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Nature of Event (Workshop, Guest Lecture, Addon Course, Seminar, etc.)	Student Activity			
Name of Department	Microbiology			
Faculty Incharge	Ms. Arina Frank			
Stratum of Event (College, State, Regional, National)	International			
Title of Event	Maintaining Oral Heaalth Care			
Venue	Online			
Resource Person details	Dr. Fhelen da Costa of the Department of Public Health Dentistry, Goa College of Dentistry, Goa and Professor Pascal Pinto, Royal London Dental School,London			
Objective/ Scope of Event	To create awareness of existing dental issues and prophylaxis for oral health care			
Particulars of Event	Held on: 19 March 2022 at 12:30 pm.			
	The webinar began after a few encouraging words by our very own respected Principal, Professor Blanche Mascarenhas. The convenor of the Health club, Ms Arina Frank pointed out that the college was commemorating the International Oral health day as well as celebrating 75 years of India's independence through this public awareness program. Professor Fhelen da Costa delivered an interesting insight on the anatomy of our teeth and the serious dangers we face when we refute regular dentist appointments. The professor also shed a light on the sensitive teeth, receding of the gums and thinning enamel. Finally, the presentation shed information on choice of toothbrush's bristles. Professor Pascal Pinto from Royal London Dental School then succeeded with an eye-opening presentation on the perils of oral cancer and dangers facing us as when we neglect oral health care. The professor even touched on the area of Cosmetology and its various many applications in the field of Dentistry. The seminar had a question answer session followed by the vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Rachael D'souza			
Outcome of Event	Participants understood importance of healthy teeth and gums			

