

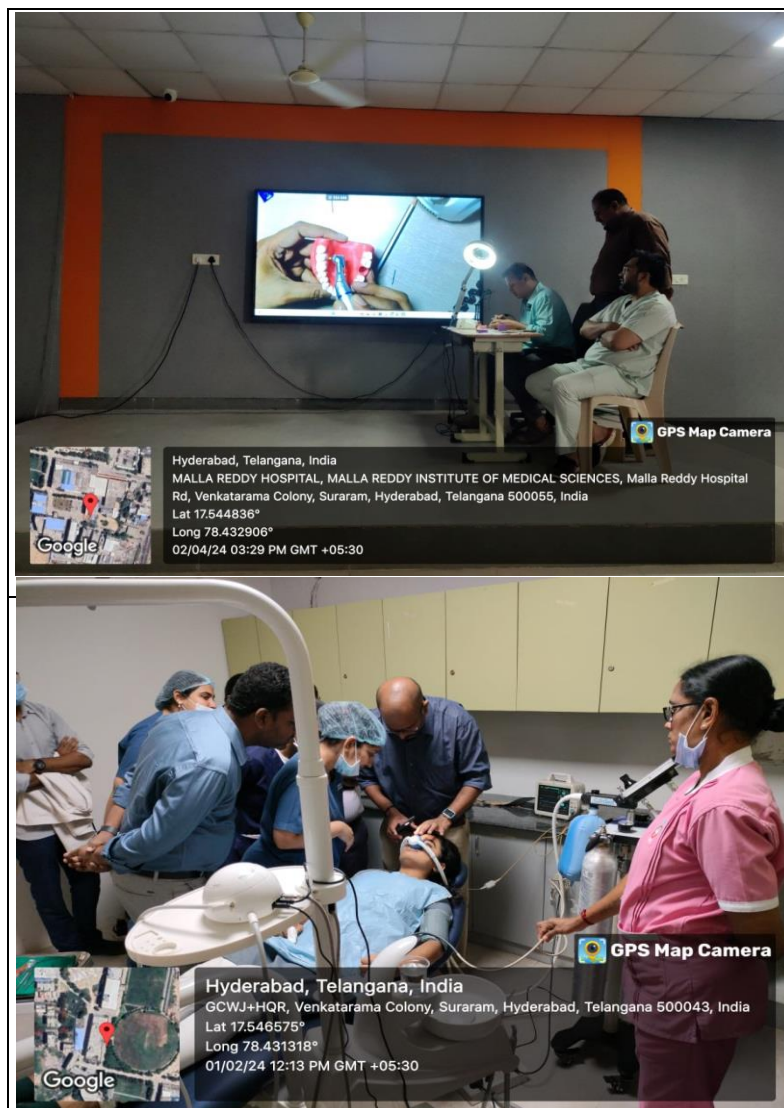
## M-ORAL HEALTH (MALLAREDDY ORAL HEALTH AND OUTREACH ACTIVITIES)



MRIDS is part of Malla Reddy Health City, located in suraram, north part of Hyderabad City close to the industrial area of jeedimetla and is located on the highway to Medak. The north part of Hyderabad is also a hub for educational institutions. Malla Reddy Health City has become a destination for health care for the surrounding Districts of Medak, Sangareddy, Medchal, Siddipet and Hyderabad. However, affordability and awareness among the general public and students for dental care is poor. MRIDS Public health department is actively involved in Dental Screening and Treatment Camps, Speciality camps, Camps in rural and tribal areas, schools, Community based oral health education, ambulatory oral health screening and services to the needy. Institution has also launched a Dental Health Card in 2023, with the aim of providing comprehensive oral health care to the community.

Increased patient inflow to the dental OPD seeking dental treatment over these years, increased awareness on oral hygiene practices among individuals of the community, increased requests from various NGO's, schools and voluntary organizations for conduction of oral screening camps also serves as an evidence of success and increased enrollment of patients for dental health card serves as the evidence of success for this program.

## GENERAL DENTAL PRACTICE (GDP) TRAINING PROGRAM



Aimed at bridging the gap between obtaining a dental degree and entering private dental practice MRIDS is providing beyond the curriculum training to interns which includes, In-house dental training modules in various aspects relevant to private practice, Collaborating with the industry in increasing the exposure to contemporary dental practice, Developing clinical proficiency of interns in various dental procedures including diagnostics, preventive care, restorations, Endodontics, Periodontics, and oral surgery nurturing lifelong learning and professional development.

Improved confidence among the Interns to take up routine dental procedures and be able to perform without supervision is a strong evidence of success for this program. The passing graduates are able to undertake general dental practice confidently. The modules have provided great inputs and hands-on experience from experts. Also graduates will adhere to ethical standards and demonstrate professionalism in their interactions with patients, colleagues, and the community.