ABOUT OUR FACULTY

With the Decree No. 2003/5782 of the Official Gazette No. 25157 dated 3 July 2003 and numbered 25157, upon the letter of the Ministry of National Education dated 09 June 2003 and numbered 14407, according to the additional 30th article of the Law No. 2809 dated 28.03.1983, our Faculty, which was decided to be established by the Council of Ministers on 17.06.2003, started education in the 2006-2007 Academic Year as of 25.09.2006. Since its establishment, 957 dentists have graduated from our Faculty.

Our faculty provides all the conditions required by modern dentistry education. The students of our faculty are trained in the phantom laboratory with simultaneous demo imaging system, which is the first in our country in educational services. Dental tomography and digital radiography units, CAD-CAM system that enables to make aesthetic porcelain restorations (laminated, crown, bridge, filling) in a few hours, laser clinic with hard and soft tissue laser devices, micro-endodontics clinic where endodontic treatments are performed under microscope and dental treatment applications under sedation / general anaesthesia make us compatible with international standards.

In the light of the most advanced methods and techniques, our faculty trains dentists, specialists and academicians who can provide the oral health needs of the people of our country, are open to innovations, respect professional ethics and patient rights, and have responsibility.

Another activity required by our mission is to provide quality oral and dental health services to the society. In addition to routine patient treatments in our faculty, dental treatment procedures are carried out under general anaesthesia in Farabi Hospital operating theatres, especially for disabled children and adults and children with dentist phobia, and we are responsible for being one of the centres that can provide this service in our region. Scientific research-projects and publications, which is another of our duties, continue.
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Specialization Training in Dentistry

Speciality in Dentistry

**Oral, Dental and Maxillofacial Surgery:** Many issues related to oral and dental health such as tooth extraction, impacted tooth operation, implant, jaw fracture treatment, detection and treatment of jaw tumours, abscesses and cysts, arrangement of tissues before prosthesis and orthodontic treatment are covered by jaw surgery.

**Oral, Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology:** It is the entrance gate of dentistry where the treatment planning and findings of a patient with oral and dental health problems are determined. Dentistry; It is the branch of dentistry that examines the diseases, anomalies, developmental defects of the mouth, teeth, gums and surrounding tissues, investigates the diagnosis and treatment criteria and treatment planning of all patients with oral and dental health problems.

**Endodontics:** The branch of dentistry that deals with the morphology, physiology and pathology of the human tooth and in particular the tissues surrounding the pulp (tooth pulp), tooth root and root tip. The field of study of endodontics includes the biology of the dental pulp, tooth root and tissues surrounding the root and the etiology, diagnosis and treatment of diseases and injuries affecting these tissues.

**Orthodontics:** It is the branch of science that deals with the diagnosis and treatment of jaw, teeth and facial disorders. Orthodontic treatment helps the jaw development in young children and helps the teeth to be in the correct positions, while in adults, it is the main branch of science that provides the correction of existing crowding and bite irregularities, as well as jaw facial disorders.

**Periodontology:** It is the main branch of dentistry that examines the clinical and microscopic structure of the hard and soft tissues surrounding the teeth, diagnoses the diseases affecting these tissues, applies their treatment and ensures the maintenance of the health gained afterwards.

**Pedodontics (Pediatric Dentistry):** It is a department that aims to protect the healthy milk and permanent teeth of children aged 0-13 years and to eliminate the problems caused by caries, trauma, hereditary and similar factors in these teeth.

**Prosthodontics:** It is a department that has undertaken a heavy mission that includes many disciplines such as removable and fixed prostheses, implantology, maxillofacial prostheses. It is the science and art of filling and completing the missing parts of the teeth or one or more missing teeth and related missing tissues with appropriate materials in order to restore function, aesthetics, comfort and health.

**Restorative Dentistry:** Shape, position or colour defects in teeth are important in terms of aesthetics as well as function and phonation. The applications in our clinic include preventive treatments against oral and dental diseases, as well as aesthetic and restorative applications in which the structure and shape disorders of the teeth due to caries, trauma, discoloration and various anomalies are rearranged with restorative materials.
Our graduates can work in Public Oral and Dental Health Centres and Hospitals, Private Oral and Dental Health Clinics, Hospitals and Practices, Commercial establishments related to dentistry (care products, instrument-device-material companies), and Universities.

The richness of the number of patients and the variety of cases in our faculty reflects positively on the education of undergraduate and specialty students and provides them with the opportunity to develop themselves more.