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AWARENESS CAMP ON BENEFITS OF USING FLUORIDE TOOTHPASTE AT BALLALESHWAR CAMP, PALI

Date: 30th August 2025

Venue: Pali Ballaleshwar Temple

Faculty: Dr. Deeksha Shetty

Organizing Agency: PHD Dept MGMDCH; NSS Unit of MGMDCH; Pali Ballaleshwar Temple Trust

An awareness and dental check-up camp was organized at Pali Ballaleshwar Temple on 30th August 2025 by the Public Health Dentistry Department and NSS Unit of MGM Dental College & Hospital in collaboration with the Pali Ballaleshwar Temple Trust. The program aimed to provide free dental screening and educate the community on the benefits of using fluoride toothpaste for better oral health.

Aim and Objectives

To provide free dental check-ups for the local community.

To create awareness about the importance of fluoride in preventing dental caries.

To educate participants about proper brushing techniques and oral hygiene practices.

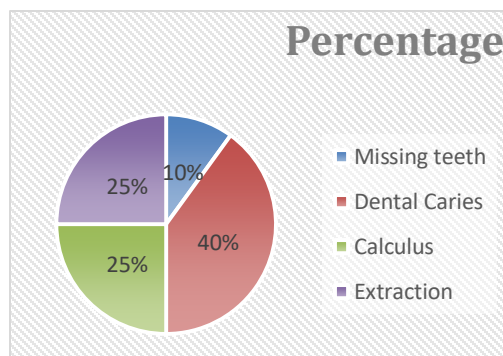
Method

The dental team conducted oral examinations for all participants to detect common dental problems. A health education session was delivered explaining the role of fluoride toothpaste in strengthening teeth, preventing cavities, and maintaining overall oral hygiene. Demonstrations on correct brushing techniques were also conducted.

Observations

A total of 20 participants were examined. Many participants had dental caries and gum-related problems, mainly due to a lack of awareness about oral hygiene practices. The session on fluoride toothpaste was well-received, and participants expressed interest in adopting preventive measures and visiting the dental hospital for further care.

Condition	Number	Percentage
Missing teeth	2	10
Dental Caries	8	40
Calculus	5	25
Extraction	5	25
Total	20	100



Interpretation and conclusion:

The dental examination of 20 individuals revealed that dental caries was the most common condition, affecting 40% of participants. Calculus and tooth extractions were observed in 25% of individuals each, while missing teeth were the least common, seen in 10% of participants. Overall, these findings indicate a notable prevalence of dental caries and oral hygiene issues among the examined group.



ORAL HEALTH CHECK UP DONE AT
CAMP SITE



TREATMENT DONE BY TEAM MEMBER
AT CAMP SITE

List of Attendees

Sr. No	List of Participants
Name of faculty	
1	Dr.Deeksha Shetty
2	Dr. Pankaj Londhe
Name of Interns & students	
3	Priyannshi
4	Prachi
5	Jhanavi