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ISPPD World Oral Health Day Celebration Contest (2026)

Organized by: Indian Society of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry (ISPPD)

Dates: 20th March – 20th April 2026

Objective: Raise public awareness about oral health among children and teenagers, promote preventive dental care, and encourage community participation.

General guidelines:

1. Activity should strictly adhere to our theme, “Children Oral health Activity”.
2. Location of the activity (Photos/videos of the activity) should be geotagged for authenticity.
3. The activity shall be considered individually if done in other location or at different time. Ex, a school camp conducted in two different schools shall be marked as 2 separate activities, if even done on the same day; And 2 different activities done on same day and at same location shall be considered as 2 separate activities.
4. The celebration of this contest should be minimum of 7 days to maximum of 30 days, strictly falling between **20th March to 20th April 2026**. Activity done on any other dates shall not be considered.
5. **All photos, videos, reports, and links** must be submitted to: **secretary@isppd.org.in** by **30th April 2026**.
6. Label all files clearly with **activity type, date, and location**.
7. **For any help or clarification, please feel free to contact the Coordinators, Dr Shilpi Tiwari (9770473600) / Dr Vipin Ahuja (7209901113), or by email at secretary@isppd.org.in.**

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Tabular format for activities (Description of activities is given below):

S.N	Activities
1	Oral Screening and Preventive Dental Care for Children in Government and Private schools of the region
2	Oral Screening and Preventive Dental Care for Children with Special Needs in Special Schools of the region
3	Mobile Dental Camps / Rural Outreach
4	Oral Health Ambassador Program in Schools
5	Parent-Child Oral Health Sessions
6	Interactive Workshops / Demonstrations
7	Awareness Talks / Interviews
8	Oral Health Articles in Media
9	Public Display / Posters / Banners
10	Teachers training program regarding oral health in children
11	Any other

1- Oral Screening and Preventive Dental Care for Children in Government and Private schools of the region:

Activity:

Oral health screening and Preventive dental care for children

Reporting Criteria:

Name of school, date, number of children screened , number of children preventive care provided key findings, referrals made, and photographs(geotagged)

2. Oral Screening and Preventive Dental Care for Children with Special Needs in Special Schools:

Activity:

Oral health screening and Preventive dental care for children with special health care needs conducted in special schools.



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Reporting Criteria:

Name of school, date, number of children screened , number of children preventive care provided key findings, referrals made, and photographs(geotagged)

3. Mobile Dental Camps / Rural Outreach

- **Activity:** Take dental screenings, awareness sessions , Preventive dental care to rural areas using **mobile dental vans**.
- **Reporting Criteria:**
 - Locations covered and number of children screened, number of children Preventive dental care provided number awareness sessions conducted
 - Photos/videos of the camp.(geotagged)

Brief report highlighting key outcomes

4. Oral Health Ambassador Program in Schools

- **Activity:** Identify students as “**Oral Health Ambassadors**” to educate peers and organize mini-awareness activities.
- **Reporting Criteria:**
 - List of schools and ambassadors.
 - Activities conducted by ambassadors (photos/videos).
 - Summary of outcomes or impact.

5. Parent-Child Oral Health Sessions

- **Activity:** Conduct Interactive sessions for parents and children on nutrition, **diet, sugar intake**, preventive dentistry, and oral hygiene. (**One to one or group**)
- **Reporting Criteria:**
- Number of one to one counselling sessions / No. of group sessions
- Venue, date, and number of participants
 - Photos/videos.(Geotagged)
 - Summary of topics covered and feedback received.



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6. Interactive Workshops / Demonstrations

- **Activity:** Conduct **hands-on workshops** for children on brushing, flossing, and oral hygiene techniques. Use toys or dental mannequins for demonstration.
- **Reporting Criteria:**
 - Date, venue, and number of participants.
 - Photos/videos of sessions.
 - Summary of learning points.

7. Awareness Talks / Interviews :

- **Activity:** Organize awareness sessions or interviews on **radio, TV, or online platforms**.
- **Reporting Criteria:**
 - Platform/channel name, date, and duration.
 - Video/audio recordings or links.
 - Summary of key messages delivered.

8. Oral Health Articles in Media

- **Activity:** Publish awareness articles in **newspapers or online portals**.
- **Reporting Criteria:**
 - Publication name, date, and circulation.
 - Scanned copy or screenshot of article.
 - Summary of key points addressed.

9. Public Display / Posters / Banners

- **Activity:** Display banners, posters, or hoardings at **public places** (parks, malls, bus stops).
- **Reporting Criteria:**
 - Location, date, and number of displays.
 - Photos of the display.(geotagged)
 - Summary of key messages delivered.
 - Brief note on theme/message.



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10- Teachers training program regarding oral health in children:

- **Activity:** Organize awareness sessions or interviews for school teachers either in offline or online mode with discussion of their queries.
- **Reporting Criteria:**
 - Platform/channel name, date, and duration.
 - Video/audio recordings or links.

11. Any other :



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