**PROGRAMME REPORT**

**White Coat Ceremony**

* White Coat Ceremony is a rite of passage for medical students and was created by the Arnold P. Gold Foundation in 1993.
* During the ceremony, a white coat is placed on each student’s shoulders and often the Hippocratic Oath is recited, signifying their entrance into the medical profession.
* This year white coat ceremony was held on 25.02.21 for a short time and Hippocratic Oath was recited and white coats were distributed to all the BDS first year fresher students.
* Principal Dr. Tarun Kalra, Chairman Mr. Vikram Bhojia and senior faculty members and 1st year teaching staff was present in the ceremony.
* Then the orientation to the students was given in the respective departments in groups.

 **Orientation Programme**

* As the fear of COVID was in the minds of everybody, a zoom meeting was conducted on 20.11.2020 to make students and their parents aware of the college rules and regulations.
* A brief introduction of the college and the various subjects taught during the five-year BDS course was given by the principal of the institute Dr. Tarun Kalra.
* During this programme, various queries raised by the students and the parents were answered by the principal.

**Workshop on Patient Care**

* One day workshop was started this year for the orientation of 3rd year BDS students before entering into the clinics.
* The students were made aware of the infection control in the operatory and biomedical waste management.
* Brief introduction of the clinical procedures in different departments was done by the respective Department Faculty.
* Professional Ethics as well community programmes were briefed.
* This year, the program was organized by Dept. of Conservative Dentistry.

 **Internship Orientations**

* Orientations to the interns are done on the day of their posting in the respective departments.
* They are also counseled about their careers ahead according to their ambitions.
* Interns duty roster is made at the starting of their posting and followed strictly