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**ICT BASED TEACHING IN DENTISTRY**

**THERE IS A PLENTY OF SCOPE AT THE BOTTOM- A NARRATIVE REVIEW**


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**ABSTRACT:**

Technology is going with rocket speed in our day-to-day life. The technology is slowly imbibing into the teaching profession including both medical and dental fields. Present scenario most of the medical and dental teaching in India based on 'traditional/ Faculty centered' teaching. Very few dental institutions are following the ICT (Information and Communication Technology) based teaching. Due to the recent Covid 19 pandemic situation, a fist full of institutions started LMS (Learning Management Systems) based teaching in their curriculum. Majority of the senior faculty members are not well acquainted with the developing technology. They may need to undergo some teacher training or short-term courses to update their ICT based knowledge. The need of the hour is the dental teaching may need paradigm shift. As such no single method proved to be best teaching method. There is need for combination of teaching methods can be inculcating in the teaching curriculum with the best use of technology. This narrative review paper aimed to discuss various ICT/LMS based methods in dental teaching.

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