



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY

Dentist day 06.03.2020

The Dentist day was celebrated on 6.3.2020 at Adhiparasakthi Dental College by inauguration of wheel of colours by the principal. All the head of the departments also joined the inaugural. The wheel of colours had different dental diseases and the treatment for the same. Pamphlets illustrating the benefits of visiting a dentist and proper brushing techniques was distributed to the patients. In addition, the patients visiting the Primary health center in Venmalagaram and Madhuranthagam was distributed with the pamphlets illustrating the benefits of visiting a dentist and proper brushing technique was illustrated in both English and tamil.

A dental screening and treatment camp was conducted in Perumbakkam village. The patients who attended the camp was individually counseled with the various modalities of treatment. Pamphlets illustrating the benefits of visiting a dentist in both English and *tamil* was distributed to all patients.

A skit was conducted by the interns and Dr Subashree in Perumbakkam government primary school. The significance of retaining avulsed tooth and various modalities of preserving avulsed tooth was also explained. In addition a health education session was conducted for the students about the parts of tooth, proper technique and duration of brushing, use of appropriate oral hygiene aids and the significance of retaining natural primary and permanent dentition was explained. The school headmistress personally thanked this effort of conducting the skit.

Oral health awareness to outpatients

