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CAREER GUIDANCE PROGRAM

TITLE: CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AFTER BDS

Objective:

This program is designed to provide an insight for the graduating students on the various career opportunities available after completion of BDS program.

Learning outcome:

Upon completion of this program the CRI BDS students will be able to comprehend the various career opportunities available on graduation and choose that suits their interest.

Program duration: 3 hours

Stakeholders: CRI students

Content:

After completion of the BDS program, a graduate is entitled for various career options, some of which includes:

1. HIGHER STUDIES OPTIONS

(60 MIN)

a. Pursuing specialization through MDS:

This is the most common and highly sought after option by BDS graduates. This allows the graduates to specialize in a particular field of dentistry like prosthodontics, pedodontics, endodontics, orthodontics, Public Health Dentistry, Oral medicine diagnosis and radiology, Oral pathology, Oral surgery and Periodontics.

b. Fellowship programs/ Post graduate certificate programs:

This program allows the graduates to excel in sub specialisations like Cosmetic dentistry, endodontic dentistry, thus enabling them to become experts in their professional practice.

c. MSc. in dental materials

This postgraduation program enables the graduates to master in dental materials pursue their career in Dental materials manufacturing industries or in research on dental materials.

d. MBA - Hospital Administration

This post graduation allows the graduates to pursue their career in hospital administration



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2. JOB OPPORTUNITIES

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a. Working as a dental practitioner:

This is another popular option. This enables the graduate to provide oral health care by setting their own clinic/ Government & private hospital setting.

b. Entrepreneurship:

The dental graduate can establish corporate clinics and create employment opportunities for fellow dental graduates.

c. Career in Dental materials manufacturing unit/ Prosthetics industry:

The dental graduates can be employed in various fields such as research, development and marketing.

d. Opting for administrative role in health care:

There are many administrative roles in healthcare such as hospital management and health care policies.

e. In addition to these popular options, there are other alternate options available for dental graduates which include:

Academics: As faculty in teaching institutions

Medical writing: The dental graduates can work as medical writers in creating medical content.

Medical coding & Health insurance analyst

Health care consulting: As oral health consultants for organizations

3. VENTURING INTO RESEARCH RELATED CAREER

(30 MIN)

Medical / health research is an evolving field. The dental graduates can pursue their career in clinical research, stem cell research, IT based dental research.

4. ESTABLISHING CAREER ABROAD

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The graduates can prepare and give exams like NHS for dental practice in UK, ADC in Australia and DDS in the US.

The graduates have to clear MOH exam of the respective countries to pursue career in gulf countries.



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COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS TRAINING PROGRAM TITILE: NEET PREPARATION ORIENTATION

This course intends to provide an orientation to the BDS students on the strategies for the preparation and the execution of the NEET MDS entrance examinations.

Program duration: 3 hours

Stakeholders: Final year BDS and CRI students

Content:

1. INTRODUCTION TO NEET PG EXAM PREPARATION

(30 MIN)

- Recognize the significance of effective exam preparation strategies.
- Learn how to balance study hours with focused concentration for optimal results.
- Emphasize the importance of quality learning over prolonged study hours.
- Apply strategic thinking in answering MCQs

2. ONLINE CONDUCT OF NEET MDS BY NBE

(30 MIN)

- Explore the mode of examination for NEET MDS as conducted by the National Board of Examinations (NBE).
- Understand the benefits and challenges of an online examination format.

3. DURATION AND STRUCTURE OF NEET MDS

(30 MIN)

- Learn about the duration of the NEET MDS exam.
- Understand the allocation of time for different sections within the exam.
- Grasp the concept of 240 objective-type questions and their distribution.
- Familiarize the exam answer templates



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4. VALIDITY OF NEET MDS RESULTS

(39 MIN)

- Discover the timeframe within which the NEET MDS result remains valid.
- Understand the limitations of using the result for admissions in subsequent academic years.

5. KEY CONSIDERATIONS FOR NEET MDS PREPARATION

(30 MIN)

- Familiarize the essential aspects of NEET MDS preparation.
- Gain insights into the marking scheme and its impact on the approach to answering questions.
- Understand the exam pattern and the significance of subject-wise weightage.
- Understand the marking scheme of NEET exam

6. PLANNING FOR EFFECTIVE NEET MDS STUDY

(30 MIN)

- Develop a personalized study plan considering the exam duration and the vast syllabus.
- Explore techniques to optimize concentration and retain information effectively.
- Understand the importance of mock tests and time management during the exam.

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