

DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTOLOGY

FIELD VISIT- VINAYAGA DENTAL LAB

INTRODUCTION

On 19th October 2023, four periodontology postgraduate students with our department head went for a field trip to Vinayaga Dental Lab in Chennai.

TRIP OBJECTIVE

The objective of the field trip was to get oriented to the complete digital workflow of dental prosthesis

FIELD OBSERVATION

We had a guided tour by the head, Mr. Suresh who took us through the registration process followed by the facility tour for 3 hours. The tour consisted of experiencing the latest technologies such as CAD CAM, 3D milling, 3D scanners, and printers. We were allowed to have an exclusive Hands-on experience in 3D designing. During the tour, we had the privilege to jot down notes and interact with the technicians. The conduciveness of the environment at the lab helped us to learn more about product design, manufacturing, and logistics. This field visit was helpful in understanding and appreciating the laboratory aspect of the clinical side of our specialty.

CONCLUSION

The trip was successful and we believe that our objective was achieved. The learning experience was new and beneficial for all of us. We recommend this trip to our fellow students to improve their knowledge and awareness regarding the same in the future.

