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CLINICOPATHOLOGIC CLUB

Title of the practice: CLINICOPATHOLOGIC CLUB

Objective of the practice:

The objectives of the practice are to:

1. Develop the presentation skills among post graduate students and interns
2. Train the students in scientific way on presentation with inputs from pioneers of the institution.
3. To provide a platform for recognizing the advanced learners.
4. To provide opportunities for the interested staff members to display their ideas on their area of interest/research.
5. To enrich the scientific information among teaching faculties, post graduate students and interns.
6. To provide room for open interactive- interdisciplinary scientific debates.

The context:

Clinicopathologic club functions as a platform to express scientific Information and also to enhance the presentation skills. CPC functions under CDE committee. The main aim of this committee is to conduct the practice in a Disciplined time bound manner. A challenging issue in the contextual features is to provide equal Opportunities among the different disciplines. For this, principal during HOD Meeting discusses and decides the schedule of presentation that is acceptable to all the disciplines. Principal then issues a circular before the start of the Calendar year about the CPC schedule for the entire year. The CDE committee Then takes the charge of conducting this program in the specified manner.

The practice:

Convener of CDE committee reminds the concerned department well in advance about the execution of program. The concerned department is free to decide on the topic of presentation and presenters and number of presenters. Number of presenters can range from one to three as per the magnitude of the topic. Topic selected can be interesting clinical cases ,research works, reviews or scientific data. Preference is given to those who have the opportunity of national level/state level presentation in near future. The department informs these details to principal's office, minimum three days in-advance .Principal then issues circular about the presentation mentioning the topic and name of presenter(s). So academic pioneers will get ample time to prepare for the interactive session during the presentation. All the teaching faculties, post graduate students and interns are invited for the program. On the day of CPC, after the introduction by the chairperson, the presenter/presenters will deliver the scientific information.



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After the presentation, the topic will be open for discussion. Academic peers are invited to discuss about the pros and cons of the presentation and the methods to improve the presentation. Interactive Question and answer session will then be followed. Maximum time of discussion is limited to one hour. Chairperson of CDE committee functions as moderator to control the interactive session. The decision taken by chairperson is considered final. After the presentation, feedback will be collected from those who attended the program. Evaluation of feedback and report is submitted to the principal by the convener of CDE committee. Feedback on the quality of presentation is informed to the presenter. This helps a great way to improve the presentation skill of the presenter.

Evidence of success:

The presentable evidence of success of this program is found in the national level recognitions received for the students of Mahe Institute of Dental Sciences. Postgraduate students, after getting enriched from inputs of pioneers during CPC, performs excellent during the national/state level presentations and competitions. The data is presented below. This program also enhances the presenter from overcoming the stage fear and presentation fear in a great way. The information provided during the program enriches the audience and inspires them for active participation for the future programs. Problems encountered and resources required: Main problem encountered for the CPC committee is about timing of conduct of program. When the interns, post graduate students and staff attend CPC for one hour, out patient management is greatly affected. This gave rise to increased grievances from the patients who got delay in treatment. 3rd and 4th year BDS students also are affected by this practice as they cannot perform clinical cases without guidance. This problem was resolved to a great extent by gathering inputs from clinical in charges and PROs. It is found that out patient number is very minimal during morning hours of Tuesdays. Students are not posted in clinic during this time. So the CPC is then fixed on alternative Tuesdays from 9 to 10am. This effectively enhanced the academic output and Diminished the patient's complaints.

Notes(Optional):

The clinicopathologic club conducted at Mahe Institute of Dental Sciences Stands as excellent model for the nation.



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CPC s conducted during academic year 2022-23

Sl no	Date	Department	No of participants
1.	28/06/2022	Dept of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics	53
2.	05/07/2022	Dept of Oral Pathology and Microbiology	70
3.	19/07/2022	Dept of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	66
4.	09/08/2022	Dept of Physiology	72
5.	30/08/2022	Dept of Periodontics	43
6.	20/09/2022	Dept of Prosthodontics	67
7.	11/10/2022	Dept of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics	81
8.	25/10/2022	Dept of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry	55
9.	08/11/2022	Dept of Periodontics	90
10.	22/11/2022	Oral Medicine and Radiology	85
11.	13/12/2022	Dept of Pharmacology	106
12.	27/12/2022	Dept of Prosthodontics	66
13.	03/01/2023	Dept of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics	79
14.	07/02/2023	Dept of Oral and Maxillofacial surgery	104
15.	07/03/2023	Dept of Public health dentistry	80
16.	04/04/2023	Dept of Periodontics	86

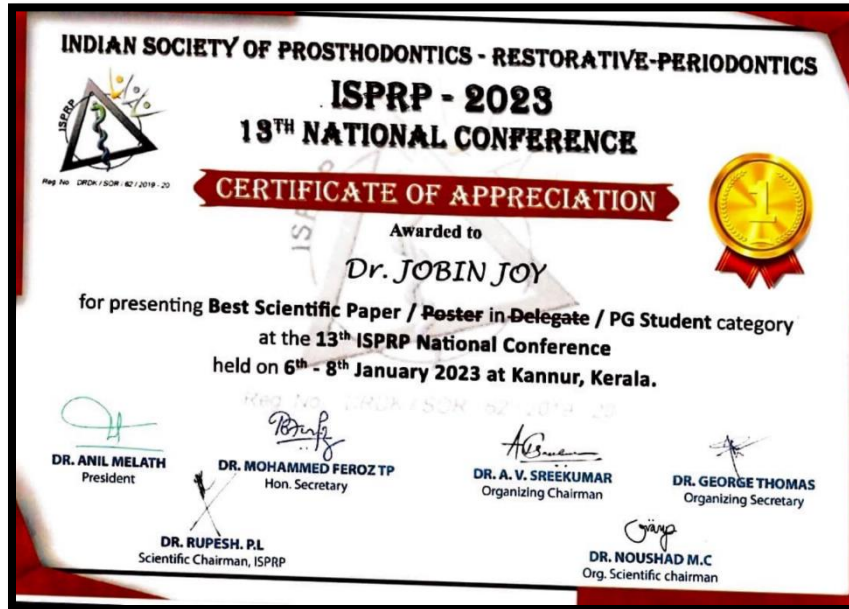


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17.	18 04 2023	Dept of Microbiology	84
18.	02/05 2023	Dept of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics	73
19.	30/05/2023	Interdepartment CPC: Dept of Oral Surgery; Dept of Oral Medicine and Dept of Oral Pathology	90



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