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# ESTCOURT HOSPITAL

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## NEWS

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### NURSES PARADE THROUGH ESTCOURT CBD IN FULL UNIFORM IN HONOUR OF THE INTERNATIONAL NURSES



The nurses distributed health information pamphlets , services provided and what to expect when clients and patients arrive at the hospital.

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# PREVENTING THE SPREAD OF TB

Estcourt hospital took steps in the fight against TB, though there is still a long way to go as there are still many infections and people who are unknowingly living with the disease. It is for that reason the Wembezi Clinic had the awareness campaign which was held 16 March 2023 in Wembezi Community Hall.

The message that was emphasized by Wembezi Clinic Operational Manager Mrs Shangase and PHC Manager Mrs Mhlana was of preventing the spread of TB, where they briefly explain what TB is, how is it transmitted and prevented.

The Department of Health stakeholders which are THINK, Inkosi Langalibalele Municipality, HST, Estcourt Hospice, Jhpiego, Traditional Healers Association and DSD played a huge role in making this event a success. They provided



their services to the community and the community happily made use of the services rendered.

The cream on top was when the learners of Muntuza Primary

School delivered their wonderful and very informative speeches about TB.

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## **ESTCOURT HOSPITAL SAYS GOODBYE TO MR LALL AFTER SO MANY YEARS TOGETHER**

**Finance department could not let one of them leave without a proper good-bye, They planned a farewell party for Mr. Lall who has been with this hospital for 34 years. Mr. Lall started working here a clerk in Stores Department and worked his way up to the Senior Finance Manager. He also gained experience in a lot of departments in the hospital.**

**We wish him all the best in his future endeavors and may he enjoy spending his undivided time with his family .**





## 7 WORDS OF JESUS ON THE CROSS SERVICE

Estcourt hospital took it upon their hands to conduct a Good Friday Service for the staff that will be on duty during good Friday and will not be able to attend the service in their respective churches.

The staff praised and rejoiced in the Lord as pastors from different churches each shared a word amongst the 7 words of Jesus on the cross.

The Hospital Manager, Mr. Bekenya closed the service with a few words of spiritual wisdom.





# INTERNATIONAL NURSES DAY CELEBRATION

Estcourt Hospital celebrated the annual nurses day with a parade through the CBD in full nurses uniform in honor of the ICON for nurses, Florence Nightingale. The nurses distributed health information pamphlets, the services provided and what to expect when patients and clients arrive at the hospital.

This year's theme was **"OUR NURSES, OUR FUTURE"** which is a global campaign that sets out what we want to achieve in the future. The event ended with a luncheon where the Operational Managers from wards and clinics delivered speeches, it also included candle lighting in remembrance and memory of staff that passed on.

The main aim of this event was to recognize the uniqueness of nurses, reconstruct and revitalize the nursing profession, articulate a powerful vision to make changes in improving the quality and safety of patient care. This event was organized by the nurses for the nurses.





# PHOTO GALLERY



**Rendering service during the TB Awareness**



**Mr. LALL's Farewell Ceremony**



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# STAFF APPOINTMENTS



**TB Awareness Campaign**



**NURSES DAY CELEBRATION**



**RENDERING SERVICES DURING TB AWARENESS**



**CANDLE LIGHTING AT NURSES DAY CELEBRATION**



**TB AWARENESS CAMPAIGN**



**NURSES DAY CELEBRATION**

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