



Report on PG ORIENTATION PROGRAMME 2026

BHARATI VIDYAPEETH (DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY) PUNE Accredited with A++ Grade (2024) by NAAC with CGPA 3.60 DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL, SANGLI	
P.G. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME 2026 Tuesday 6th January, 2026 DAY 1	P.G. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME 2026 Wednesday 7th January, 2026 DAY 2
 Dr. TANUSHRI DALVI Associate Professor, Public Health Dentistry Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Introduction to Research Methodology Time: 9:30 AM to 10:15 AM  Dr. PRIYANKA PAUL Associate Professor, Public Health Dentistry Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Literature Search Techniques (Hands on) Reference Manager: Mendeley Desktop Time: 11:15 AM to 01:00 PM  Dr. ALKA GORE Associate Professor, Biostatistics Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Medical College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Biostatistics Time: 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM	 Dr. ADITI KANITKAR Associate Professor, Department of Prosthodontics, Crown and Bridge Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Topic Selection and Dissertation Writing Time: 9:15 AM to 10:15 AM  Dr. SHASHANK VIJAPURE Associate Professor, Department of Periodontics Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Seminar Presentation Time: 10:15 AM to 11:00 AM  Dr. AMIT BASANNAVAR Professor, Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Journal Club - Critical Appraisal Time: 11:15 AM to 12:15 PM
P.G. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME 2026 Wednesday 7th January, 2026 DAY 2	P.G. ORIENTATION PROGRAMME 2026 Wednesday 7th January, 2026 DAY 2
	 Dr. PRIYATAM KARADE Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Case Presentation Time: 2:00 PM to 2:45 PM  Dr. MAMATA KAMAT Professor, Department of Oral Pathology Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Dental College & Hospital, Sangli. Topic: Article Writing and Publication Guidelines Time: 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM

- **Title of the Activity-** PG Orientation Programme 2026
- **Venue of the Activity-** Auditorium
- **Date of Activity-** 6th & 7th January 2026
- **Duration of Activity-** 2 days
- **Collaborating Agency-** NA
- **No. of Students Participated-** 36
- **No. of Teachers Participated -** 12
- **No. of Beneficiaries-** 36

Details of the Activity with Photographs (Geotag & non geotag Photos)-

Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed to be University Dental college and Hospital, Sangli, organised 2 days extensive PG Orientation Programme on 6th and 7th January 2026. This orientation programme was specifically planned to cater to the requirements of I year MDS students, to provide them with an overview of the PG curriculum and research methodology. Training related to article writing and publication guidelines was also included in the programme. The programme was organized by scientific society in auditorium and was attended by 36 PG students. The programme included 8 lectures and 2 Hands on workshops.

Day-01

INAUGURAL FUNCTION

Dr Sanjay Londhe Sir, Director, Dental Sciences, Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be) University, Pune was invited as chief guest for the event. Dr Anuradha Kibe welcomed the gathering. Dr Sanjay Londhe Sir, Dr Sharad Kamat Sir, Dr Lalita Nanjannawar (Organizing Secretary) and all the guest speakers were presented with saplings as a token of gratitude. This was followed by lamp lighting by the dignitaries and HODs of all departments. Dr Sanjay Londhe Sir then addressed the gathering and shared his advise for the newly joined MDS students. The inaugural function was concluded with a vote of thanks.

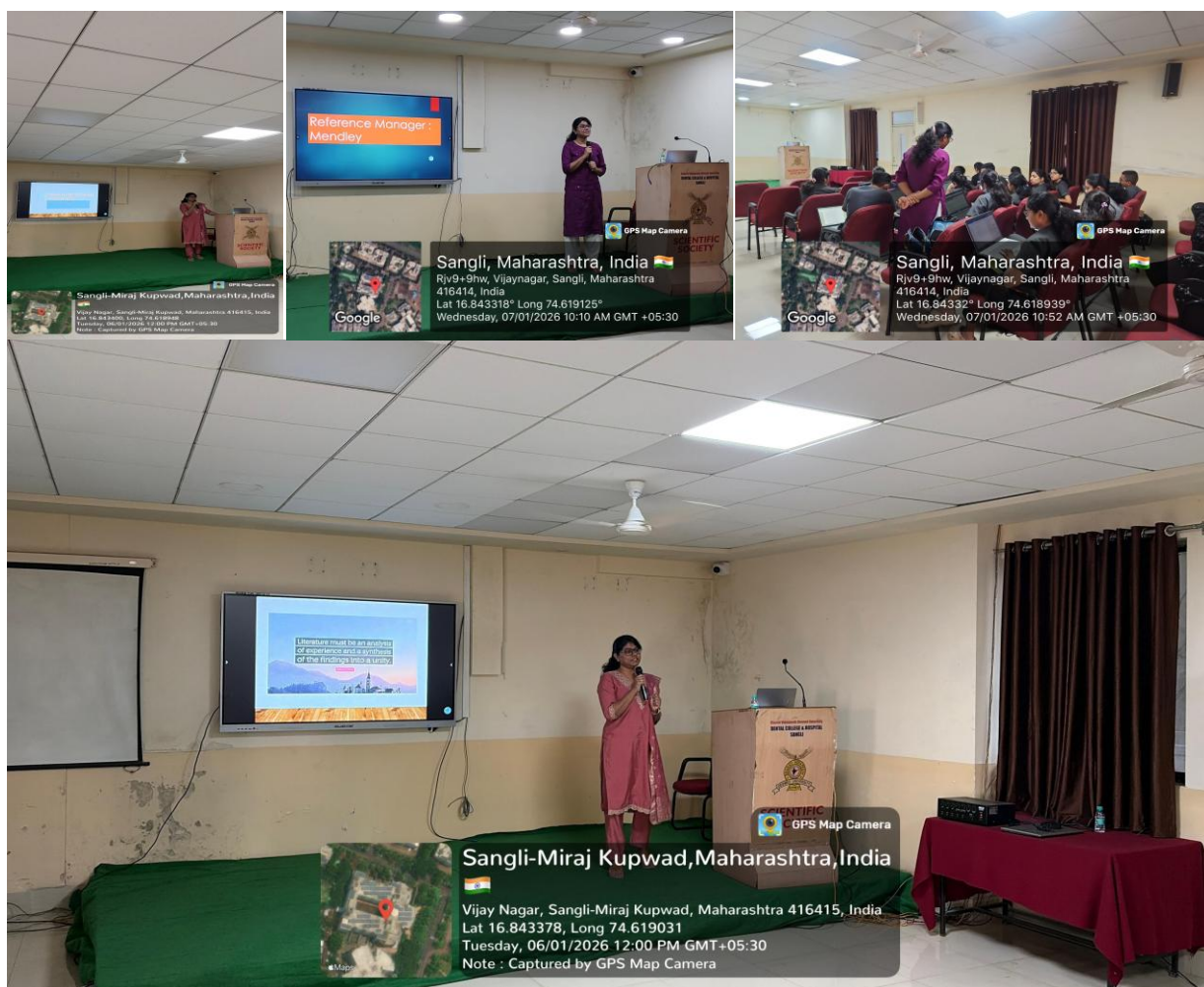


Following Inaugural function, the session began with 2 lectures by Dr Tanushri Dalvi, Associate Professor, Dept of Public Health Dentistry on “Introduction to Research Methodology and “Basics of Research Study Designs” It was an interesting session which included guidance on various steps involved in selecting a topic for research using FINER guidelines and how to frame a research question based on PICO guidelines.

The speaker also discussed various research study designs and their indications in research. The speaker also conducted an activity in which participants were asked to frame a research question in their subject field.



Next session was conducted by Dr Priyanka Paul, Assistant Professor, Dept of Public Health Dentistry on “Literature search techniques”. It was a hands on workshop where in the participants were taught effective ways of searching various databases for scientific articles. Information regarding boolean operators and mesh terms were discussed. Techniques used to refine the search and obtain relevant articles were also taught. Live demonstration of searching Pubmed data base was done participants were also made to perform it on their laptops. This session was followed by another Hands on workshop on “Reference Manager: Mendley Desktop” It was also an interactive session during which students were taught how to manage their references easily using Mendley Desktop.



On first day afternoon session, a lecture was conducted by Dr Alka Gore, Associate Professor, Dept of Biostatistics, Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Medical College, Sangli on **“Introduction to Biostatistics and Inferential statistics”** The speaker discussed in detail various important aspects of biostatistics and its application in research. Various statistical tests, measures of central tendency, standard deviation and P value were discussed in detail. The speaker simplified complex concepts of biostatistics and its practical applications for better understanding of students. First day programme ended with this lecture. The Speaker was presented with a token of appreciation by Principal, Dr Sharad Kamat sir.



Day-02

Second day of the PG Orientation programme began with lecture by Dr Aditi Kanitkar on **“Topic selection and Dissertation writing”**. The Speaker discussed in depth how to identify research gaps in scientific literature and tips for choosing novel research studies in different subject areas of dentistry. She also shared information regarding steps in Dissertation writing starting from Introduction, review of literature, Material and methods, results, discussion, summary and conclusion. This session was also attended by III yr PG students from all PG departments.



Second lecture was on **“Seminar presentation”** by Dr Shashank Vijapure, Assistant Professor in Dept of Periodontology. The speaker shared interesting tips on how to make seminar presentation impressive and engaging. He also shared a checklist for preparing oneself for a good presentation which included guidance on PPT slides preparation, assuring good technical backup and confident body language.



After tea break the session was resumed with a lecture on **“Journal Club - Critical appraisal”** by Dr Amit Basannavar, Professor, Dept of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. The speaker discussed in detail how to critically evaluate scientific papers and research studies published in various journals. The various criteria for judging good research designs were discussed, students were also taught to analyse the shortcomings of research studies and questioning its validity based on sound knowledge of research methodology.



Second day afternoon session began with a lecture on **“Case Presentations”** by Dr Priyatam Karade, Professor in Dept of Conservative dentistry and Endodontics. The Speaker discussed in detail the significance of accurate case history recording and various diagnostic aids in writing final diagnosis and steps involved in formulating treatment planning. Emphasis was laid on collecting good pre treatment records and maintaining treatment progress as well as treatment completion records such as intra oral and extra oral photographs, radiographs, CBCT, study models etc.



The last session for second day was conducted by Dr Mamata Kamat, Professor, Dept of Oral Pathology on **“Article writing and publication guidelines”**. The speaker shared in detail how to structure the manuscript for original research article, case reports, literature review and short communication. She explained how to select reputed journals and tips on identifying predatory journals. The speaker also explained authorship guidelines and steps involved in article submission.

It was a highly interactive session with active participation from all students. At the end of the session, a quiz was conducted to test the understanding by students who participated in it with great enthusiasm. Winners were declared and gifted with token of appreciation



Valedictory function

The 2 days PG Orientation programme was concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr Aradhana Kibe. Certificates of appreciation were presented to all Guest speakers by Principal, Dr Sharad Kamat Sir. Certificates of participation were distributed to all students by the Guest speakers and organizing chairperson. Feedback forms were collected at the end of each lecture and the responses were analysed.



The entire event was planned and carried out under the able guidance of our respected Principal, Dr Sharad Kamat Sir. The organizing team of Scientific society headed by Dr Lalita G Nanjannawar included, Dr Mamata Kamat, Dr Mokshada Badadare, Dr Shashank Vijapure, Dr Harshwardhan Kadam, Dr Pooja Sankpal and Dr Aradahana Kibe.



Outcome of the Activity:-

PG Orientation programme was successful with 100% attendance by all Iyr MDS students for all the lectures on both the days. Based on the feedback responses received, the programme proved highly effective in equipping the participants with essential skills, knowledge and confidence for their post graduate journey. The programmes's success stemmed from its structured format covering all important topics ranging from planning research studies, writing articles to routine PG activities like Dissertation writing, seminar presentation, case presentations and Journal club presentations. By addressing all these topics, it was ensured that a strong foundation is laid for all PG activities aiming at excellence in academic performance and also boosting quality research projects. Students expressed their satisfaction and gratitude for the event conducted.

List of Students:

Sr. No.	Name of the Student
1	Miss. Dhasade Sukrati Shankar
2	Miss. Borse Astha Nitin
3	Miss. Kale Poorva Pradip
4	Miss. Raut Aishwarya Shivling
5	Miss. Udgaonkar Anisha Ashutosh
6	Miss Jadhav Pranali Subodh
7	Miss. Deshmukkh Vaishnavi Ravindra
8	Mr. Terwade Siddhant Chandrakant
9	Miss. Jamsandekar Prajakta Prasad
10	Mr. Irabatti Sagar Sudhakar
11	Mr. Dafal Hrishikesh Hiranman
12	Miss. Singh Reet Sunil
13	Miss. Pakale Prikanya Vishnu
14	Miss. Choudhari Nidhi Suhas
15	Miss. Dave Himanshi Ambesh
16	Miss. Patil Arundhati Surendra
17	Miss. Swati Baburao Yadav
18	Miss. Kudale Pranali Pramod
19	Miss. Patil Pranoti Basveshvar
20	Miss. Tamhankar Gayatri Bhaskar
21	Mr. Dhanavade Sangram Sanjay
22	Mr. Barhate Arpit Murlidhar
23	Mr. Chati Aalhad Vivek
24	Miss. Suryavanshi Shalakra Anant
25	Mr. Joshi Atharva Deepak
26	Mr. Parakh Rushabh Ramesh
27	Miss. Gaikwad Dnyaneshwari Shrikrishn
28	Miss. Kadam Ankita Ananda
29	Mr. Khant Shyamkumar Vipulbhai

30	Mr. Agiwal Devesh Vallabh
31	Mr. Kolekar Amit Dilip
32	Miss. Garad Uttkarsha Uddhav
33	Miss. Mrunmayi Dhananjay Patil
34	Miss. Sakshi Gupta
35	Miss. Shivani Asrabanu Amin
36	Mr. Sandipan Sarkar

List of Teachers-:

Sr. No.	Name of the Teacher
1	Dr. Lalita Nanjannawar
2	Dr. Mamata Kamat
3	Dr. Alka Gore
4	Dr. Priyatam Karade
5	Dr. Amit Basannavar
6	Dr. Tanushri Dalvi
7	Dr. Shashank Vijapure
8	Dr. Priyanka Paul
9	Dr. Harshwardhan Kadam
10	Dr. Aradhana Kibe
11	Dr. Pooja Sankpal
12	Dr. Mokshada Badadare

Signature and stamp of the Principal/Director