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Minutes of the Meeting of FEED BACK COMMITTEE (2022-2023)

Meeting Date: 13/07/2023

Venue: Conference Room, M.R. Ambedkar Dental College and Hospital

Members Present:

1. Dr. Pradeep P R, Principal
2. Dr. Tarulata R S, Vice Principal
3. Dr. Umashankar, Head of Feedback Committee
4. Dr. Ila Srinivasan, Dean of PG Studies
5. Dr. Shruthi C S, Dean of UG Studies
6. Dr. Sanober Khan, Member Coordinator
7. Mr. Venkatesh, Librarian
8. Mr. Vardaraju, FDC Representative (Central Store)
9. Dr. Ananya Agarwal, Postgraduate Representative
10. Mr. Raghav V, Undergraduate Dental Representative

Agenda:

1. Current status of data and resources available at the library.
2. Inadequacy of armamentarium/materials for student use.
3. Discussion on the possibility of extending clinical hours for students.
4. Any other matters, with permission of the chair.



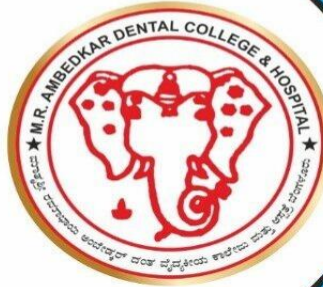
Meeting Proceedings:

1. **Review of Library Resources:** The meeting began with a review of the resources currently available in the library. Concerns were raised regarding the insufficient access to scientific literature, journals, and academic materials essential for research, faculty reference, and student projects. These limitations have been affecting academic progress and the ability of students to engage effectively in research. The Librarian was assigned the task of conducting a detailed evaluation of the available resources and identifying areas where upgrades and expansions are necessary.
2. **Inadequate Armamentarium/Materials:** Mr. Vardaraju from the Central Store presented a report on the current stock of dental materials and equipment. Issues related to outdated tools, inadequate supplies, and limitations in

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providing sufficient armamentarium for practical training were discussed. It was agreed that the lack of necessary materials hampers the students' learning experience, particularly in hands-on training. The central store team will carry out an immediate inventory audit to identify areas that require urgent replenishment or updates.

- 3. Extension of Clinical Hours:** Dr. Shruthi C S, Dean of UG Studies, proposed an extension of clinical hours for undergraduate students to enhance their practical exposure. Currently, final-year UG students undergo 20 hours of clinical practice per week. To align with accreditation standards and increase practical experience, the committee discussed extending clinical hours. The possibility of allowing students to work on Saturdays and during term breaks was considered.
- 4. Additional Matters:** Mr. Raghav V, the Undergraduate Dental Representative, highlighted the students' concerns regarding the unavailability of resources and insufficient clinical practice, urging the committee to address these issues on priority.

Resolutions:

- Library Resources:** Initiate collaborations with external institutions to gain access to a broader range of scientific journals and databases. Additionally, allocate funds for expanding the library's resource pool.
- Armamentarium:** Immediate action to be taken in procuring modern dental tools and materials to support the practical training of undergraduate students.
- Extension of Clinical Hours:** Flexibility to be provided for students to work on Saturdays, during term breaks, or after theory classes to fulfill extended clinical practice requirements.

Meeting Adjournment:

The meeting concluded with a consensus on the importance of addressing the issues concerning the availability of resources in the library and armamentarium to enhance the quality of education. The committee agreed to follow up on the resolutions during the next meeting.



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Minutes of the Meeting of FEED BACK COMMITTEE (2021-2022)

Meeting Date: 12/07/2022

Venue: Conference Room, M.R. Ambedkar Dental College and Hospital

Attendees:

1. Dr. Hemalata, Principal
2. Dr. Rabindra Nayak, Vice Principal (Academics)
3. Dr. Lalith Vivekananda, Vice Principal (Hospital Administration)
4. Dr. Ila Srinivasan, Dean of PG Studies
5. Dr. Shruthi C S, Dean of UG Studies
6. Dr. Umashankar, Head of Feedback Committee
7. Dr. Pricilla David, HoD, Oral Medicine & Radiology
8. Dr. Sanober Khan, Member Coordinator
9. Dr. Pooja M, Postgraduate Representative
10. Mr. Apritim Ganguly, Undergraduate Dental Representative

Agenda:

1. Review of the current dental curriculum.
2. Discussion on the benefits of add-on courses for undergraduates.
3. Need for advanced radiographic diagnostic aids.
4. Any other business.



Meeting Proceedings:

1. **Review of the Current Dental Curriculum:** A thorough evaluation of the current curriculum was conducted by the Deans of PG and UG studies. Several areas for improvement were identified, particularly in aligning the curriculum with modern dental practices. A focus on practical, hands-on learning experiences was recommended.
2. **Benefits of Add-On Courses:** Dr. Rabindra Nayak proposed incorporating specialized add-on courses to expand the skill set of undergraduates. Areas such as dental implants, cosmetic dentistry, and endodontics were considered. All members agreed that such courses would provide students with advanced knowledge and align them with current industry trends.

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- 3. Advanced Radiographic Diagnostic Aids:** Dr. Pricilla David emphasized the need to introduce advanced radiographic diagnostic tools, such as Cone Beam Computed Tomography (CBCT). The attendees deliberated on the feasibility of integrating training for these advanced tools and acquiring necessary equipment.
- 4. Other Business:** Feedback from undergraduate students highlighted the need for more practical exposure and access to cutting-edge dental technologies.

Resolutions:

- Proposals for new add-on courses will be developed for the next academic year.
- Options for procuring advanced radiographic equipment like CBCT will be explored.
- Regular follow-up meetings will track progress on the implementation of these initiatives.

Meeting Adjournment: The meeting concluded with a consensus to proceed with the proposed initiatives aimed at enhancing the undergraduate dental curriculum and better preparing students for the challenges of modern dental practice



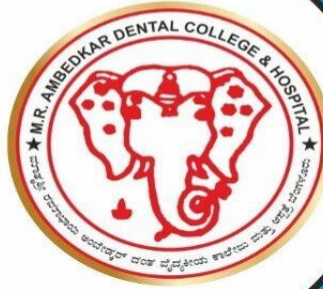
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Minutes of the Meeting of FEED BACK COMMITTEE (2020-2021)

Meeting Date: 16/07/2021

Venue: Conference Room, M.R. Ambedkar Dental College and Hospital

Attendees:

1. Dr. Hemalata, Principal
2. Dr. Rabindra Nayak, Vice Principal
3. Dr. Ila Srinivasan, Dean of PG Studies
4. Dr. Shruthi C S, Dean of UG Studies
5. Dr. Umashankar, Head of Feedback Committee
6. Dr. Vijay Kumar Jain, Head of Curriculum Development
7. Dr. Sanober Khan, Member Coordinator
8. Mr. Renika Prasad, IT Department Representative
9. Dr. Syeda Ayesha, Postgraduate Representative
10. Miss Chandana, Undergraduate Dental Representative

Agenda:

1. Review of the current dental curriculum.
2. Discussion on the benefits of online resources.
3. Any other business.



Meeting Proceedings:

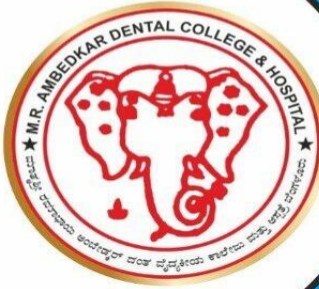
1. **Review of the Current Dental Curriculum:** The meeting began with a review of the curriculum. Key areas requiring improvement were highlighted, including a need for more integration of modern dental techniques and approaches.
2. **Benefits of Online Resources:** The committee discussed the potential advantages of integrating online resources into the curriculum, including greater flexibility for students, access to up-to-date information, and support for self-directed learning. It was agreed that online resources would enhance the learning experience and support traditional teaching methods.
3. **Other Business:** Student representatives expressed support for these initiatives and recommended forming a student advisory committee to provide ongoing feedback.

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Resolutions:

- Begin integration of online resources and virtual simulations into the dental curriculum.
- Form a student advisory committee to provide feedback and suggestions on curriculum enhancements.

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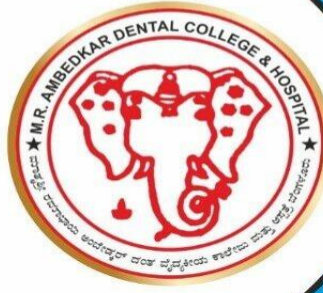
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Minutes of the Meeting: Feedback Analysis for 2019-2020

Location: Via Zoom Meeting

Date: 17/08/2020

Attendees:

1. Dr. Hemalata, Principal
2. Dr. Rabindra Nayak, Vice Principal
3. Dr. Ila Srinivasan, Dean of PG Studies
4. Dr. Shruthi C S, Dean of UG Studies
5. Dr. Umashankar, Head of Feedback Committee
6. Dr. Vijay Kumar Jain, Member, Feedback Committee

Agenda:

1. Request from students for an increase in clinical hours.
2. Need for better equipment for postgraduate students.
3. Upgradation of library facilities.
4. Any other matter.



Meeting Proceedings:

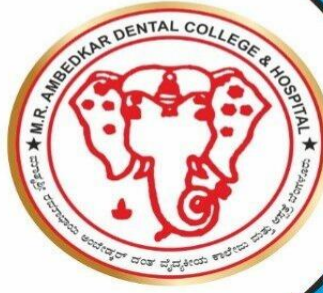
1. **Request for Increase in Clinical Hours:**
 - The meeting began with a discussion on the students' request to extend clinical hours.
 - The Dean of UG Studies presented data indicating the current clinical hours as mandated by university guidelines.
 - While acknowledging the need for increased practical exposure, concerns were raised regarding the impact on faculty workload and the availability of resources.
 - The committee agreed to conduct a detailed feasibility study to assess the possibility of increasing clinical hours without compromising other academic objectives.
2. **Better Equipment for Postgraduate Students:**
 - The current state of equipment for postgraduate students was reviewed.

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- The Dean of PG Studies highlighted specific equipment deficiencies, emphasizing the negative impact on students' learning and clinical practice.
 - The committee discussed the budgetary implications and potential funding sources for procuring new equipment.
 - A consensus was reached to prioritize key equipment upgrades that align with educational needs, and a proposal will be drafted and submitted to the administration for consideration.
3. **Upgradation of Library Facilities:**
- The committee evaluated feedback regarding the current state of the library, focusing on issues such as limited accessibility, inadequate study space, and the need for expanded digital resources.
 - Plans were discussed for the procurement of additional resource materials, and the potential expansion of the library was considered.
 - A budget estimate will be prepared for the proposed upgrades, with a focus on ensuring the improvements enhance the student learning experience.
4. **Any Other Matters:**
- No additional matters were raised during the meeting.



Resolutions Passed:

1. **Clinical Hours:** A feasibility study will be conducted to explore the possibility of increasing clinical hours for students.
2. **Postgraduate Equipment:** A proposal for upgrading equipment for postgraduate students will be drafted and submitted to the governing body for approval.
3. **Library Upgradation:** A plan for improving library facilities will be developed and acted upon, with a focus on expanding digital resources and enhancing accessibility.

Meeting Adjournment:

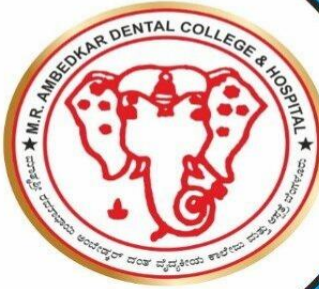
The meeting concluded with a commitment to address the issues raised and take necessary action to improve the overall academic environment for students. The next meeting will be scheduled for the following academic year.

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Minutes of the Meeting: Feedback Analysis for 2018-2019

Location: M.R. Ambedkar Dental College

Date: 06/08/2019

Attendees:

1. Dr. Hemalata, Principal
2. Dr. Rabindra Nayak, Vice Principal
3. Dr. Ila Srinivasan, Dean of PG Studies
4. Dr. Shruthi C.S., Dean of UG Studies
5. Dr. Umashankar, Head of Feedback Committee
6. Dr. Vijay Kumar Jain, Member, Feedback Committee



Agenda:

1. Students' request for enhanced exposure to current clinical practices.
2. Inclusion of advances like implantology in the curriculum.

Meeting Proceedings:

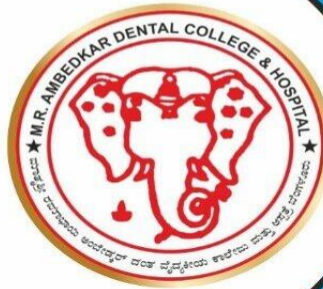
1. **Students' Request for Exposure to Current Clinical Practices:**
 - The committee began by discussing feedback from students requesting greater exposure to modern clinical practices.
 - A key point of discussion was the relevance of the current curriculum in preparing students for industry trends and modern dental practices.
 - The committee explored the importance of incorporating hands-on experience into the curriculum, emphasizing the need for clinical exposure to align students with the evolving field of dentistry.
 - The integration of guest lectures, workshops, and practical sessions focusing on recent advancements was considered.
 - Additionally, it was proposed that undergraduate students shadow and assist postgraduate students during clinical work, providing them with an opportunity to observe and learn contemporary trends in dental practice.
2. **Inclusion of Advances like Implantology:**

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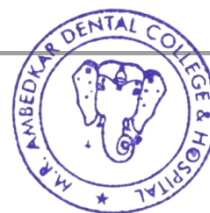
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- The second agenda item focused on the inclusion of implantology in the undergraduate curriculum.
- The committee discussed the growing demand for implantology in modern dental practice and its significance for undergraduate students.
- Concerns were raised about faculty expertise and the resources required for effective implantology training.
- After deliberation, the committee reached a consensus on the need to introduce a structured implantology module within the curriculum, ensuring students gain the necessary theoretical and practical knowledge.
- The potential need for additional resources and faculty training was noted, with a plan to gradually implement the module while maintaining high educational standards.

Resolutions Passed:



1. Exposure to Current Clinical Practices:

- Undergraduate students will have the opportunity to shadow and assist postgraduate students during clinical work to gain hands-on experience in modern dental practices.
- Guest lectures, workshops, and practical sessions focusing on recent advancements will be integrated into the curriculum.

2. Inclusion of Implantology Module:

- A structured implantology module will be developed and introduced into the undergraduate dental curriculum to provide students with the necessary skills and knowledge for future practice.

Meeting Adjournment:

The meeting concluded with a commitment to enhance clinical exposure and modernize the curriculum to better prepare students for the evolving field of dentistry.

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