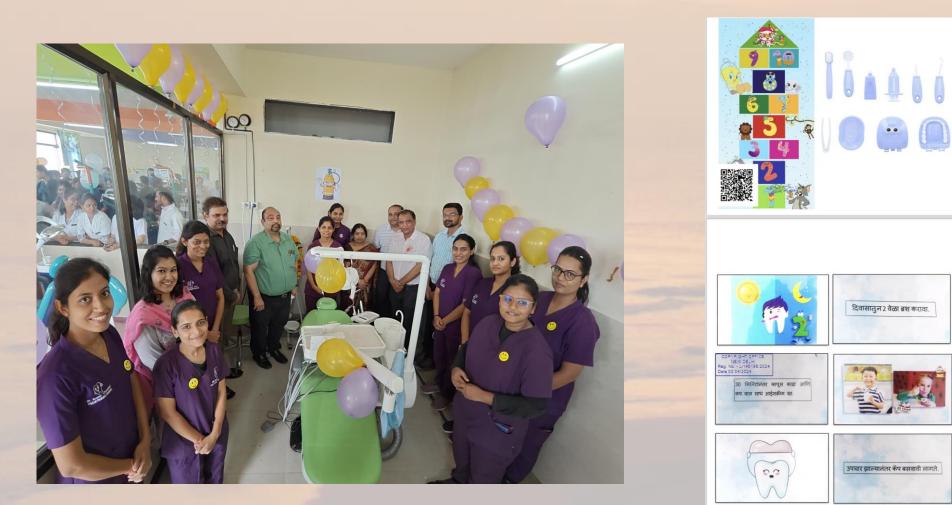
# **Departmental Achievements**

### Dr. HSRSM Dental College & Hospital, Hingoli, Maharashtra

Dental fear and anxiety among children are prevalent from early childhood through adolescence. Managing an anxious child becomes of utmost priority in delivering a quality dental treatment. Nitrous Oxide sedation is an effective option to alleviate pain and reduce anxiety & fear of patients undergoing dental treatment. Learning the same during post graduation training is a boon and we are happy to share that we have installed the sedation unit by Baldus in our department at Dr. HSRSM Dental College & Hospital, Hingoli, Maharashtra.

A proud moment for me and my 2nd year post graduate student, Dr. Rajvi Shah as we received our copyright for the "Hop-a-Dent" game from The Copyright Office, Govt. of India. The cornerstone of a child's education and behavior management is the "Tell-show-do" method. This technique is led by the operator. The tell-show-do technique was modified into the tell-play-do (TPD) technique. In this, children are asked to play with toys that imitate dental instruments which provides more explanatory concept and helps them to know the dental procedure in a simpler way. The entire technique is led by the child. This innovative twist to the conventional game will definitely help in managing children's behavior better.

Dr. Ankita Chandak received the third prize in the practitioner's category for her presentation titled "Management of nonvital young permanent teeth: Let's Apexify it!" at IDA Nagpur on 18th February 2024.



### Sibar Institute of Dental Sciences, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh

On the eve of World Thalassemia Day (8th May 2024) Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Sibar Institute of Dental Sciences, Guntur organized an awareness program to provide education regarding critical dental care for young patients suffering from inherited blood illness. In the day-long event, 60 children and their family members actively participated in educational sessions about oral hygiene, nutrition, and the importance of dental care in these children. Oral screening was performed to identify oral health needs and personalised dental care program has been designed. Individuals with dental emergencies were prioritized and planned to treat the cases under physician supervision. Refreshments(Fruits) and oral hygiene kits (Toothpaste, Tooth-brush, Mouthwash) were distributed to the participants.



On the eve of World No Tobacco Day (31st May 2024) the department organized a public awareness program to sensitize the parents and children about the ill effects of using tobacco, both smoke less and smoke-form related products. This was done in collaboration with IDA and ISPPD. Post graduate students arranged a photo exhibition for general public emphasizing the importance of Protecting children from tobacco industry interference. Our faculty member, Dr. Chaitanya Mohan gave a power point presentation about the endangering effect of tobacco usage on younger generation



On the eve of International Yoga Day (21st June 2024) Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Sibar Institute of Dental Sciences, Guntur had organized yoga session and workshop emphasizing the importance of integrating yoga as a part of one's daily activities. All the pg students along with the staff had actively participated in the yoga session and experts had highlighted the physical, mental, and spiritual benefits of practicing yoga on daily basis.



### Dhanalakshmi Srinivasan Dental College Siruvachur, Preambalur, Tamilnadu

The Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry department organised "Select – Sedate – Succeed" (NOIS – Conscious Sedation" Master Class & Hands on Workshop on April 24th, 2024 under aegis of ISPPD. This was executed by Dr Charan Teja V (Associate Professor & Incharge Head), Dr Saravana Kumar K (Assistant Professor) and Dr Ragini K (Assistant Professor). Dr Padmanabhan Yuvaraj, Director, The Dental Academy, Coimbatore was the resource person for the workshop. A total of 30 clinicians and academicians in around the districts attended the programme. A live demonstration of performing pulpectomy and impaction on pediatric and adult patients respectively under conscious sedation was done.

### Department of Dentistry Government Medical College and Hospital Sector 32 Chandigarh

The Department of Dentistry Government Medical College and hospital sector 32 Chandigarh in collaboration with IDA Chandigarh state branch and ICD section VI observed the World No Tobacco Day(31stMay)on 30th May in the Department of Dentistry. The staff of hospital including safai karamcharis,attendants and patients visiting the hospital were made aware about the ill effects of Tobacco use.Awareness talk on harmful effects of Tobacco was given with powerpoint presentation. The talk started with emphasis on the Theme of this year "Protecting children from Tobacco industry interface". They were educated about creating awareness of ill effects of Tobacco in their children and neighbourhood so that we can give rise to a healthy and Tobacco free society. Also effects of Tobacco cessation were also discussed. Some of the patients who had been smokers and had developed oral cancer and had been successfully treated at the hospital also motivated the participants to quit smoking so that they do not develop oral cancer and other complications of Tobacco use.







### Government Dental College and Hospital, Nagpur, Maharashtra

The Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry at the Government Dental College and Hospital in Nagpur won 3rd prize for their outstanding activities during the ISPPD Oral Health Day Celebration 2024.

Dr. Ritesh Kalaskar, the esteemed Professor and Head of the Department was recently recognized with several prestigious awards for his outstanding contributions to pediatric dentistry. He received the National Level Pierre Fauchard Academy Award for Best Pedodontist at the 37th PFA Annual Conference in Bangalore 2024, and the Fellow ISPPD Award for 2023 at the 44th National Conference of the Indian Society of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry in Ahmedabad. Dr Kalaskar received 2nd Best Innovation Award at the DMER-GDCH Dental Education and Research Summit 2024, Nagpur for the "Obturagun," a novel device designed for root canal obturation in primary teeth.

Dr Kalaskar along with Dr Shivani Bhadule also received the best innovation award in the prestigious Genesis Gen Z National Level Project Competition, hosted by National institute of Technology College, Nagpur for their innovation titled Pedoplant Implant. This innovative implant design aims to address the challenge of replacing missing teeth in children, offering a specialized solution that considers the unique requirements of young patients.

Dr Ritesh Kalaskar also won the medicos badminton league organized by medicos badminton association Nagpur on 3rd march 2024. In mixed category he won the title and in double category he was runner up. Dr. Nupur Ninawe, Associate Professor in department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry at the Government Dental College and Hospital, Nagpur was recognized with the ISPPD Distinguished Women's Award on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024.





### KD Dental College and Hospital, Mathura, Uttar Pradesh

A Dental health check-up camp was organised by Department of Pediatric and Preventive dentistry, Kanti Devi dental College and hospital Mathura, under the guidance of Dr. Sonal Gupta (Prof. and HOD), Dr. Sushma (Professor), Dr. Rajeev Singh (Reader) and Dr. Jyoti Sharma (Reader). It involved five schools of the Mathura region namely Rajiv International school, Ramanlal Shorawala public school, Ramanlal Shorawala (senior wing)-12/4/24, and Ramanlal Shorawala primary School, Dampier nagar. A total of 1,104 students were screened and educated regarding importance and maintenance of oral health. They were trained with proper tooth brushing techniques too. An oral hygiene kit sponsored by Colgate comprising of toothbrush and toothpaste was disturbed among 300 children.

A total of 150 Special children who were Blind were examined by TELL, TOUCH and DO method. A general oral health screening was done through BRAILE method oral hygiene instructions were demonstrated to the Blind children. These children were totally blind and partially blind. We collect their data through their handicapped lds issues by government.



### Terna Dental College, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra

Department of Pediatric Dentistry organized the 7<sup>th</sup> Season of their annual academic extravaganza- the Pedovista 2024. The organizing team comprised of Dr. Farheen Katage, Prof. and head, Dr. Manohar Poojari, Dr. Vamsi Krishna, Dr. Devendra Patil, Dr. Shilpa Shetty, Dr. Parin Bhanushali, Dr. Shantanu Deshpande, Dr. Priti, and Dr. Sucheta. This year the program was focused on the clinical management of patients with special healthcare needs and had invigorating lectures by seven renowned speakers- Dr. Kinjal Chandra, Dr. Leena Deshpande, Dr. Yousuf Chunawala, Dr. Nilesh Rathi, Dr. Abdulkadeer Jetpurwala, Dr. Shrirang Sevekar, and Dr. Subhadra HN.







### Meenakshi Ammal Dental College and Hospital, Chennai, Tamilnadu

The Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry organized an online Continuing Dental Education Program titled 'CHAT.exp – "Primary Caries Preventive Therapies in Pediatric Dentistry" on April 25, 2024. Dr. Indira, Associate Professor at the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, JSS Dental College and Hospital, Mysore, delivered the guest lecture.

In celebration of World Oral Health Day, the Tamil newspaper Arachial Athma published an article on April 6, 2024, titled "Sweet Tooth Science: Unveiling the Health Benefits of Chocolate in Children." The article, written by Dr. Navami Gopan, Dr. Amilia Elizabeth, and Dr. Sreni K. S., explored the potential benefits of dark chocolate for children's oral health. Additionally, Dr. Sreni K. S. and Dr. Amilia Elizabeth participated in a radio talk show to discuss oral health awareness aired on All India Radio Fm - Dharmapuri FM 102.5 Mhz on 15.04.2024

Several awareness camps were also conducted such as dental screening camps at Kendriya Vidhyalaya, AFS, Avadi, Chennai on 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> April 2024, and Vijayantha Senior Secondary School in Avadi on 12<sup>th</sup> April 2024. A session on oral awareness and dietary counselling for parents was held on April 15, 2024. An oral health screening camp also took place at All the children Orphanage in Karapakkam, Chennai.

Additionally, Dr. Navami Gopan, Dr. Sreni K. S., Dr. Amilia Elizabeth, Dr. Neena, and Dr. Priya Mahesh completed the NEP 2020 Orientation under the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme. Dr. Parisa Norouzi Baghkomeh also attended a program on Dental anesthesia at the conclave held on June 15-16, 2024. Dr. J. Mohammed Farzan, Prof and Head delivered a guest lecture at the 6th SPARC CDE program organized by Saveetha Dental College and Hospital on June 28 and 29, and Dr. Parisa Norouzi Baghkomeh was awarded a certificate of achievement under the category 'Best dental Practitioner – Pedodontist' by IDA – Greater Chennai Branch on 16th June 2024.



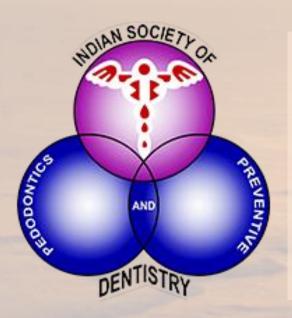
### **Oral Health Sciences Centre, PGIMER, Chandigarh**

The National Resource Centre for Oral Healthcare of Children & Elderly, under the National Oral Health Program at the Oral Health Sciences Centre, PGIMER Chandigarh, has been actively engaged in a series of impactful activities regarding Oral health care of children in all the 112 Government schools in and around Chandigarh. Notable amongst these in the present year are preventive measures and comprehensive oral health promotion initiatives including piloting a tooth-brushing program in two schools, applying antibacterial agents and fluoride varnish among young children in ten schools, conducting extensive oral health screenings, and providing thorough oral health education. Additionally, children requiring secondary prevention were referred for curative and rehabilitative management to OHSC, PGIMER. Besides this, a two-day training program for school-teachers was conducted which saw participation from approximately 250 teachers from 142 government schools of Panchkula, Haryana. A capacity-building teachers' training program was conducted, followed by a school-based tooth brushing initiative. Additionally, oral health awareness competitions, including quizzes, poster making and sloganeering, and drawing contests were organized for children and teachers from these schools this year. I am happy to share that a novel method of Oral health promotion amongst school children through creation of a 'school oral health wall' is underway in a phased manner among 112 government schools of Chandigarh, which is the first of its kind. Several key initiatives have also been launched to promote oral health among children with special healthcare needs in Chandigarh UT. These initiatives include tailored oral health education and promotion activities. The designing and development of age-specific, target-audience-oriented IEC materials, including seven posters (tactile graphic) and two radio jingles in Hindi, have already been released. Imparting oral health education to these children in the form of entertainment and games (Edutainment) for better assimilation is underway, along with demonstrations of proper brushing techniques to them.



To augment our oral health promotion activities, an oral health promotion video in Indian Sign Language was produced and launched on World Oral Health Day, 20.3.2024, specifically for deaf and hard-of-hearing children and adolescents. Inclusive posters featuring tactile (Braille-scripted) graphics for visually impaired children were also developed and launched on the same day by our honourable Chief Guest Prof. Naresh K. Panda, Dean( Academics), PGI. A first of its kind initiative, "Anant Muskaan," funded by ICMR has been launched as a multi-site implementation research project focusing on primary school-based tooth brushing and oral health education among 6-10 years old school children. This project includes a total of 447 government and private schools and approximately 77000 school going children across Panchkula district of Haryana, featuring flexible scheduling for tooth brushing sessions, and active participation from community volunteers and parents. The primary objectives of this project are :assessment of current tooth brushing practices, identifying barriers and facilitators for implementing oral health interventions, and evaluating the effectiveness of an optimized school tooth brushing model in improving oral hygiene behaviors and its impact on dental caries.





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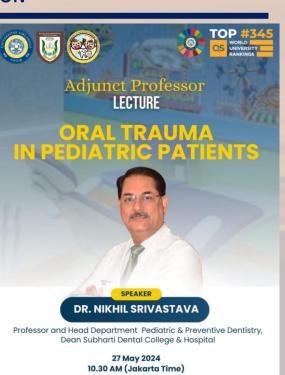


Dr. Ganesh Jeevanandan, Professor and Head Clinics led the team at Department of Pediatric Dentistry, Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Saveetha Dental College and Hospitals, Saveetha Institute of Medical and Technical Sciences, Chennai to be granted patents- Adhesive Dental Absorptive Pad with stiffener and reflective surface, and small high speed airotor hand piece.



Dr. Rahul Hegde attended the First meeting of Executive Committee of Dental Council of India at the newly inaugurated National Dental Commission building. He has a special privilege to represent DCI for more than 17 years and 4 times as Executive Committee member.

Dr. Nikhil Srivastav, General Secretary, ISPPD, Member, DCI, Principal, Professor & Head, Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Subharti Dental College & Hospital, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh was appointed as a "Visiting Scholar" at the Indiana University, USA and "Adjunct Professor" at the Universitas Airlangga, Indonesia.





Dr. Ashwin Rao and Dr. Shweta announced the release of our textbook "Midazolam in Pediatric Dentistry" by Springer Nature. The book is intended to help the reader gain confidence in the use of this very useful drug. The foreword for the book has been written by Dr. Srinivas Namineni, a pioneer of dental sedation in India. The book can be accessed at https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-031-45147-8

Dr. Madhura Pawar MDS, PhD, Professor, Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry, Dr. D. Y. Patil Dental College and Hospital, Pimpri, Pune has been awarded PhD in the subject of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry. The PhD degree has been conferred by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune (Deemed to be University).





Raju Biswas, President West Bengal Dr. Dental Council, Member DCI & State Secretary, Indian Dental Association West Bengal State Branch was invited for anti ragging program of Hazaribag College of Dental Sciences. He also organized several community activities such as oral health check up camp in the Calcutta Club and awareness talk for the Bangla Doctor's Support Group YouTube Channel. He was also invited by the IDA Head office to participate in the National Collaborative Workshop 2024 themed on future vision in dentistry.





Dr. Gyanendra Kumar, Professor, Maulana Azad Institute of Dental Sciences, New Delhi and Secretary, SAAPD participated in the health awareness program on the theme of irregular teeth on the DD News channel. He also lectured in the Xuzhou Stomatological Hospital, China.



Dr. Varinder Goyal, IAPD Board Member lectured in the Annual Conference of the Macedonian Society of Pediatric Dentistry. He has been conducting the webinars of IAPD as well.

Dr. Nitesh Tewari, General Secretary, Indian Society of Dental Traumatology, Additional Professor, CDER, AlIMS, New Delhi successfully organized the 4<sup>th</sup> National Conference of ISDT, Goa with the support of the office bearers and the local team from GDC, Goa. He also conducted dental trauma workshops in Trivandrum and Lucknow and systematic review workshop in Nandid. He lectured on the dental trauma guidelines at the Seattle Children's Hospital, Washington, USA. Two of his works were recognized as the most cited articles in dental traumatology journal and his overview of systematic reviews on pulpotomy of primary tooth was the most downloaded paper in the International Journal of Pediatric Dentistry.





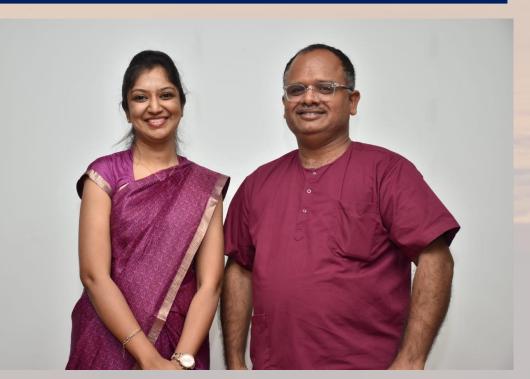
Dr. Mukul Jain, Pediatric Dentist, inventor, and Director of the Kids e Dental LLP lectured in the conference of the Philippines Dental Association with over 3000 dentists. He also conducted workshop at CEU dental school. He also visited Morocco where he lectured in the Morocco dental expo 2024 and conducted workshop in El Jadida and Rabbat on Making pediatric dentistry easier. He also lectured in 4 universities.





Dr. Sanchit Paul recently completed 10 successful years of his exclusive Pediatric Dental Practice in Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh. The centre is jointly managed by him and his wife Dr. Shivika who even being a general dentist is acclaimed for her management of pediatric patients and neonatal feeding problems due to Tethered Oral Tissues.

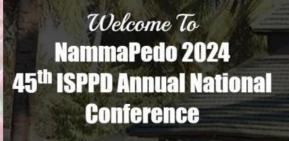
Dr. M Kirthiga successfully defended her PhD under the guidance of Dr. M Muthu at the Sri Ramachandra S Institute of Higher Education and Research, Chennai, Tamilnadu. Her work was supported by a research grant over 1 crore rupees which yielded 12 Publications, 12 Awards, 28 Invited talks, 15 Conference and International 2 presentations collaborations.



## **ISPPD** upcoming events

### **NATIONAL EVENTS IN 2024**

### 45<sup>th</sup> ISPPD 2024 NamaPedo 2024 BENGALURU



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26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> of September 2024 yal Orchid Resort and Convention Centre Yelahanka, Bengaluru



### Message from Chairman

The members of the organising committee and myself are very proud to present you all the 45<sup>th</sup> ISPPD Annual Conference NAMMA PEDO 2024 to be held in Bangalore from 26<sup>th</sup> September to 28<sup>th</sup> September 2024 at Royal Orchid Resorts and Convention Centre.

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you all to this academic and scientific fair. I would like to promise this event will showcase a research and a scientific extravaganza. To benefit both the student and the faculty delegates we are planning for a theme based scientific event which comprises of invited guest lectures, theme based symposium and panel discussions.

Finally myself and my team will work upto your expectations and last but not the least Namma Bengaluru will not disappoint you.

Organizing Chairman Dr. Sunil Raj N

### Message from Secretary

Respected Seniors, Dear friends and my dearest students

Myself and my team would humbly request you to extend this invitation to all the faculty, practitioners and students to make NAMMA PEDO 2024 a grand success. We truly believe it's a great platform for all of us to share ur clinical work, research ideas, scientific studies, views, observations and advances in the field of Pediatric and Preventive Dentsitry. It's a great opportunity to listen to our fellow colleagues and the best of the National and International speakers which will be carefully selected by our scientific committee.

We promise you an excellently structured and planned NAMMA PEDO with access to a vast knowledge under one roof pertaining to Pediatric Dentistry in terms of scientific content, academics and lots of fun and activities. Looking forward to all of you in person.



Organizing Secretary Dr. Madhu K



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#### SUMANDEEP VIDYAPEETH DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY, VADODARA, GUJARAT





DATE - 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> August 2024



### **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

13 LECTURES IN 2 DAYS PLANNED FOR BOTH AUTHORS AND REVIEWERS

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Last date for Registration 31/07/24

#### **VENUE – CONVENTION CENTER, SUMANDEEP VIDYAPEETH, VADODARA**

- Participants will be added to the list of reviewers of the PubMed indexed JISPPD.
- In depth knowledge on how to review manuscripts.

### PROGRAM SCHEDULE



### DAY 1 (09/08/24)

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
9:00 - 9:30 AM	Inauguration, Introduction and Pre - Test	SVDU Team
9:30 - 10:15 AM	The Peer Review / Editorial Cycle	Dr. Sharath Asokan
10:15 - 11 AM	Manuscript Aligned to the Journal Scope and Instruction	Dr. B. S. Suprabha
11:00 - 11:15AM	Tea Break	
11:15 AM - 12:00 PM	Guidelines Based on Study Design	Dr. Anshula Deshpande
12:00 - 12:45 PM	<b>Reviewing Original Research</b>	Dr. B. S. Suprabha
12:45 - 1:30 PM	Lunch	
1:30 - 2:00 PM	<b>Reviewing Case Reports</b>	Dr. Virat Galhotra
2:00 - 2:45 PM	<b>Reviewing Systematic Reviews</b>	Dr. Nitesh Tewari
2:45 - 3:15 PM	English Language in Manuscript Writing	Dr. Abhijit Chatterjee Dr. Neha Mukkamala
3:15 - 3:30 PM	High - Tea	
3:30 - 4:00 PM	Optimizing Data Presentation: Tables and Graphs for Academic Research Papers	Dr. Sahana S.
4:15 - 4:45 PM	Referencing Tools	Dr. Bhavna Dave Dr. Pratik Kariya

### DAY 2 (10/08/24)

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
9:00 - 9:30 AM	Letter to editor and Short Communication	Dr. Sharath Asokan
9:30 - 10: 15 AM	Errors in Statistical Methods	Dr. Medha Wadhwa
9.50 TO. 15 MM		Dr. Pulkit Kalyan
10:15 - 10:30 AM	Tea Break	
10:30 - 11:00 AM	Ethical considerations in Publication	Dr. Vijay Mathur
11:00 - 11:45 AM	Steps for CTRI registration	Dr. Jyotsana Gupta
11:45 AM - 12:00 PM	Post - Test	Editor's and SVDU
11.45 AM - 12.00 FM		team
12:00 - 12:30 PM	Valedictory Function	
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Lunch	

Dr. Vijay Mathur

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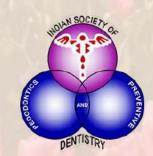
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### **The 13th Biennial Congress** of the Pediatric Dentistry Association of Asia

in conjunction with

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### October 30 - November 1, 2024

Eastin Grand Hotel Phayathai, Bangkok, Thailand

#### **Keynote Speaker**





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(UK)

























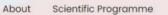












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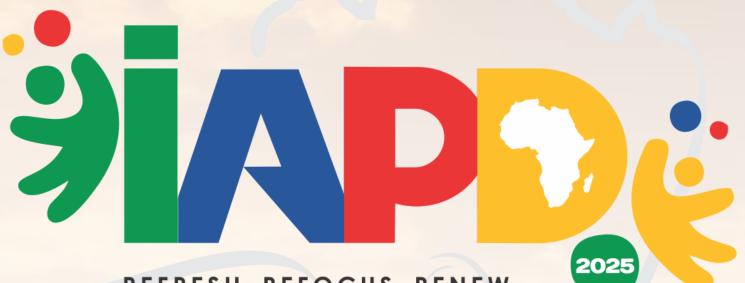




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