



Alumni Association Rural Dental College Pravara Institute of Medical Sciences (DU)

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DENTISTRY FOR INDIAN GRADUATES IN UK

Dr. Pravin Kadam, the speaker of an event explained about the documents required and the process of application to practice dentistry in UK. The speaker of an event has explained the scope of a dentist in UK. Dentists in the UK can work both in the public and private sectors. They can work for the NHS dental hospitals, private hospitals, charities, armed forces, community dental services, and open a private practice. Dentists can also work in research organizations. To practice as a dentist in the United Kingdom after BDS or post-graduation from your overseas country, there are 2 pathways:

1. Overseas Registration Exam (ORE) and
2. The License in Dental Surgery (LDS) Exam.

An Indian dentist can practice in the UK. They must clear IELTS beforehand and an equivalency exam known as ORE, conducted by the General Dental Council. It is divided into two parts,

1. A theoretical part and
2. A practical part.

Further, this whole qualification process takes about 18 months to complete. The exam is conducted in two parts (theory and practical). Total exam fees are -300,000 INR and the duration of the process is about 18 months.

Speaker has also explained about the post-graduation after BDS, it is not recommended to apply for a postgraduate degree in the UK immediately as most universities prefer that applicants should have at least 2 years clinical experience of working as a dentist before applying for a post-graduate degree course.

The clinical experience is verified by General Dental Council, UK. Minimum 1600 hours of clinical experience is the requirement otherwise one cannot be eligible for ORE in UK.

Dentists are required to be registered with the General Dental Council (GDC) to practice dentistry in the UK. If your primary qualification (BDS) is from outside the European Economic Union, you will have to go through either of the two exams the Overseas Registration Exam (ORE) or the Licensure in Dental Surgery (LDS) exam to practice dentistry within the UK.



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The Royal College of Surgeons of England (RCS England) conducts the Licensure in Dental Surgery (LDS) examination and the General Dental Council conducts the Overseas Registration Exam (ORE) for overseas qualified dentists. LDS gives you post-nominal letters, as it is a degree/diploma awarded by the Royal College of Surgeons of England.



JUNE 5TH, 2021
11:00AM IST
Meeting Link
(Microsoft Team)



**PRAVARA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES
(DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY)
RURAL DENTAL COLLEGE, LONI**

RDC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

PRESENTS

**INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR ON
"DENTISTRY FOR INDIAN GRADUATES IN UK"**



Speaker:



Dr. Pravin J. Kadam
RDC Alumni '94-'99 batch
MDS endodontics (Russia)
PG Certificate in Implant Dentistry, UK
Diploma and MSc (Implant Dentistry), UK

Moderator:



Dr. Shubhangi Amit Mani
Professor, Dept. of Orthodontics
Member of Board of Management
President, Alumni Association
Rural Dental College, Loni

Patrons:

Dr. Rajendra E. Vikhe Patil <small>(Hon'ble Chancellor, PIMS-DU, Loni)</small>	Dr. Y.M. Jayaraj <small>(Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, PIMS-DU, Loni)</small>	Mr. Panjabrao Aher <small>Executive Director, PIMS-DU, Loni</small>	Col. (Retd.) Dr. Ravindra Manerikar <small>(Principal, RDC, Loni)</small>	Dr. Aparna Palekar <small>(Dean, RDC, Loni)</small>	Dr. Amit Mani <small>(Director HR, RDC, Loni)</small>
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<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSetHGQH1E9Qvhjnl-O3Cp8CSMMIRmZihiarGEGkFdw8KkGAYw/viewform>
Registration is free and compulsory for e-certificate
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INDIA → UNITED KINGDOME (UK)

- **STEP 7** - GET PERFORMERS NUMBER FROM DEANERY AFTER YOU HAVE PASSED ASSESSMENT . THIS NUMBER ENABLES YOU TO WORK AS A FULLY QUALIFIED DENTIST IN UK .
- **TOTAL TIME** YOU HAVE INVESTED SO FAR -FROM DECISION TILL STEP SEVEN IS AROUND 3-4 YEARS (GOOD THINGS TAKE TIME !!)
- **TOTAL COST FROM STEP 1- STEP 6** (10,00,000 INR- 12,00,000 INR APPROX.)
APPLICABLE ONLY FOR 1ST TIME SUCCESSFUL GUYS . COST WILL INCREASE WITH MORE ATTEMPTS .

WORKING AS A DENTIST IN UK

- YOUR VISA STATUS WILL BE THE ESSENTIAL GUIDING FORCE - **WORK PERMIT** IS THE ONLY SINGLE ENTRY POINT . NOT SURE OF HIGHLY SKILLED MIGRATION PROGRAMME - PLEASE CHECK.
- NHS DENTISTRY WILL BE THE STARTING POINT AND ALSO DEPENDS HOW MUCH YOUR PROVIDER WILL ALLOW YOU PRIVATE WORK .



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Meeting by Sankar Prasadha @ LONI

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CONCLUSION

- UK IS CERTAINLY A VERY GOOD DESTINATION PROVIDED YOU HAVE LONG-TERM FOCUS AND RIGHT ATTITUDE . LATER ON YOU DO NOT HAVE TO RESTRICT YOURSELF TO DENTISTRY - YOU CAN DIVERSIFY WITH EASE , SYSTEM HELPS A LOT AND FUNDS ARE ALWAYS AVAILABLE FOR RIGHT PERSON . GOV AND BANKS ARE VERY SUPPORTIVE , DEMOCRACY IS A ITS BEST .
- AFTER SPENDING 11 YEARS ON 19TH JUNE 2021 IF PERSONALLY FEEL I HAVE GIVEN BEST GIFT TO MY NEXT GENERATION AND BELIEVE THAT SOME OF YOU MAY FEEL THE SAME AFTER REACHING TO THIS LEVEL IN FUTURE .
- **GOOD LUCK AND GOD BLESS YOU ALL !!** **JAI HIND !!!**

Meeting Chat

Zoom Meeting