

FEBRUARY 2026

THE WOMEN'S CHRONICLE - RISE & LEAD

Theme: The impact of digitization in dentistry: Redefining Education, clinical

Host Institution:



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SDM
College of Dental Sciences
& Hospital



February At A Glance

4 Webinars

4 Webinar Speakers

2 In-Person Events

10 Podium Speakers

17,000+ Digital Footfalls

1,200+ Webinar Registration

750+ CE Certificates

600+ In-Person Attendees

Digital Dentistry Evolution

February 2026 highlighted Bharat Dental Show's commitment to advancing dental education through innovation-driven learning under the theme, "The Impact of Digitization in Dentistry: Redefining Education and Clinical Practice." This month featured four insightful webinars and two major in-person academic events—PROSTHONOVA

Novolase Laser Workshop 2026 at Dr. G. D. Pol Dental College and Hospital, PG Institute, and the Two-Day Advanced Workshop on Immediate Loading & 360 Implant Rehabilitation at SDM College of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Dharwad. Together, these programs empowered dental professionals with cutting-edge knowledge, hands-on clinical training, and deeper insights into the future of digital dentistry.

Bharat Dental Show 365

The World's First Women-Driven Hybrid Dental Congress & Trade Ecosystem

Bharat Dental Show 365 is a groundbreaking initiative designed to redefine dental education and trade. It is a year-round hybrid congress model, combining online learning with localized offline events—making education more accessible, affordable, and environmentally responsible.

This platform is proudly led by women dentists and healthcare professionals, placing strong emphasis on:

Women leadership in dentistry | Ethical and scientific education | Work-life balance and mental wellbeing | Long-term career sustainability

By reducing unnecessary travel and minimizing large-scale, expensive exhibitions, Bharat Dental Show promotes a sustainable event ecosystem that benefits both professionals and the planet.

It challenges traditional trade show models by offering:

- Affordable participation
- Continuous (365-day) learning opportunities
- Ethical promotion of dental products and innovations

This is not just an event—it is a movement designed to build a resilient, inclusive, and future-ready dental community.



Save the Tooth Initiative



Preserving Nature. Restoring Smiles. Building Awareness.

The Save the Tooth Initiative promotes a powerful philosophy:

The best dentistry is the one that preserves natural teeth.

In today's fast-moving clinical environment, the focus often shifts toward replacement rather than preservation. This initiative brings dentistry back to its roots by promoting:

Preventive care | Early diagnosis | Minimally invasive treatments | Patient education

Promoting Longevity in Dentistry (India)

Restoring 1 Million Smiles with Awareness and Accessibility

As a core extension of the Save the Tooth mission, Promoting Longevity in Dentistry focuses on making oral healthcare accessible to every individual, regardless of background.

With a bold vision to restore 1 million smiles, this initiative works across India to:

- Provide affordable or free dental treatments
- Conduct dental awareness campaigns in regional and local languages
- Simplify oral health education for the general population

Through:

- Community dental camps
- Online awareness videos
- Grassroots engagement

The initiative encourages one simple yet powerful habit:

Visit a dentist every 6 months

By communicating in local languages and culturally relevant formats, it breaks barriers, builds trust, and ensures that oral health becomes a priority for every family.

Together, these efforts create a strong foundation for **preventive, ethical, and sustainable dentistry**, improving both individual health and community wellbeing.

Dentist Channel Online (DCO)

The Global Media, Branding and Marketing Engine of Dentistry

Dentist Channel Online is the digital backbone of this ecosystem, connecting over 120,000+ dental professionals worldwide.

DCO enables:

- Continuous dental education through webinars and digital content
- Ethical branding and promotion for dentists and dental companies
- Global visibility and professional networking
- Digital transformation of dental practices

With a presence across India, the Middle East, and Europe, USA, DCO ensures that knowledge, innovation, and opportunities reach the right audience.

It serves as the voice of modern dentistry, combining media, technology, and strategy to support long-term growth.

How DentistChannel Online Powers Bharat Dental Show (BDS)

DentistChannel Online (DCO) is the driving force behind the growth, reach, and impact of the Bharat Dental Show (BDS)—creating a powerful digital ecosystem that connects, educates, and promotes dental professionals globally.

Unmatched Global Reach & Visibility

- 120,000+ Dental Professionals connected across social media platforms
- 30,000+ Registered Website Users actively engaged in the ecosystem
- 25,000+ Monthly Website Visitors, ensuring continuous exposure
- High-Quality Dental Audience—focused and verified dental professionals
- Strong Community & Communication Network
- 50+ Active WhatsApp Groups connecting dentists across regions
- A Dedicated Dentistchannel WhatsApp Channels for instant updates, promotions, and engagement
- Direct access to a highly responsive and niche dental community
- Education, Credibility & Continuous Growth
- 60,000+ CDE Certificates Issued to dental professionals globally
- Continuous webinars, academic sessions, and training programs
- Supporting all BDS events with structured education + certification pathways

The Guiding Light



Dr. Sabita M Ram

Professor Emeritus at MGM Dental College, Navi Mumbai, with 50+ years in dentistry. Former Dean, researcher, author, and PhD guide. First woman President of IPS, national award-ee, and a respected academic leader and speaker.



Dr. Vijailakshmi Acharya

Senior dental surgeon with 30+ years of experience in implantology and advanced dentistry. Founder of Acharya Dental and Acharya Foundation, Chennai, she is a global-trained clinician, educator, and mentor.

Visionary Advisor



Dr. Kavita Pol

Director of Dr. G D Pol Dental College and Hospital, PG Institute, a leading institution in dental education. A distinguished Periodontist and Professor, she has steered the college toward NAAC accreditation and DCI recognition. Her visionary leadership has played a key role in shaping the institute into a centre of excellence in education, research, and student development.

Luminary



Dr. Vibha Hegde

Dean faculty, Member Academic council, senate member of the prestigious MUHS(NASIK) Ex- president of IACDE at MUHS and Professor & Head, Department of Conservative Dentistry at Dr. G D Pol Dental College & Hospital. A respected academic leader, she has earned numerous accolades and recognition for her outstanding contributions to dentistry

ORGANIZING CHAIRPERSON – Icon Of Influence



Dr. Saloni Mehta Mistry

Senior prosthodontist with 26+ years of academic and clinical experience. Professor and Head at Dr. G D Pol Dental College and Hospital, PG Institute, Navi Mumbai. PG guide, IPS leader, award-winning academician, patent holder, researcher, and national keynote speaker.



Dr. Manali Mehta

Gold-medalist maxillofacial prosthodontist with 20+ years of clinical and academic experience. Consultant at Apollo Hospitals, she specializes in implantology, full-mouth rehabilitation, 3D-printed prostheses, and aesthetic dentistry.

ORGANIZING SECRETARY – The Master Connector

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Join us in this learning curve...

In-Person Events

Host Institution: Dr. G. D. Pol Dental College and Hospital, PG Institute, and SDM College of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Dharwad



The Department of Prosthodontics at Dr. G. D. Pol Dental College and Hospital, PG Institute, and SDM College of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Dharwad, successfully organized two academic programs in collaboration with Bharat Dental Show, promoting advanced learning in prosthodontics and implantology.

As part of Prosthonova 2026, the Novolase Laser Workshop was conducted on 26th February 2026 at Dr. G. D. Pol Dental College and Hospital, PG Institute, under the leadership of Dr. Saloni Mistry, with coordination by Dr. Shiney Shukla and Dr. Divya Sawant. The workshop witnessed participation from 212 delegates and featured expert sessions on laser technology in modern dentistry, followed by hands-on training and live patient demonstrations.

Further advancing implant education, the Department of Prosthodontics at SDM College of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Dharwad, conducted a Two-Day Advanced Workshop on Immediate Loading & 360 Implant Rehabilitation on 26th & 27th March 2026 in collaboration with Quick-Dent Dental Implant System and Bharat Dental Show. The program included expert lectures on immediate loading principles, full-arch rehabilitation, digital guided workflows, and hands-on implant placement training, along with virtual implant planning using QuickDent Implant Studio.

Both programs were highly informative and provided participants with valuable theoretical knowledge and practical clinical exposure in advanced dental procedures.

In-Person Events

Venue: SDM College of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Dharwad

Two Days Advanced Workshop on Immediate Loading & 360 Implant Rehabilitation



Dr. Mayur Khairnar

Dr. Mayur Khairnar delivered a lecture on “Load Distribution in Full Arch Rehabilitation and Biological Considerations for Immediate Function,” highlighting bio mechanical principles, treatment planning, and cortical anchorage for immediate loading, followed by a practical demonstration of bicortical, conventional, pterygoid, and zygomatic implant placement techniques.



Dr. Saloni Mehta Mistry

Dr. Saloni Mehta Mistry delivered a comprehensive lecture on “Digital vs Analog Impressions and Implant Occlusion Principles,” focusing on modern impression techniques and their impact on prosthetic accuracy. Her session provided valuable insights into occlusal concepts critical for long-term implant success in full-mouth rehabilitation cases.



Dr. Rameez

Dr. Rameez conducted an informative lecture on “QuickDent Guided Surgery Software and Design Concepts,” introducing participants to digital workflows in implant dentistry. He further supervised the hands-on training in virtual implant planning and surgical guide fabrication, enabling delegates to gain practical experience with digital implant software applications.



In-Person Events

Venue: Dr. G. D. Pol Dental College and Hospital, PG Institute

PROSTHONOVA Novolase Laser Workshop 2026



Dr. Mohini Dautlani delivered an insightful lecture on the fundamentals of laser dentistry, emphasizing the principles, advantages, and clinical applications of lasers in periodontal and implant procedures



Dr. Jnanasree Bhat presented on advanced laser techniques in restorative and aesthetic dentistry, highlighting practical approaches for soft tissue management, lesion treatment, and tooth whitening procedures.

Both sessions provided delegates with valuable knowledge on integrating laser technology into modern dental practice, combining scientific understanding with real-world clinical relevance.

Monthly Online Webinars

Weekly webinars every Wednesday, led by distinguished women leaders in dentistry.

Webinar 1

4th February 2026



Building a Digital Identity

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Recorded Webinar



Speaker: Dr Arpita Khanna
Hosted by: Dr. Medha Ganesh Naik
& Dr Anusha Patil

<https://tinyurl.com/vw7rjmky>

Webinar 2

11th February 2026



**The Digital Co Pilot: How AI is
redefining the standard of
Oral Healthcare**

Watch
Recorded Webinar



Speaker: Dr Veena Benakatti
Hosted by: Dr. Lata S Mushannavar
& Dr. Deepali Dongre

<https://tinyurl.com/3snv7wxu>

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Webinar 3

18th February 2026



Click, Smile, Scan: The Digital Era

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Recorded Webinar



<https://tinyurl.com/4hssf76>

Speaker: Dr. Gouri V Anehosur
Hosted by: Dr. Nivedita Mankani
& Dr. Shubha Deshpande

Webinar 4

25th February 2026



Microscope Assisted Dentistry

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Recorded Webinar



<https://tinyurl.com/ym9mc4c9>

Speaker: Dr. Namita Singh
Hosted by: Dr. Anulekha C.K
& Dr. Jayanti M. Hegde

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BDS Membership Benefits

- **Premium Academic Access**

Attend exclusive BDS webinars, academic sessions, and offline events with recognized CDE certificates.

- **Sustainable Personal Brand Building**

Get exclusive access to the Save The Tooth platform with expert guidance to build your personal brand, enhance visibility, and grow globally.

- **Strong Professional Network**

Become part of a national network of inspiring women dental professionals and leaders.

- **Shape the Future of Dentistry**

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- **Supportive Community**

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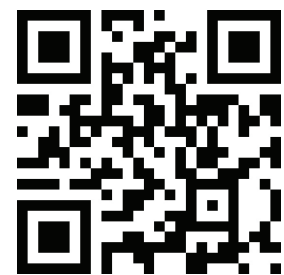
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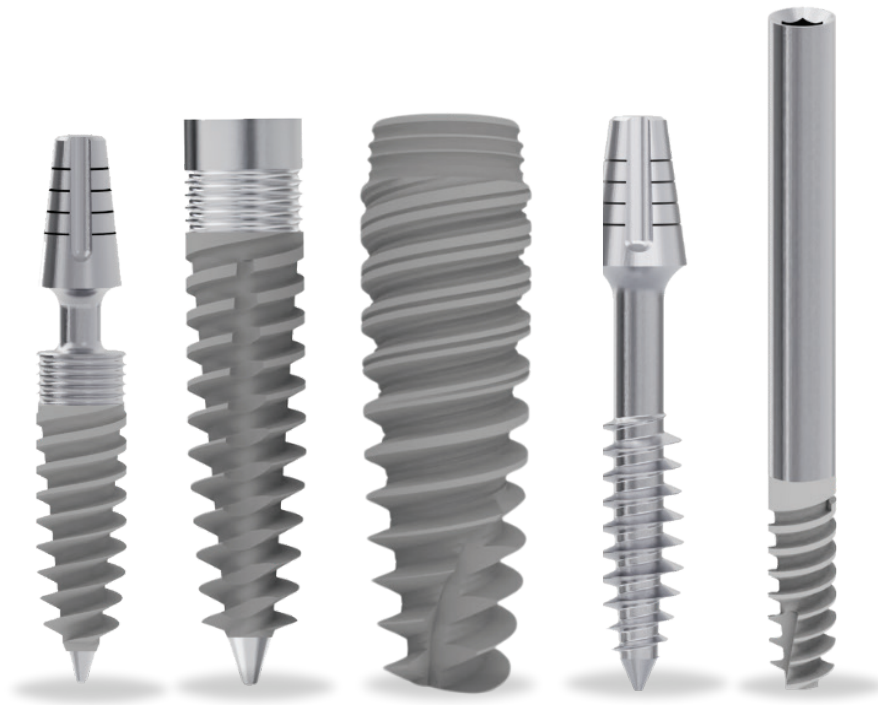
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