

THE OXFORD DENTAL COLLEGE

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Criteria 7- Institutional Distinctiveness

The Oxford Dental College and Hospital (TODC) believes in imparting holistic education to the stake holder through imbibing innovative and evidence-based practices. Also, TODC strive to provide standardized dental treatment. Patients from various backgrounds visit The Oxford Dental College and hospital with a hope of receiving best patient care and treatment. And yes, justice is done to them by the continuous efforts of hard-working doctors, PG students and the entire staff of the college. From the moment patient enters, the patients are guided to various departments starting from Oral Medicine and Radiology, to the essential department where patient gets his problem of concern addressed. The treatment services are provided at reasonable cost and care enhancing quality of life of patients by reducing out of pocket expenses burden. The Mobile dental clinics are organized twice a week, to provide service to the rural patients. The enthusiastic Public Health department staff and PG students accompanying the UG dental students provide service to the Central Jail prisoners and most unprivileged villages were visited by this team and quality dental care was provided to them. A sound knowledge of maintaining oral hygiene was inculcated in them. The PG students are posted in hospitals like Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences, and The Oxford Medical Hospital, where they are exposed to the medical knowledge which enables the students with parallel learning of integrated health education. These postings help in producing the best doctors. Also, many cardiac patients are provided dental treatment while in admission at the hospital, thus decreasing the inconvenience of the patients. The aim of The Oxford Dental College and Hospital being to provide quality oral health care to the community, and everyone at the institute strive to provide this and reach out more and more to the community and create awareness regarding oral health care.

Our college stands out for delivering high-quality, cost-effective treatment. Through our in-house aligner treatment, has benefited 4 patients, while platelet-rich fibrin therapy has positively impacted 101 patients to date in the year 2023.

Patient outreach includes educational programs like Orthodontic Week on October 8th 2023, featuring role plays and in- person education to dispel myths among general public. This has increased patient seeking orthodontic consultation at The Oxford Dental College and Hospital.

The Department of Periodontology at The Oxford Dental College held dental screening and awareness camps on March 24, 2023, at Ward Office (Ward 189) and on March 28th and 29th, 2023, at Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences & Research. Over 100 pourakarmikas were examined at the Ward Office, and the hospital's OPD section saw 360 patients. Educational sessions on oral health were carried out in local languages, supplemented by the active involvement of interns who engaged

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in the enactment of roleplay skits at both designated locations. The overarching aim of this initiative was to impart knowledge to a diverse audience, inclusive of individuals such as pourakarmikas and OPD patients facing medical compromises.



Manual teeth set up



Biostar thermoforming machine



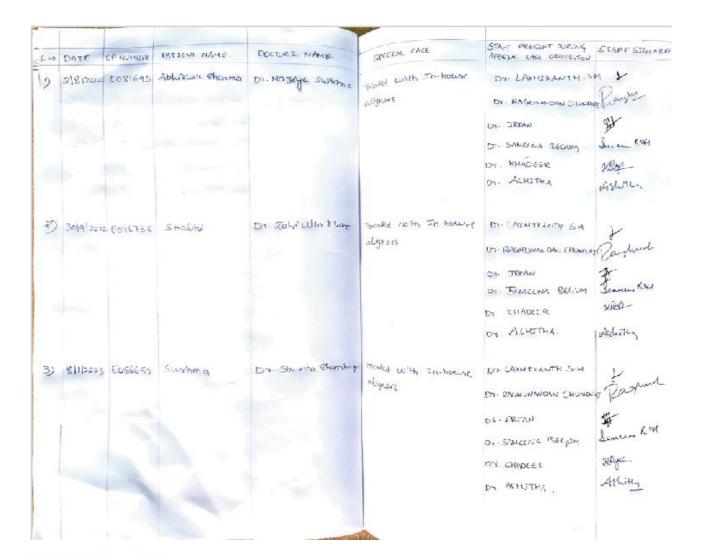
Aligner delivery



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Patients treated with in-house aligners 22-23







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