## ESIC DENTAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL, KALABURAGI DEPARTMENT OF ORAL PATHOLOGY CDE Program Report

The Department of Oral Pathology, ESIC Dental College & Hospital, Kalaburagi organized a CDE program on the occasion of National Oral Pathologists day on 25-2-2025. The guest speakers for the event were Dr. Varsha Manekar, Associate Professor at Government Dental College & Hospital, Nagpur, Maharashtra and Dr. Chetan Belaldavar, Associate Professor at KAHER VK Institute of Dental sciences Belgaum.

The program was inaugurated with lighting of lamps by Dean Dr. Prashant Patil, HOD Department of Oral Pathology, Dr. Kavita B, HOD's of PG Department Dr. Sujith and Dr. Shreedevi, Institutional Ethical Committee Member Secretary Dr. Girish. The welcome speech was given by Dr Kavita B, introduction of the speakers was presented by Dr. Devendra followed by Guest lectures by Dr. Varsha Manekar and Dr. Chetan Belaldavar. Dr. Varsha Manekar spoke on "ICMR: Grants & Research Proposal Writing". The talk was excellent and an eye opener. Delegates were benefitted with the interactive session. The second session was conducted by Dr. Chetan Belaldavar on "Revolutionizing Dentistry with Artificial Intelligence: A Glimpse into the future". Both the sessions were very informative and an eye opener which benefitted the delegates. The program was a huge success with 137 plus delegates attending the event and was awarded 3 Credit Points by the Karnataka State Dental Council. The program was concluded by presenting vote of Thanks by Dr. Prasanna.













