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Message from  
President

**Dr. K. Sri Krishna**

Dear Esteemed Members,

At the outset, I wish to extend my heartfelt congratulations to the organizing team of the 23rd National IAOMR PG convention, Bangkok, Thailand. This being the first international event of IAOMR, I applaud the efforts to everyone who contributed towards its success. The scientific deliberations and academic exchanges made it a truly remarkable event.

The forthcoming 36th National Conference of IAOMR is scheduled to be held in Navi Mumbai this November. I sincerely wish that all the OMR fraternity and students will register in large numbers and contribute towards the success of this conference.

It is also heartening to see the enthusiastic participation of IAOMR members in the IAOMR Times Puzzle Competition. I congratulate all the winners and look forward to your continued support and active involvement in the future.

Wishing you all success and growth in every endeavor. Jai Hind  
Best Regards



Message from  
General Secretary

**Dr. Shiva  
Prasad S.**

Dear IAOMR Members,

It has been a wonderful journey of IAOMR TIMES, Well having brought out as a newsletter to highlight the year long activities under the banner of IAOMR. The task of compelling the activities has been handed over to Editor in chief of our academy Journal. We The EC members whole heartedly thank Dr. Manisha for her timely work.

The Triple O symposium at Guntur and National PG 2025 as an international Event will be remembered for many years to come. Thank you Dr Samatha, Dr Ramamurthy, Dr Shivu ME and all the team members. Special thanks to Dr Sunil Chiplunkar for all the help rendered during the webinar.

Our academy needed a constitution with changing times and with Digital age. Not any major changes were done but loopholes have been plugged.

Rest In Next

Best Regards



Message from  
Editor-in-Chief :

**Dr. Manisha M.  
Khorate**

Dear IAOMR Members,

It gives me great pleasure to present this issue of IAOMR Times. As always, our aim is to keep you informed, inspired and connected through the updates of various activities. We are excited to share that starting this year, the December issue of IAOMR Times will feature a special column dedicated to patents. This initiative is aimed at recognizing and celebrating the innovative contributions of our members to the field of Oral Medicine and Radiology.

To be featured in this column, we kindly request all IAOMR members to send us the following details at [iaomrtimes@gmail.com](mailto:iaomrtimes@gmail.com) :

•A recent passport-size photograph

•A picture of the patent

•Patent number and Brief details of the patent

Your contribution will help us showcase the creativity and scientific spirit of our fraternity. Looking forward to celebrating the achievements of our members in the upcoming December issue!

Best regards

## Upcoming Events of IAOMR



**Date: 21<sup>st</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2025**

**Host : D Y Patil Deemed to be University, School of Dentistry,  
Nerul, Navi Mumbai**



National Conference of  
**INDIAN ACADEMY OF ORAL  
MEDICINE & RADIOLOGY**

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Conference Registration via UPI

Merchant Name:- IAOMR 36<sup>th</sup> National Conference,  
Navi Mumbai



@36NATIONALIAOMRCONFERENCE

**Theme - Perception to Perfection :**  
**Innovating a new era in Oral Medicine and Radiology**





## RECENT SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES OF IAOMR

### 1<sup>st</sup> international and 23<sup>rd</sup> National IAOMR PG Convention Thailand

The 1st International and 23rd National IAOMR Post Graduate Convention 2025 with the theme - "Looking Beyond Boundaries" was successfully conducted between 9th to 12th July 2025 at Bangkok, Thailand. It started with the Organizing team led by Dr. Rama Murthy, Organizing Chairperson, Dr. Shivu, Organizing Secretary, Registration Committee Incharge, Dr. Naveen, Hospitality Incharge, Dr. Raghunand Sindhe meeting and inviting the Dean of Chulalongkorn University in person to be the Chief Guest for the Inaugural Ceremony on the 07th July 2025. Meteculoius planning and working on 08th July. On the 9th of July the event started with the first key note address by Dr. Akash Gajanan followed by the Inauguration Ceremony.

The Chief Guest and our Chief Mentor Dr. Nagesh were Felicitated. Thai Cultural dance performance was witnessed by the delegates followed by the Toast Master Mr. Fursey presenting a brief talk. The program continued with two more key note lectures by Dr. Thaviporn from Thammasat University and Dr. Isha from IIHMR. The day ended with a sumptuous Gala Dinner. The 10th of July started with Scientific paper presentations from Faculty and Post Graduate students. There were workshops on AI and Interactive session from Dr. Sunil Chiplunkar speak on Industry Academia Collaboration and Translation medicine with focus on Communication Skills which benefitted the Faculty and Student Delegates.



The day ended with Valedictory and Felicitation of the President of IAOMR Dr. Sri Krishna. The delegates after a tiring day of scientific sessions indulged in some recreation for which a Gala Banquet was hosted on the Chao Praya River Cruise with some fun and frolic. Fellowship and dinner followed. The following day (11th July) had to start early as Water activities were planned at Coral Island, Pattaya.

The Fourth day (12th of July) of the trip included some local sightseeing to the Big Buddha and visit to the Gem factory. The entire organizing team would like to thank the Chief Patron Dr. Nagesh K S, Chief Advisor Dr. C V Mohan and Dr. Ganapathy who mentored and guided the entire team. This entire event was well appreciated and received applause and accolades from Senior faculty members, student delegates and their family members.

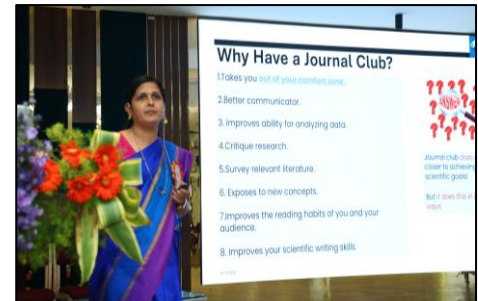


**RECENT SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES UNDER THE AEGIS OF IAOMR**
**Post Graduate Orientation Program at Oral medicine and Radiology Dept. at Al-Badar Dental College & Hospital**


The Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology, Al-Badar Dental College & Hospital, in association with the Indian Academy of Oral Medicine & Radiology (IAOMR), successfully organised the Post Graduate Orientation Program – 2025 on 15th September 2025 at the college auditorium.

The theme of the program was “Shaping Future Specialists with Knowledge, Skills & Vision”. The event aimed to welcome and guide the incoming postgraduate batch (2025–2028) into their academic journey.

The sessions covered diverse aspects including Orientation to PG Curriculum by Dr. Praveen Bankur, Art of Synopsis Writing by Prof. Dr. Syeda Arshiya Ara, Seminar Preparation and Presentation by Prof. Dr. Rahul Halkai, Journal Club – An Overview by Dr. Kiran Halkai and Coping with Academic Stress by Dr. Prasad Konda. The program concluded with the formal inauguration, welcome, and introduction of postgraduates. The interactive sessions were well-received and provided



valuable insights into academic and research preparedness.

Chief Patron Dr. M.A. Mujeeb (Chairman), Patron Dr. Syed Zakauallah (Principal/Dean), and Dr. Arshad Hussain (Vice Principal) appreciated the efforts of the organising team led by Prof. Dr. Syeda Arshiya Ara, Organising Chairman and Head, Dept. of Oral Medicine & Radiology.

The event was marked by enthusiastic participation, setting a strong foundation for the academic journey of the new batch.

**3<sup>rd</sup> IAOMR Executive Committee Meeting - 2025**


3<sup>rd</sup> IAOMR Executive Committee Meeting for the year 2025 was held at Hyderabad on 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025.



## RECENT SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES UNDER THE AEGIS OF IAOMR

### Textbook Release at Al Badar Dental College & Hospital



A significant academic milestone was marked at Al-Badar Dental College & Hospital with the release of the textbook “Futuristic Trends in Medical Sciences”, authored and edited by Prof. Dr. Syeda Arshiya Ara along with the Postgraduate Alumni of the Department of Oral Medicine & Radiology.

The book was formally released by Dr. M.A. Mujeeb, Chairman, Dr. Syed Zakauallah, Principal/Dean, and Dr. Arshad Hussain, Vice Principal of ARDCH and Editor Prof. Dr. Syeda Arshiya Ara Published by Iterative Publishers.

This work reflects collaborative scholarship and forward-looking perspectives in medical sciences on occasion of Post Graduate Orientation Program 2025 Organised in Association with Indian Academy of Oral Medicine and Radiology.

### Blood Donation Camp at GDC Goa

The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, Goa Dental College and Hospital, Bambolim, in association with the IAOMR, organized a blood donation camp in collaboration with the Blood Bank, Goa Medical College.

The initiative was spearheaded by Dr. Manisha, who not only took the lead in organizing the event but also set an inspiring example by being the first donor of the day, motivating others to follow. Thanks to this collective spirit, the camp successfully collected 34 units of blood—a valuable contribution to saving lives.

The event witnessed wholehearted participation from the faculty, residents, staff, students, and even the security personnel of GDC Goa. Special appreciation goes to the Oral Medicine and Radiology team—Dr. Prachi, Dr. Jayraj, Dr. Medhana, Dr. Kashyap, and Dr. Adhersh—for their enthusiastic volunteering which played a key role in making the camp a grand success.

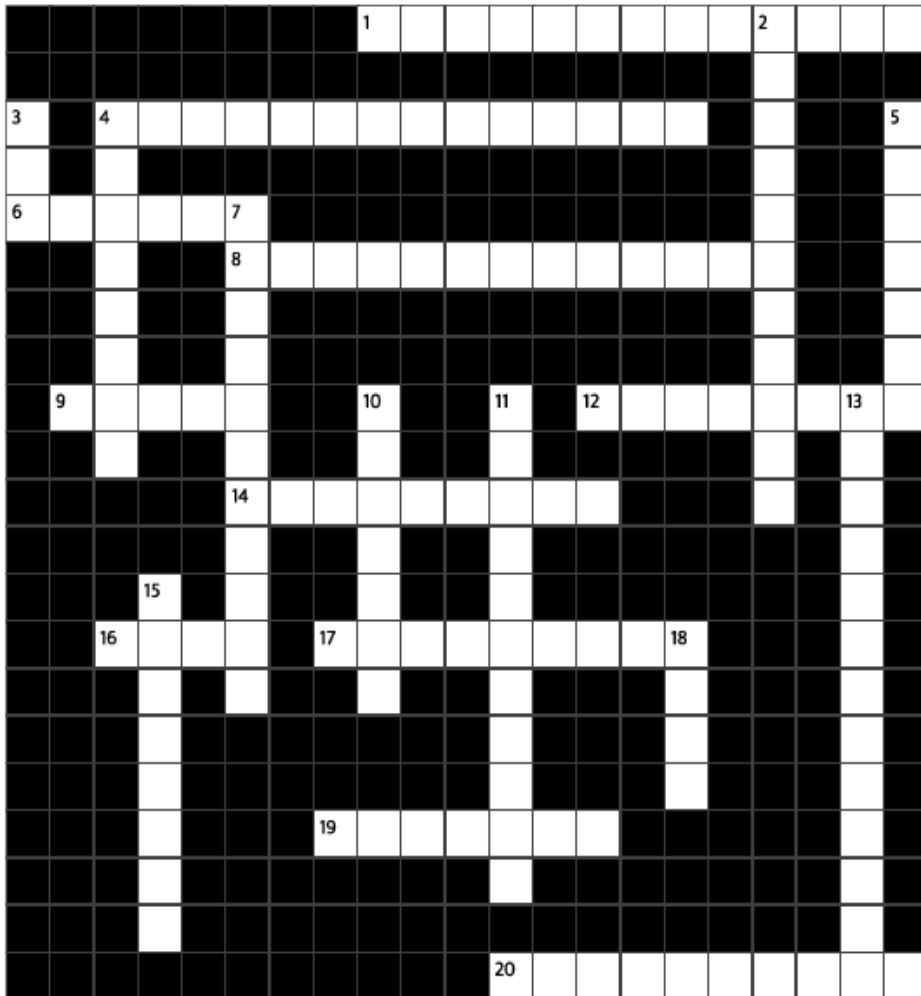
The event also saw active participation from teaching faculty, non-teaching staff, students and even security personnel of GDC Goa, all of whom came forward to donate blood. Officials from the Blood Bank, Goa Medical College, expressed gratitude to the organizers and participants. With this successful initiative, the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology reaffirmed its commitment not only to academics and clinical care but also to serving the community through meaningful outreach programs.



## Knowledge Grid

## Crossword Puzzle

Touch or click on any puzzle to open it directly in your browser and start playing. Prefer the traditional way? You can also print and solve the puzzles at your convenience. For our enthusiastic solvers, we invite you to share your completed entries with us at [iaomrtimes@gmail.com](mailto:iaomrtimes@gmail.com) **Touch to open and solve**



### across

- 1 Rare malignant salivary tumor with cribriform "Swiss cheese" pattern
- 4 Malignant tumor of minor salivary glands with high-grade mucoid and epidermoid cells
- 6 Lubricating glycoproteins of saliva, crucial in pellicle formation
- 8 Radiation interaction where incident photon is completely absorbed, crucial for image contrast
- 9 X-ray tube component that converts kinetic energy of electrons into photons.
- 12 Material used for X-ray tube target in dental radiography
- 14 Radiographic appearance of thalassemia
- 16 Circular artifact seen on CT/CBCT when a detector element misbehaves or calibration is off.
- 17 most common obstructive pathology of submandibular gland
- 19 beamhardening type artefact in cbct
- 20 smallest paired salivary gland

### down

- 2 "string of sausages"
- 3 Oral cancer staging system used worldwide
- 4 X-ray artifact due to attenuation differences between adjacent structures of varying density.
- 5 Radiation interaction producing scatter radiation and image fog
- 7 Device in X-ray tube that prevents electron cloud expansion at filament.
- 10 Most radiosensitive salivary gland, often affected in head and neck radiotherapy.
- 11 Benign mixed salivary gland tumor, most common in parotid
- 13 Oral premalignant lesion with highest malignant transformation risk
- 15 Method of detecting early oral cancer lesions by chemiluminescent light
- 18 Effect describing reduction of X-ray intensity at anode side of tube

## Crossword Puzzle WINNERS !

The winners of Crossword puzzle in the previous issue are:

1. Dr. Pratiksha Keny
2. Dr. Rangasamudram Anitha

Congratulations to all the winners!!



## 2nd International Congress on Dental Oncology & Research (ICDOR 2025) Successfully Concluded at Pacific Dental College, Udaipur

The 2nd International Congress on Dental Oncology & Research (ICDOR 2025) was held on 6th-7th September 2025 at Pacific Dental College & Hospital, Udaipur, underlining significant advances in dental oncology and research.

The conference saw 256+ offline and 100+ online registrations, with contributions from 50 national speakers and international experts from Bangladesh, Philippines, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka. Scientific sessions included 50 poster presentations, 5 paper presentations and an elocution competition with 25 participants.

The event was supported by IDA, IAOMR, AOMSI and the Pain and Palliative Care Society. Chief Guests included Dr. Abhishek Singh (Joint Secretary, DCI) and Dr. A.K. Gupta (Senior Professor & Former Principal, RNT Medical College) along with other dignitaries who graced the occasion.

The Organizing Committee expressed gratitude to all contributors for making ICDOR 2025 a resounding success and reaffirmed its commitment to advancing dental oncology research.



### Knowledge Grid

### Diagnostic Challenge Touch to open and solve

#### Diagnostic Challenge WINNERS

for the previous IAOMR issue

1. Dr. Anitha Reddy
2. Dr. Vijayalaxmi



### Diagnostic Challenge

Tap / Touch to open and solve

Middle aged Female with buccal mucosa and tongue lesions.



CASE 01



CASE 02

### Answers to Previous Issue

#### Spot Diagnosis

- Case 01 – Verrucous Carcinoma  
Case 02 – Lichenoid changes  
(Bilateral white plaques)