

Undergraduate Competition: Oral Pathology in Day-to-Day Life

The Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology and Oral Microbiology, Subharti Dental College & Hospital, successfully organized an innovative undergraduate competition titled **“Oral Pathology in Day-to-Day Life”** on **25th June 2026**.

The event aimed to promote diagnostic skills and enhance students' understanding of Oral Pathology through a unique blend of science, creativity, and critical thinking. The competition was centred on the theme of **similes and metaphors in Oral Pathology**, encouraging participants to identify and correlate characteristic clinical, radiographic, and histopathological appearances that are commonly used as descriptive aids in diagnosis. Through this innovative approach, students were able to strengthen their diagnostic reasoning while appreciating the practical application of Oral Pathology in everyday clinical practice.

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from **15 undergraduate students**, who were divided into **five teams**, with each team comprising **one participant each from the 2021, 2022, and 2023 BDS batches**. The competition fostered teamwork, healthy academic interaction, and collaborative learning among students from different years of study.

All participants were awarded **Certificates of Participation** in recognition of their enthusiasm and involvement. The winning teams were felicitated with certificates by the **Principal and Dean, Dr. Nikhil Srivastava**. The competition concluded successfully and was well received by both students and faculty, reinforcing the importance of innovative teaching methodologies in dental education.

