National Oral Pathologist's Day: Program Report

The Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology at AMC Dental College and Hospital celebrated the 'National Oral Pathologists Day' on 25th February 2023 with great enthusiasm and fervor. This day holds special significance as it commemorates the birth anniversary of Dr. H M Dholakia, a true pioneer in the field of oral pathology, and the first postgraduate Oral Pathology teacher in India.

The celebration was marked by a series of engaging activities and competitions that brought together students, faculty, and staff to not only pay tribute to Dr. H M Dholakia but also to promote awareness about oral pathology and histology.

Rangoli Highlighting Oral Pathology and Histology: A vibrant and colorful Rangoli was created by a team of students with theme related to oral pathologies, histological structures. The Rangoli designs not only added a festive touch to the celebration but also conveyed important messages about oral health.

There were informative talks by faculty members on the significance of oral pathology in dentistry, its evolution over the years, and the contributions of Dr. H M Dholakia to the field. Students were encouraged to actively participate in discussions and ask questions to deepen their understanding.

It was followed by an interesting 1 hour competition of vegetable carving amongst the students. The students identified hidden talents in them through the competition and enjoyed the process a lot. Prize destribution to the winners concluded the event.

The 'National Oral Pathologists Day' celebration served as a reminder of the rich history of oral pathology and its continued importance in modern dentistry. To add to the spirit, a Oral Pathology theme based cake was cut at the end.

The Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology at AMC Dental College and Hospital is committed to nurturing the passion for oral pathology in its students and celebrating the legacy of pioneers like Dr. H M Dholakia. The 'National Oral Pathologists Day' celebration was a testament to this commitment, and it left a lasting impression on everyone who participated.

We look forward to continuing our efforts to promote awareness and excellence in oral pathology and microbiology in the coming years.









