CDE PROGRAM ON "LESIONS OF ORAL CAVITY" ORGANIZED BY ORAL MEDICINE & ORAL PATHOLOGY

The departments of Oral Pathology and Oral Medicine & Radiology, Tagore Dental College & Hospital, have jointly conducted CDE program inviting key speakers on both the specialties. The program was held on 11th November 2016, Friday, in the auditorium, Tagore Dental College & Hospital. There were 325 participants including post graduate and undergraduate students and staff, from a total of ten dental colleges in and around Chennai city. There were six lectures by three speakers from each department respectively. The aim was to orient and educate dental professionals about lesions in the oral cavity. The programme was credited with 6 CDE points by the DCI.

The Scientific Session was started as planned with the first lecture, on the topic, 'Clinical Insight of Oral Mucosal Lesions,' by Dr S Jayachandran, MDS, Professor and HoD, department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, TN Government Dental College, Chennai. He was introduced by Dr N Balaji, MDS, Reader, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology.

The second lecture was, on the topic, 'Potentially Malignant Disorders – Clinical Perspective,' by Dr Nalini Aswath, MDS, Prof and HoD, department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, Sree Balaji Dental College & Hospital. She was introduced by Dr V Anand, MDS, Reader, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology.

The third lecture was, on the topic, 'Potentially Malignant Disorders – Histological Perspective,' by Dr S Leena Sankari, MDS, Professor, Department of Oral Pathology, Sree Balaji Dental College & Hospital. She was introduced by Dr KA Shankar, MDS, Professor, Department of Oral Pathology.

The fourth lecture was, on the topic, 'Various Clinical Presentation of Oral Cancer,' by Dr TN Uma Maheshwari, MDS, Professor, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, Saveetha Dental College & Hospital. She was introduced by Dr S Aswini, MDS, Senior Lecturer, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology.

The fifth lecture was, on the topic, 'Oral Cancer – Histological Perspective,' by Dr Herald J Sherlin, MDS, Professor, Department of Oral Pathology, Saveetha Dental College & Hospital. He was introduced by Dr LS Makesh Raj, MDS, Reader, Department of Oral Pathology.

The sixth lecture was, on the topic, 'Recent Advances in Oral Cancer,' by Dr J Muruganantham, MDS, Reader, Department of Oral Pathology, Sree Venkateswara Dental College & Hospital. He was introduced by Dr Jude, MDS, Senior Lecturer, Department of Oral Pathology.

The speakers were honored with a memento and certificate by the Principal Dr Chitraa R Chandran, MDS. The event was concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr GS Asokan, MDS, Professor & HoD, Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology.