

MADHA DENTAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL

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POLICY FOR EXTENSION

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OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

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Introduction

Extension and outreach activities are teaching approaches which integrates students with community in which opportunities are created by the educational institution to teach students their social responsibility and empower communities through the outreach programme. Madha Dental College and Hospital, Kundrathur motivates the students' community to actively participate in community service and its development through engaging interns, postgraduates and NSS students. All the extension activities are coordinated by the Department of Public Health Dentistry through conduct of dental camps at schools, villages, orphanages, old age homes around the institution and posting the students in the rural and urban health centers.

Aim

To foster a sense of social responsibility among the students and to inspire them to dedicated Service to the needy.

Objectives

- To nurture a sense of commitment and civic responsibility.
- To provide opportunity for learning beyond the classroom.
- To promote learning through active participation in extension activities.
- To develop leadership and personal grooming of the students.

Functions of the Department of Public health dentistry

- 1. Planning, implementing, c-coordinating, monitoring and documenting the extension activities annually.
- 2. Conducting a periodical meeting on a need basis to monitor, supervise and evaluate the on-going extension activities.
- 3. Documenting the extension activities in their respective service organization or club.



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- 4. Maintenance of student's attendance record and facilitating to award credits for the students for their extension activities.
- 5. Motivating and enabling the students regularly to involve in extension activities and to form him or her socially responsible person.
- 6. Linking and collaborating with the governmental and non-governmental organizations for the smooth execution of the extension activities.
- 7. Signing Memorandum of Understanding (MOUs) with the non-governmental organizations, social service clubs for the professional support towards the implementation of extension activities.
- 8. Designing the guidelines and requirements of the extension activities.

General Guidelines

- 1. Student is to maintain discipline and needs to be morally credible while visiting villages, organizations and undertaking programmes. If a student misbehaves or exhibits any unexpected attitude or disturbs the functioning of any activity, he or she needs to face the disciplinary action enforced by the College Disciplinary Committee.
- 2. Student is supposed to complete his or her extension activity and submit the consolidated report in the prescribed format after getting signature of the coordinator of concerned class teacher countersigned by their HOD.

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