

VISHNU DENTAL COLLEGE :: VISHNUPUR, BHIMAVARAM

Examinations Reforms

I. Examination Procedures: Internal examinations are conducted by internal assessment committee by through coordination with college curriculum committee. There will be three IA examinations which will be conducted in an academic year based on an academic calendar discussed and prepared by the curriculum committee, question paper setting(2 sets), nomination of Invigilators in a rotation manner , scrutinising of answer scripts and sending the marks and attendance report to the parents.

II.Processes integrating IT: • Internal Assessment Committee implements guidelines to prepare the question papers, marks evaluation and results, student performance marks sheet will be asked after every internal assessment to be mailed to internalassessment@vdc.edu.in and also the retest marks will be attached along with it. • To maintain transparency 2 sets of question papers are asked from all the departments to send to the IA mail I'd and IA committee convener selects one set of question paper and sends it to the particular department on the day of the examination • Two mock exams will be conducted before the final IA apart from this periodic tests are also conducted

III.Continuous Internal Assessment System: IA committee plans all the three assessments for students. In this process continuous assessment is an important component in academics which encourages the students to work systematically throughout the year according to the academic calendar prepared. IA committee maintains the transparency in conducting examinations which will enhance confidence students.

Measures to be taken to ensure transparency and robust internal assessment: Continuous assessment is an important component in academics which encourages the students to work systematically throughout the year. Hence maintaining the transparency in conducting examinations will enhance the morale of the students. Measures to be taken to ensure transparency and robust internal assessment:

- The 3 internal assessment examinations will be scheduled according to the university and planned at the convenience of the academic calendar.
- Every department will prepare set of two question papers out of which one paper will be selected by the convener of internal assessment committee to avoid bias.
- The convener of the internal assessment committee collects the question papers of the respective departments and maintains the confidentiality by personally taking the Xerox copies.
- Single copy of all the question papers for all the academic years will be preserved in a file and maintained by the convener of IAC.
- All the examinations will be conducted in hall which is under a strict surveillance by the faculty members as well as by the close circuit cameras and signal jammers.

- The sealed envelope containing question papers will be opened in front of the convener of the internal assessment committee just before the commencement of the examination.
- Regular internal assessment examinations will be conducted and the evaluation will be done as per the predetermined date by the IAC. Institution strictly adheres to the academic calendar for the smooth functioning of internal examinations
- Every academic year includes three internal assessment examinations without interrupting the regular schedules for both regular and supplementary batches.
- I and II internal assessment will be conducted for 35 marks for 90 mins whereas III internal is for 75 marks for 180 mins.
- Internal assessment marks for a candidate in a subject will be calculated as the average of marks obtained in the internal exams.
- Internal examinations has theory, practical and viva-voce wherein practical examination includes case based learning.

IV.Competency-based assessment: Every department to give competency based assessment to the students like case based learning and problem based learning and providing an clinical history of patient, treatment plan to the UGs.

V.Workplace-based assessment: Our Dental hospital developed Comprehensive clinical setup all the Hods and preclinical labs gave roster posting in the clinics and schedules will be given according to each subject . Department faculty members keep monitoring the clinical procedures and treatment plans every day and give suggestion to the Interns and Students

VI.Self assessment: Each department has IA single point co ordinator to give answer sheets to the students to check their marks and give suggestion how to make effective learning in the class room area, process will be monitored by the mentors.

VII.OSCE: is an assessment method by introducing students to different medical scenarios through different patients exposure.

VII. OSPE: Practical examination of student conducted in labs of concerned departments.