



Dr. Sonali Sodhi (BDS, MDS)

Licensed dental care professional with experience in providing high-quality patient care and possesses extensive knowledge of dental treatment planning and techniques. Understands the necessity of communicating with patients and is comfortable in treating patients who suffer from dental anxiety. Possesses essential skills in behavior management and treatment of pediatric patients. Believes in keeping up to date with the latest dental techniques in order to provide the best patient care possible.

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SKILLS

- Patient education
- Patient motivation
- Treatment planning
- Dental fear and anxiety
- Collaboration and teamwork

EDUCATION AND INTERNSHIP

Master of Dental Surgery (MDS) (2018-2021)

AB Shetty Memorial Institute of dental sciences, Mangalore, Karnataka

Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry

Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) (2012-2017)

Mahatma Gandhi Mission's Dental College and Hospital, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra

Internship: Compulsory Rotary internship in 8 departments for 1 year

Community based Participatory Research and Advocacy (CBPAR) 2016-2017

Community Research Program at Pukar -accredited with Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai.

AWARDS

Consolation prize for 'Protective angle wrap' in Dental Hackathon at 41st National conference of ISPPD conducted on 7th- 9th November, 2019 at Greater Noida.

WORK EXPERIENCE AND RESIDENCY

Dental consultant specializing in pediatric and preventive dentistry
More than 1 year of consulting experience across clinics in Mumbai and Navi Mumbai

Dental Resident

A.B Shetty Memorial Institute of Dental Sciences
(May 2018- June 2021)

Treated over 250 patients aged between 6 months to 18 years of age

- Treated patients at multiple rural centers in Karnataka as a part of the post graduate training program on Sundays.
- Provided complete oral rehabilitation to children with special health care needs as a part of Nitte Special child Care centre (N -SPECC).
- Provided oral care to children with cleft lip and palate as a part of a multidisciplinary team.
- Provided complete oral rehabilitation to children under general anesthesia.

Dentist

Smile Concepts, Kharhgar, Navi Mumbai
(October 2017- March 2018)

- Carried out routine dental procedures
- Assisted in various multidisciplinary oral rehabilitation cases

WORK SKILLS

- Prenatal counseling- breastfeeding, bottle feeding, weaning
- Diet counseling and diet modifications
- Behavior management for anxious and fearful children
- Restorations, sealants
- Stainless steel and esthetic crowns for anterior and posterior teeth
- Management of early childhood caries
- Root canal treatment
- Endodontic therapy of primary and young permanent teeth
 - Pulpectomy and Pulpotomy
 - Single sitting Apexification
 - Apexogenesis
- Early identification of abnormal oral habits and its correction
- Myofunctional appliance therapy for correction of developing malocclusion.
 - Placement of miniplates and miniscrews
- Space maintenance
- Minor surgical procedures
 - Extractions
 - Management of abnormal frenal attachments
 - Management of ankyloglossia
 - Impacted mesiodens
 - Impacted Central incisor
 - Apicoectomy

WORKSHOPS & CDE PROGRAMS

- Adverse drug reactions in pediatric dental practice on 16th February 2021
- Review on anaphylaxis and drug allergy in pediatric dental clinic on 15th February 2021
- Writing thesis professionally and skillfully on 22nd July, 2020
- Non-compliant class 2 correction on 31st July 2019
- Evidence based practice on 27th January 2021
- Overview on Dental Management of child with Autism Spectrum Disorder on 25th November, 2019
- NANO JATHA lecture series, road show and exhibition on 5th December 2019
- 3D printing in Dentistry on 3rd March, 2020
- Current advances in stem cell based regenerative and cellular medicine on 14-15th December, 2019

DENTAL CAMPS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community engagement and awareness program on dental waste management with Pukar

A.B. Shetty Memorial Institute of Dental Sciences, Mangalore:

- Participated in a dental camp at St. Agnes Special School, Bendore (2018) to improvise oral health of children with special needs.
- Participated in a dental outreach program at Nehru Nagar, Someshwara (2020) to provide preventive oral care to children.
- Participated in a dental outreach program at Saaya Education Centre, Jeppina Muger, Tandolige (2020) to provide preventive oral care to children.
- Conducted School dental health programs at Vidyaratna English high school, Harekala high school and Alike, Mangalore (2018-21)

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

Published:

- Epidemiology of Traumatic Dental Injuries in Children and Adolescents--A Review.
Journal of Evolution of Medical and Dental Sciences (2021)
- Traumatic Dental Injuries
Lambert Publications (2021)
- Correction of anterior open bite and tongue thrusting using zygomatic miniplates.
Guident (2020)
- Bio medical waste management in private dental clinics in Mumbai and Navi Mumbai.
Journal of Indian Dental Association (2018)

Thesis:

Bisphenol A and Antioxidant levels in saliva prior to and after placement of resin based dental sealant in children: An in vivo study
(Article under review)
(Abstract accepted in 28th IAPD Conference 2021)

Short Study:

Attitude of parents of pediatric dental patients towards the Covid-19 pandemic and dental treatment: A Questionnaire Survey.
(Article under review)

Prototypes Built:

- Angel Wrap: A protective stabilization utilizing deep pressure tactile sensation to alleviate anxiety.
- Head and cervical support customized for a patient with hydrocephalus and special health care needs.