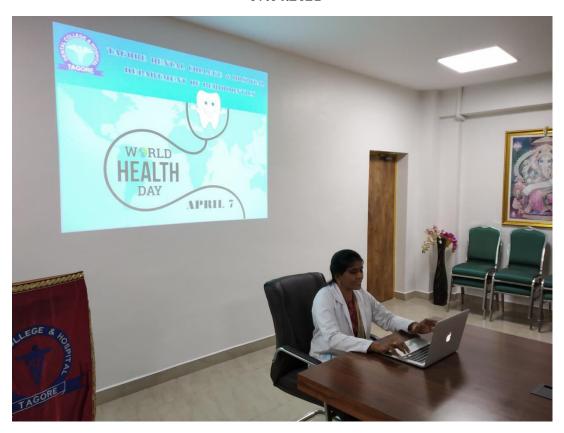
Tagore Dental College & Hospital

Department of Periodontics

World Health Day Celebrations 2021

07.04.2021



The Department of Periodontics, Tagore Dental College celebrated World Health Day on Wednesday, 07.04.2021 under the guidance of Dr. Chitraa R Chandran, Principal and Head (Periodontics), Tagore Dental College and Hospital.

Oral Health Awareness Lecture (Google Meet)

The Department of Periodontics, Tagore Dental College organized an online health awareness lecture via Google Meet application for students of **Tagore Engineering College**, **Chennai**. The Speaker of the Day was Dr.B.Bhuvaneswari, M.D.S., Professor, Department of Periodontics, Tagore Dental College and Hospital and she gave an enlightening talk for 30

minutes focused on creating oral hygiene awareness and educating them on the systemic implications of poor oral hygiene. The lecture was attended by 70 participants.

Following the lecture, a general health awareness camp was conducted for the faculty of Tagore Engineering College. The team consisted of Dr.B.Bhuvaneswari, Dr.T.Parthasaradhi, Dr.Juala Catherine, Dr.Vignesh Vikram and interns Ms.Rajeshwari, Ms.Preetha, Ms.Nithyashree, Ms.Navapriya, Ms.Varshini, Ms.Ragavi, Ms.Pooja, Mr.Tanish, Mr.Vijay and staff nurse Ms.Arthi.

All covid-19 protocols were strictly adhered to wherein all participants were provided hand sanitizer prior to their medical examination and all the interns were wearing gloves and N-95 masks during their interaction with participants.

Blood pressure, body weight and blood glucose levels were checked for all participants and the interns explained about the significance of any variations in these parameters to all participants. On examination, the blood glucose level for a participant was found to be 470 mg/dl and the features of diabetes mellitus was explained to the participant and advised to seek further medical advice following this.

A total of 15 participants were benefitted out of this programme.

