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### FOREWORD FROM THE CEO

would like to take this opportunity to thank all staff for the hard work and dedication throughout 2014.

Many positive activities took place in the past year, among others a visit to Imbalenhle CHC from the Deputy Minister of Health, the MEC for Health and the Head of Department for Health. This visit really motivated us as Imbalenhle CHC staff and management because we received a positive feedback and encouragement to work harder, in order to improve in areas that needed more attention.



A great achievement for Imbalenhle CHC management was the appointment of the Assistant Nursing Manager for satellite clinics who will be responsible for direct supervision of these clinics ensuring achievement of set DOH targets. This will assist in the addressing of challenges faced by the clinics under Imbalenhle CHC, and ensuring that they achieve the goal of providing excellent services for the communities they serve using all the available resources.

I wish and pray that in 2015 we continue to work hard as a team in order to ensure excellent and efficient service delivery to the community we serve.

"We are what we repeatedly do; excellence then is not an act, but a habit" Aristocle.

Thank you

Mrs. XNT Mtunzi

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### **NEWLY APPOINTED MANAGERS**



Left: Mrs. L.H Sibiya — Deputy Manager Nursing Right: Mrs. N.M Chonco — Assistant Nursing Manager (Satellite Clincs, FH and SH Teams)





Left: Mr. M.S Mkhize— Human Resources Manager

Right: Mrs. N.P.N Mthembu— Finance Manager



### **CHRISTMAS BABY**



Maternity ward had the honour to assist in the successful delivery of a baby boy that was born on the 25th of December 2014 at 12H30 pm. Sr. T. Dlamini who was responsible for the delivery confirmed the child to be in a healthy condition and the mother of the child who is Mpho Mokeona born on 19 August 1996 was pleased to see her new born.

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### MR.KHWELA'S FAREWELL/YEAR END PARTY



Above: Mr. Khwela receiving a gift from Mrs. Mtunzi Imbalenhle CHC CEO

On the 6th of November 2014 Imbalenhle CHC Management and staff held its year end party and also bid farewell to Mr. Khwela and who was our Finance and Systems Manager.

Imbalenhle CHC management would like to thank the Events Committee for organizing a successful party and also wishes Mr khwela all the best in his new position.

### **PHOTO GALLERY**









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#### NATIONAL OFFICE VISIT



Left: Dr. Joe Phaahla—
National Deputy Minister,
Dr. P. Okeke—Imbalenhle
CHC Medical Manager, Dr S.
Zungu—Head of Department
KZN Health, Dr. S. Dhlomo—
MEC KZN Health, and Mrs.
X.N.T Mtunzi—Imbalenhle
CHC—CEO



Left: The National Office team,
Head office team and District
team interviewing Mrs. R
Odayar (Pharmacist)

Imbalenhle CHC had the privilege of being visited by the National deputy Minister Dr. Joe Phaahla, MEC of Health Dr. Sibongiseni Dhlomo and Head of Department Dr. S. Zungu. The main aim of the visit was to assess Imbalenhle CHC on NHI readiness. The day started of with a briefing session by the CHC CEO Mrs. X.N.T Mtunzi. After the briefing session the team went on a walkabout at Maternity, CDC Pharmacy and main Pharmacy whereby Component Managers gave feedback on daily operations, achievements, challenges and shortcomings they face in their respective components. There was extensive sharing of information & advice given by the team.



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### **WELLNESS DAY**

Staff wellness program is very important in assisting staff members' wellbeing physically, mentally and financially thus ensuring that they are ready and prepared to do their work properly.

On 02 October, 2014 Imbalenhle CHC held its Staff Wellness event. The event was organized by the Health and Wellness Committee and was a great success. Our guest speaker was Ms. N. Dladla (A Nurse Practitioner in Private practice) delivered a great motivational talk to staff, stressing the importance of being kind, supportive and respectful to each other as colleagues.

Other distinguished guests included Old Mutual who gave us a good presentation on how we should handle our finances, and Virgin Active who demonstrated different training methods and techniques and also gave us a good workout.

From our Institution we had Mr. Gumede (Chief Human Resource Officer) with Human Resource Matters, Sr. C.D Ntshungulwane with a presentation on drug abuse in the workplace and Mrs. Raja (Dietician) with a presentation on healthy eating. We also had nurses who were doing vital signs for staff on the day.

Activities included a "BEST DRESSED COMPETI-TION" which was judged based on neatness, cleanliness, correct hair style and wearing of name tags, and won by Mr. M. Mhlongo



Above: Ms. N. Dladla conducting her motivational talk



Above: Mr. M. Mhlongo (General Orderly), ENA S.P Maduma and Mrs. X.N.T Mtunzi (Chief Executive Officer)



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### IMBALENHLE STAFF BIDS FAREWELL TO Ms. N. BINASE (NURSING MANAGER)

September 29 was a sad day for Imbalenhle CHC Staff and the Imbali community at large as we bid farewell to the person that has been a rock for the CHC for many years. Matron Binase had been with Imbalenhle CHC from 2008 until 2014. During her time at Imbalenhle she once acted as the CEO for 3 years which clearly indicated her commitment, drive, dedication and love for the Nursing profession and helping people.

Her efforts and innovations she brought to Imbalenhle CHC were visible to all as the CHC has flourished during her time at imbalenhle CHC. The Imbalenhle Management and Staff wishes her all the best in her future endeavors



Ms. Binase talking more about the importance of culture at the 2013 Heritage Day event

The good memories we shared with Ms. Binase



Ms. Binase (middle) receiving a gift from Mrs.

XNT. Mtunzi (left) and Dr. Okeke (right) at her
farewell



Mrs. N. Mkhize (Supervisor for CCG's) handing over a gift of appreciation to Ms. Binase



Ms. Binase with other staff members during the 2014 Heritage day

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#### **HERITAGE DAY**

Heritage day is one of the annual events in the Department of Health's calendar. Health institutions are given the opportunity to celebrate the day by wearing their traditional attire's and having their own share off a cultural experience.

The theme for this year was "TELL YOUR STORY" and on the 25<sup>th</sup> of September 2014 Imbalenhle CHC held its Heritage Day event. The event was organized by the events committee, whereby members of the committee spent long hours working hard in order for the event to be a complete success.

Sr. N. Nkonyane was the programme director for the day, she pointed out the importance of knowing where we come from and never forgetting our family backgrounds, because each and everyone of us has a story to tell regardless of what we are now. Our guest speaker Makhosi Buthelezi spoke more about how we should conduct ourselves at our work place, homes, etc. and basically telling us to embrace "UBUNTU" and respect life.

Cwepheshe and his crew (a local music group) entertained the audience with Traditional Music and traditional dance and were joined by Dr. Panicker who also displayed his dancing skills. Zeh Rhymes a local poets' performance stood out from the rest, keeping the audience thoroughly entertained. As we all know heritage day is all about tradition so there was no better way to end the event then a full course traditional meal.

Thank you to all staff who contributed to the success of the event.



Above: Sr. N. Nkonyane programmme Director



Above: Zeh Rhymes the Poet



Mr. D. M Gumede (Chief HR Officer) with Miss N. Ndawonde (supply officer)



Above: Dr. Panicker joining Chwepheshe's performance



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### **EDENDALE CELEBRATING 60 YEARS SPORT/FUN DAY**

dendale Hospital celebrated 60 years in service on the 25<sup>th</sup> of August 2014. Seven health institutions which are Imbalenhle, Appelsbosch, Townhill, Umngeni, East Boom, Richmond and Grey's were invited to participate in this historical event whereby different sport codes were played in order to promote a healthy lifestyle amongst employees. Families and friends also came along to enjoy the fun where by kids also had a jumping castle to play on . The sport codes that were played were: *Soccer, Netball, Tug of war, Umlabalaba, potato racing, Relay, 500m/100m run and the Fun walk*.

mbalenhle CHC put themselves on the map by winning the soccer tournament, beating Grey's Hospital on penalties (5-4) and since then we have constantly been challenged by different institutions.

Not forgetting our CEO Mrs. X. N. T Mtunzi who obtained a gold medal in the potato racing and the Netball team obtaining bronze medals.

#### SIYAYITHELA INDUKU!!!!

#### PHOTO GALLERY



Imbalenhle CHC Soccer team



Mrs. X. N. T Mtunzi participating in the egg



Imbalenhle CHC Netball team



Trophy and medals ceremony



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### MEC DR. S. DIOMO OPENS THE NEW BLOCK AT GRANGE CLINIC



Left:Mr. M. Zungu (Acting Senior General Manager: District Health Services and NHI Project Manager), Dr S. Dhlomo (MEC for Health), Cllr S. Gabela (Msunduzi Municipality), Mrs. M. Zuma-Mkhonza (Umgungundlovu District Manager) & Dr. M. Mhlongo (General Manager: District Health Services



Grange Clinic is located in Ward 24 Msunduzi Municipality. It is situated in the CBD at West – Grange Fairmead area. The Clinic is supported by Imbalenhle Community Health Centre which is 5km away and also 7km away from Pietermaritzburg city. The clinic serves the catchment population of approximately 7900.

In November 2013 as an NHI initiative the National Department of Health funded the construction of a building that consisted of 6 consulting rooms (fully equipped with medical equipment and office furniture), spacious reception area, top of the class restrooms and ablution facilities for both patients and staff.

This aim of the project was to ensure that the community accesses the Health Specialists services in their local clinics.

Above: Cllr P.G Ngidi (Ward 24), Dr S. Dhlomo (MEC for Health), Mrs. Naidoo (Operational Manager Grange Clinic), Mrs. M. Zuma-Mkhonza (Umgungundlovu District Manager) & Mrs. XNT Mtunzi (Chief Executive Officer Imbalenhle CHC)

The new building at the Clinic





From Left to Right: Mrs May Zuma-Mkhonza (District Manager), Cllr S. Gabela (Msunduzi Municipality), Mr Sandile Xulu (Chairperson (Clinic Committee Grange), Dr S. Dhlomo (MEC for Health) and Cllr P.G Ngidi (Ward 24)



Dr. T. Kerry (GP Contracting Programme—NHI Initiative), Dr. Ellis (GP contracted worker at Grange Clinic), Cllr S. Gabela (Msunduzi Municipality) & Dr S. Dhlomo (MEC for Health)

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Clinics under Imbalenhle CHC

1. Snathing Clinic

4. Esigodini Clinic

7. Ashdown Clinic

8. Midlands Mobile 1

5. Grange Clinic 6. Impilwenhle Clinic

2. Willowfontein Clinic 3. Azalea Clinic

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#### **SERVICES OFFERED**

#### IZINHLELO EZITHOLAKALAYO:

IZIKHATHI ZOKUVULA/HOURS OF SERVICE SIVULA EBUSUKU NASEMINI/OPEN 24 HRS

Mon-Fri 07:00am to 16:00pm Minor ailments Abagulayo uMsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu **Emergencies** Izimo eziphuthumayo 24hrs a day **Child Health Services** Izinhlelo zokubhekelela abantwana Mon-Fri 07:00am to 16:00pm uMsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

Family Planning Abazohlela umndeni Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Umsombuluko-kulwesihlanu

Labour Ward Igumbi lababelethavo 24hrs a day

**Ante-Natal Care** Abakhulelwe abazoxukuza Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu Post Natal Care Abasanda kubeletha **Chronic Diseases Care** Abazolanda amaphilisi Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm

Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu Ukuhlolela igciwane H.C.T Mon-Sun 7:00am to 16:00pm Lengculazi

P.M.T.C.T Uhlelo lokuvikela Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Igciwane likaMama Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

Lingadluleli Kumntwana

Izinhlelo zabasha

CDC (HIV/AIDS, STI & TB) Ukwelashwakezifo ezithathelanayo Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

Mental Health Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm kwabagula Ngengqondo

Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

**Social Work Services** Abezenhlalakahle Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm

Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Dietetic Services Izinhlelo zokululeka ngokudla okunempilo Umsombuluko-

kuLwesihlanu

**Youth Services** 

**Laboratory Services** ucwaningo lwezifo Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

**Rehabilitation Services** Izinhlelo zokululamisa Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm -Physiotherapist Umsombuluko-ku-Lwesihlanu

-Occupational Therapist -Speech Therapist **Radiological Services** Izithombe/Emafutheni Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm

Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

Dental Services Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Emazinvweni Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

**Pharmaceutical Services Emithini** Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

**Ophthalmic Nursing Services** Abamehlo Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm

Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

**Outreach Services/** Usizo oluyiswa Mon-Fri 7:00am to 16:00pm School health emphakathini/nasezikoleni Umsombuluko-kuLwesihlanu

**SPECIAL CLINICS** 

**Psychological Services** Udokotela Tues-Wed 7:00am to 16:00pm Ulwesibili Kanye noLwesithathu

NB! Emergencies and Delivery Services available 24hrs Izimo eziphuthumayo nababelethayo, babonywa zikhatho zonke



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