

### Elective in Dentistry

S. No.	Name of the Elective	Oral mucosal conditions and lesions with malignant potential
1	Block	B
2	Department/ Area	Dentistry
3	Name of Mentor/ Supervisor/ In charge	Dr.Nilima Sharma Professor & Head, Department of Dentistry, HIMSR
4	Number of students intake	01-02
5	Method of Selection (if applicable)	Interview to determine a candidate's core understanding and interests in the field of Dentistry.
6	Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To be able to conduct independently a thorough intraoral soft and hard tissue examination.</li> <li>2. To help the undergraduate acquire knowledge on the prevalence of oral cancer and the common types of cancer that can affect tissues of the oral cavity.</li> <li>3. Identify potentially malignant lesion/conditions.</li> <li>4. Discuss the role of etiological factors in the formation of potentially malignant /cancerous lesions.</li> <li>5. To be able to counsel patients effectively to risks of oral cancer with respect to tobacco, smoking, alcohol and other causative factors.</li> </ol>
7	Expected outcomes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Understanding of the normal and variation from normal of the intraoral hard and soft tissues.</li> <li>2. To be able to take a detailed case history and relate it with clinical examination.</li> <li>3. To be able to differentiate oral mucosal red and white lesions from the normal variations of the oral cavity.</li> <li>4. To differentiate between potentially malignant condition and lesion.</li> <li>5. To be able to do an excisional/ incisional biopsy to confirm diagnosis</li> <li>6. Management of oral lesions/conditions with malignant potential.</li> </ol>
8	Assessment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Day to day participation in clinical examination during the routine training hours.</li> <li>2. DOPS, OSPE</li> </ol>
9	Log book	e log book entry of daily activities. See Appendix 1 for e log book details.