

## भारतीय दन्त परिषद

## DENTAL COUNCIL OF INDIA

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To,

Prof. Rajnish Jain, Secretary, University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110002 E-mail:- secy.ugc@nic.in rajnish.ims@gmail.com

## Sub: - University Grant Commission - Comments / concurrence on offering the programs through ODL and Online Mode by HEIs - reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No.F.No.1-6/2017 (DEB-VI) dated 30.09.2020 therein seeking comments on offering programs through ODL and Online Mode by HEIs.

2. In this connection, UGC is informed that none of the programs under the purview of DCI has any scope of ODL and Online mode and the same was also informed during the meeting held in UGC. Moreover, it is also apprised that the DCI has already started webcasting of series of free webinars for all undergraduate & postgraduate students and faculties on different topics of dentistry by eminent Speakers, to enhance their knowledge and skills. This webinar program of the DCI has been successfully running.

3. It is further informed that the CDE and Code of Ethics regulations both require registered dentists to update their knowledge and for such online programs, attendees are being awarded Certificate with CDE Points which may be used for renewal of registration of license.

4. This issues with the approval of the EC (24.11.2020) of the DCI.

Yours faithfully,

(Mukesh Kumar) Deputy Secretary Dental Council of India

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- 1. The Acting President, Dental Council of India, New Delhi
- 2. DE-55-ARPM-(E.C.24.11.2020)/Item No.6(3)

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