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INSTITUTIONAL SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY TOWARDS ORAL HEALTH PROMOTION

Our institution, a part of Adhiparasakthi Charitable Medical Educational and Cultural Trust (ACMEC Trust), is committed to social responsibility and is active in providing community-based development initiatives. Our institution is founded by one of the renowned humanitarian leaders and a spiritual teacher, Padmasri Arulthiru Bangaru Adigalar. ACMEC trust was formed with the core objective of providing equitable services to people deprived of income, employment, health, and a good living environment. The institution is one of the active agents of social change and focuses on various social welfare activities to bring an effective improvement in the everyday life of the needy. The people of the 750 villages surrounding Melmaruvathur have benefitted the most through our welfare activities. Under the aegis of ACMEC Trust, our institution is committed to promote life and economic independence of the underprivileged.

Our institution is actively involved in orienting all the stakeholders to do 'community service' and realize 'service to humanity' is the highest form of service that brings real happiness and purpose to human life. The students are trained with professionalism and treat the patients with empathy. They also learn the prevention, early detection, and management of dental, oral, and craniofacial tissues through vast experience gained by treating the patients. The people in the society are made aware of the common dental diseases and treatment modalities available, thereby the pathway towards ultimate goal of "Oral Health for All" is



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achieved.

In accordance with "Founder's Day Celebrations", our institution organises free dental services provided at dental hospital, peripheral health centres and outreach programs as well as various welfare schemes. Some of the expensive dental treatments including dental implants are provided at free-of-cost to all people during March month without any discrimination. Our institution is committed to prevent the oral cancer and does not permit tobacco products in any form. Awareness programs on ill-effects of tobacco and oral cancer signs, symptoms, prevention, screening are organised every year. In addition, live-saving oral cancer treatment is conducted free for those in need of tertiary care. Other routine dental treatments are provided either free or at minimal cost to all the dental outpatients.

Community welfare projects like installation of water recycling plant at Melmaruvathur, strengthening of river bunds/channelization of rain water into lakes and nearby rivers, planting of saplings in Melmaruvathur and surrounding villages, providing vocational training and assistive devices to differently-abled persons, distribution of professional implements and assistance to poor people and government schools are carried out every year. Our institution has always been the front runner in providing free dental services to the needy.

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FOUNDER'S DAY CELEBRATION INSTITUTIONAL SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY TOWARDS COMMUNITY

On account of his holiness Arulthiru Amma's 80th birthday celebrations, several dental health care services were offered to the needy at free of cost. On behalf of the Department of Prosthodontics and Periodontics, free dental implant treatment camp was organized on 24th and 25th of February 2020. Patients from poor economic strata were benefited by the high end latest restorative treatment.



The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery celebrated Arulthiru Amma's 80th Birthday by conducting Free Oral Cancer Treatment Camps from 25/02/2020 to 03/03/2020. Expert oral oncology surgeons - Dr. Rinku George, Professor and Head of Department, Oral Oncology at Saveetha Dental College, Professor Dr. G.V.V.Giri, Dr. S. Elengkumaran from Sri Ramachandra Dental College were invited as guest faculty for this event. Professor Dr.Senkathir Selvan, Department of Plastic Surgery and Dr. Vasanth, Department of ENT, MAPIMS contributed towards the grand success of this event. All the investigations were done free of cost.

Carcinoma of Left Buccal Mucosa



Wide local excision, segmental mandibulectomy from canine region to left retromolar region neck dissection was performed under GA. Patient was referred for Adjuvant Radiotherapy.
Operated by: Dr.Rinku George, Dr.Durai Raj, Dr. Suresh Kumar, Dr. Raj Prakash.

Carcinoma of right buccal mucosa & retro molar trigone region

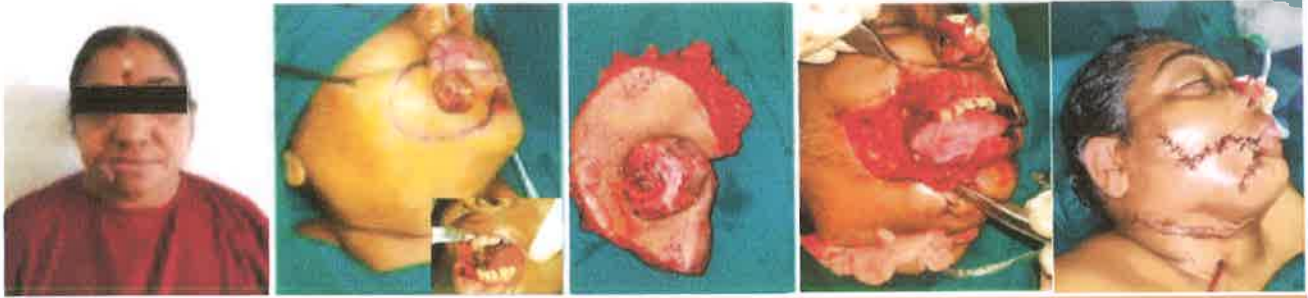


Wide local excision, segmental mandibulectomy from 43 to right retromolar trigone with supra-omohyoid neck dissection and reconstruction with PMMC flap under GA.
Operated by : Dr.Vasanth, Dr.Durairaj, Dr. James Antony Bhagan, Dr.Nathiya



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Verrucous carcinoma of right buccal mucosa



Wide Local excision, MRND, Marginal Mandibulectomy and reconstructed with Trans positional flap under GA.
 Operated by : Dr. Ilankumaran, Dr. Giri, Dr. James Antony Bhagat, Dr. Annapoorani

Carcinoma of right lateral border of tongue



Hemiglossectomy with Modified Radical Neck Dissection (MRND) and Total Thyroidectomy under GA.
 Operated by: Dr. Rinku George, Dr. Vasanth, Dr. James Antony Bhagat, Dr. Nathiya

Bilateral Oral Submucous Fibrosis With Moderate Dysplasia



Oral Submucous Fibrosis treated with bilateral wide excision and active mouth opening.
 Operated by : Dr. Ilankumaran, Dr. G.V.V. Giri, Dr. Nathiya

Carcinoma of Left Maxilla And Cheek Recurrence



Poor prognosis for salvation surgery hence referred for Radiotherapy

Carcinoma Floor of The Mouth And Anterior Alveolus of Mandible



Advance disease showed a poor prognosis for surgery hence referred for Radiotherapy



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INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITY IN INCULCATING ORAL HEALTH AWARENESS TO THE UPCOMING GENERATION



The Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry had organized and conducted Dental Awareness program 2020 at GOVT. HIGH SCHOOL, THOZHUPPEDU, KANCHIPURAM DISTRICT on 11th February, 2020. It consisted of Drawing and Quiz competition, dental awareness counselling and distribution of oral hygiene kit and pamphlets. Prizes were distributed to winners and participants of the competition on 12th February, 2020.

Dental camps at schools



The Department of Public Health Dentistry had organised a Dental Awareness program was organized for school students at Government Higher Secondary School, Veliyambakkam on 25.01.2020 and at Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Arni on 30.01.2020. A total of 428 students were screened and 111 were treated. The students were given individual counselling on maintaining oral hygiene and brushing technique was demonstrated.



During the month of February, Department of Public Health Dentistry conducted Dental Awareness program for school students and general public at Best Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Arni on 12.02.2020 and Government Hr. Sec. School, Akkur on 15.02.2020. A total of 529 students and general public were screened and 75 were treated.



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The Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry had conducted Dental awareness program 24.02.2020 at Panchayat Union Middle School, Kadamalaiputhur, Chengalpattu District.



The Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry had conducted an Dental awareness program and treatment camp at Panchayat Union Primary School, Keezh Minnal, Kanchipuram District and at Panchayat Union Middle School, Minnal Chithamoor, Kanchipuram District on 26.02.2020.



The Department of Public Health Dentistry conducted a Dental awareness program for school students and teachers at Children's Home, Kadapakkam on 07.02.2020. Oral hygiene instructions and Brushing Technique was demonstrated through educational models.



The Department of Public Health Dentistry conducted a Dental awareness program at Uluru health centre, Kadapakkam on 29.01.2020. Pamphlets illustrating proper brushing technique were distributed.



DENTAL CARE AT DOOR STEPS

During the month of February and March, village oral health camps were organised by the Department of Public Health Dentistry along with Melmaruvathur Adhiparasakthi Institute of Medical Sciences (MAPIMS) and Bullockcart Workers Development Association (BWDA). The people residing in the rural areas of Chengalpattu, Kancheepuram, Villupuram, Vellore and Thiruvannamalai districts were benefitted from the general and oral health screening and awareness programs. In addition, weekly camps were conducted in nearby villages so as to serve underprivileged people. In total, 3233 were screened and 285 were treated. Oral health education regarding prevention of oral diseases was provided. Oral hygiene instructions were given along with the demonstration of brushing techniques.



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