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IMPORTANT ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT 2025-26
(April 2025 to March 2026)

SL. No	PATIENT ATTENDANCE IN OPD/WARD	DEPARTMENT	Upto November 2025	December 2025	TOTAL
		No. of Patients			
I		Oral Medicine & Radiology	1,04,000	12,242	1,16,242
		Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	16,137	1,654	17,791
		Minor	2,650	358	3,008
		Major	85	7	92
		Prosthodontics	10,114	1,172	11,286
		Orthodontics	6,869	881	7,750
		Conservative Dentistry	42,478	5,045	47,523
		Pedodontics	9,329	1,286	10,615
		Pedodontics School Camps	457	44	501
		Periodontics	19,853	2,507	22,360
		Oral Pathology & Microbiology			
		No. of tests	26,439	3,620	30,059
		No. of patients	8,088	981	9,069
		Community Dentistry-OHE	1,250	238	1,488
		Tobacco Awareness campaign for school children	913	552	1,465
		TCC (MGPGIDS)	629	80	709
		Quitted	27	5	32
		i. Dental camp at Veerampattinam 21.11.25.			
		Screened	579		579
		Treated	142		142
		ii. School Health Camp – PHC Services. NOHP + Sattellite Clinic (Sedarapet PHC) TCC	18		18
		Screened	394	48	442
		Treated	202	29	231
		Mettupalayam (PHC) initiated on			
		Screened	239	102	341
		Treated	118	51	169
		General Medicine:			
		OPD	20,962	2,585	23,547
		Ward - Covid			
		Diabetic Clinic	1,608	268	1,876
		CC	1,000	148	1,148
		USG	623	28	651
		ECHO	228	8	236
		ECG	454	55	509
		WARD	472	14	486

		General Surgery – OPD	2,696	411	3,107
		Minor	192	28	220
		Ward	161	26	187
		Covid 19 Activities :			
		(a) Vaccination			
		(b) Rapid Antigen Test (RAT)			
		(c) Covid Care Centre (CCC)			
		Operation Theatre:			
		General Surgery			
		Oral Surgery	103	14	117
		Radiology	21,291	2,610	23,901
II	Achievements	i. Best Paper Award			
		ii. Best Poster Award			
		iii. Best Symposium Award			
III	Achievements		No. of Students		
		MDS	53		53
		BDS	443		443
IV	Library Dept.		No. of Books – 10,325		
		No. of books consulted by	5,412	892	6,304
		No. of books circulated	1,305	242	1,547
V	Students Development Programme				
VI	AYUSHMAN BHARATH - PMJAY ACHIEVEMENTS				
		Opening Balance	34,76,270		34,76,270
		Claim submitted	19,42,500	1,18,000	20,60,500
		Claim Settled	18,88,727	50,310	19,39,037
		Claim o/s	35,30,043	67,690	35,97,733

Department of Prosthodontics

Achievements for the month of December 2025

Dr. Ragasanthoshini. G III MDS

- (i) Attended 53rd IPS National conference at Mumbai on 4th-7th December 2025.
- (ii) Video presentation done on the topic 'An innovation impacting life: A case series justifying the rehabilitation of maxillary defects using DMLS assisted hollow bulb obturator with precision attachments.
- (iii) Attended pre-conference course on the topic 'Magnetic overdentures'.

Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics

Achievements for the month of December 2025

Ongoing PG Academic Activities

Weekly Seminar/Journal club discussion/case presentation: 2 hours

Guidance and Correction-3 hours

Scientific Article Correction-3 hours

Ongoing Library dissertation and dissemination work :(Discussion and Correction:12 hours)

Miscellaneous:

Administrative work-5 hours

Department of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry

Achievements for the month of December 2025

Faculty Achievements

Dr.V. Arun Prasad Rao, Professor & HOD

- (i) Filed the patent "Intracanal Medicament compactor" with the application number 48713-001 dated 22.12.2025 and published in the office of controller general of patents, Designs, Trademarks, India.

Dr. Nandakumar. S, Associate Professor

- (i) Presented the PhD work in the 2nd Research Advisory Committee Meeting on 17th December 2025 held at SBV University, Puducherry.

- (ii) Filed the patent "Intracanal Medicament compactor" with the application number 48713-001 dated 22.12.2025 and published in the office of controller general of patents, Designs, Trademarks, India.

Dr. Megalaa. N, Associate Professor

- (i) Attended Guest lecture on Topic " Veneering in Pediatric dentistry- A Modern Approach" organized by Department of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry, Sri Venkateswaraa Dental college, Ariyur, Puducherry held on 01.12.2025.

- (ii) Abinaya. R, Selvakumar. G, Shanmugavadivel. G, Megalaa. N, John Shubin J, Divya Barathi. K. Mothers' awareness of the impact of maternal oral health, diet, oral hygiene maintenance, and feeding practices on their children's dental wellness. International Journal of Applied Dental Sciences, 2025;11(4):476-482.

Dr. Divya Bharathi. K , Assistant Professor

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Dr.Abinaya.R, Assistant Professor

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(ii) Abinaya. R, Selvakumar. G, Shanmugavadivel. G, Megalaa. N, John Shibin. J, Divya Barathi. K. Mothers' awareness of the impact of maternal oral health, diet, oral hygiene maintenance, and feeding practices on their children's dental wellness. International Journal of Applied Dental Sciences, 2025;11(4):476-482.

Achievements of Postgraduate students

Dr. Chandramouli. A, II year M.D.S, JR

(i) Attended Guest lecture on Topic " Veneering in Pediatric dentistry- A Modern Approach" organized by Department of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry, Sri Venkateswaraa Dental college, Ariyur, Puducherry held on 01.12.2025.

Dr. Ashrita. V, II year M.D.S, JR.

(i) Attended Guest lecture on Topic " Veneering in Pediatric dentistry- A Modern Approach" organized by Department of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry, Sri Venkateswaraa Dental college, Ariyur, Puducherry held on 01.12.2025.

Dept.of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Oral Microbiology

Achievements for the month of December 2025

Publication:

(i) Dr. Arulvizhi - Publication: Karunanithi. A, Melath. AM, Kayakool. S, Raghavan. V, Arulvizhi. M, Prakash. N. Gingival Tissue Response with Light-Cure Dressing and a Non-Eugenol Dressing after Periodontal Flap Surgery-A Comparative Study. Indian Journal of Dental Research. 2025 Jul 1;36(3):316-20.

Presentation at conferences / another forum:

Conferences/ workshops/Webinar/CDE attended

I) Faculty members:

Dr. Nirima Oza

(i) Attended webinar organized by Dept of NTTC, JIPMER as a part of MEDUCON 2026 on 8th December, 2025. Topic: Globalisation of medical education standards.

(ii) Attended IAOMP national webinar series 2025 on 23rd December 2025, from 10.30 to 11.30 am, topic "Salivary Biomarkers" by Dr Lavanya C.

Dr. Premalatha

(i) Participated as external advisor for II RAC (Research Advisory Committee) meeting for Ph.d work of scholar name Dr. N. Chitra convened by Sri Balaji Vidyapeeth on December 6th 2025- title of thesis: Evaluation of anticancer activity of Kalanchoe Pinnata (Lam)Pers leaf extract on Oral squamous cell carcinoma cell line – An invitro study.

(ii) Co-guide for the Ph.d Project titled molecular characterization and investigation on the role of PWWP2 protein in oral squamous cell carcinoma – A case control study.

(iii) Contribution to the Pulp and Periapical pathology chapter in the springer Nature Atlas.

Dr. Arulvizhi

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(ii) Published book – Perio Esthetics in Chyren publications.

II) Post-graduate students:**Dr. Peka**

(i) IAOMP webinar series attended titled salivary biomarkers.

Dr. Madhumitha

(i) IAOMP webinar series attended titled salivary biomarkers.

Dr. Kalaimathi

(i) IAOMP webinar series attended titled salivary biomarkers.

Dr. Arundhati

(i) IAOMP webinar series attended titled salivary biomarkers.

Dr. Jyot Shikha

(i) IAOMP webinar series attended titled salivary biomarkers.

Dr. Vaishali. K

(i) IAOMP webinar series attended titled salivary biomarkers.

(ii) National CDE Program 2025 organized by IGIDS, Dept. Of Oral Pathology, Pondicherry. "Theme - Pre - Cancer & Cancer prevention - spot it early and stop it forever".

Dr. Jayasri

(i) Basic Science Class test- 4 (Microbiology,biochemistry, pathology and Anatomy).

Dr. Madou

(i) Basic Science Class test- 4 (Microbiology,biochemistry, pathology and Anatomy).

Dr. Tharane

(i) Basic Science Class test- 4 (Microbiology,biochemistry, pathology and Anatomy).

Journal Club Presentation:

S.no	Date	PG Name	Title	Moderator
1	01-12-2025	Dr. Jayasri	J Oral Maxillofac Pathol. 2022 Jan Mar; 26(1):131.doi:10.4103/jomfp.jomfp_358_21. Epub 2022 Mar 31. PMID: 35571315; PMCID: PMC9106248.	Dr. P. D. Balamurali
2	05-12-2025	Dr. Arundhati	Inthong P, Upalananda W, Saepoo J. Factors Associated with Recurrence of Ameloblastoma: A Scoping Review. Head Neck Pathol. 2024 Aug 23;18(1):82. doi: 10.1007/s12105-024-01686-7. PMID: 39177897; PMCID: PMC11343934.	Dr. P. D. Balamurali
3	12-12-2025	Dr. Peka	Xu Z, Lin A, Han X. Current AI Applications and Challenges in Oral Pathology. Oral (Basel). 2025 Mar;5(1):2. doi: 10.3390/oral5010002. Epub 2025 Jan 6. PMID: 40357025; PMCID: PMC12068879.	Dr. B. Premalatha

4	19-12-2025	Dr. Tharane	Kumar, Malay, Akhtar Riaz, Sameera Khan, Pushpam Dwivedi, and Ankur Agarwal. "Oral Cancer Survival- An Overview of Dental Surgeon's Role." Journal of Oral Medicine, Oral Surgery, Oral Pathology and Oral Radiology 2017; 3(2):98-102.	Dr. B. Premalatha
5	26-12-2025	Dr. Vaishali	Martins GH, de Arruda JAA, de Andrade BAB, Villafort RN, do Amaral MBF, Fonseca FP, Abreu LG, Mesquita RA. Analysis of Tissue Staining With 1% Methylene Blue Solution After Enucleation of Odontogenic Keratocyst. J Oral Pathol Med. 2025 Sep;54(8):770-776. doi: 10.1111/jop.70031. Epub 2025 Aug 9. PMID: 40781958.	Dr. Karthikshree V Prashad

Case presentation:

S.no	Date	PG Name	HP No	Final diagnosis	Moderator
1	08.12.2025	Dr. Kalaimathi	41/25	Pleomorphic adenoma	Dr. Karthikshree V Prashad
2	22.12.2025	Dr. Arundhati	162/25	Pemphigus vulgaris	Dr. P. D. Balamurali
3	29.12.2025	Dr. Peka	110/25 - 119/25	SCC-well differentiated	Dr. Nirima Oza

SEMINAR PRESENTATION:

S.no	Date	PG Name	Title	Moderator
1	02-12-2025	Dr. Madumitha	Neural tumours	Dr. P. D. Balamurali
2	04-12-2025	Dr. Peka	Fibro Osseous Lesions	Dr. B. Premalatha
3	05-12-2025	Dr. Madumitha	Neural tumours part 2	Dr. P. D. Balamurali
4	18-12-2025	Dr. Jyot Shikha	Biopsy procedure	Dr. B. Premalatha
5	23-12-2025	Dr. Kalaimathi	Odontogenic tumours	Dr. Karthikshree V Prashad
6	30-12-2025	Dr. Tharane	Bone	Dr. K. Ramadoss


(S. JAYAKUMAR)
 REGISTRAR

To:

1. The Senior Accounts Officer, Directorate of Health and Family Welfare Services, Puducherry.- for kind information.
2. The Programmer, MGPGIDS : With request to upload at our Institution's website.