



INKANYEZI YASEMPHUMULO

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The C.E.O's Desk

**“SUCCESS IS
A RELATIVE
TERM.
IT BRINGS SO
MANY
RELATIVES”**

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Highlights of the
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The year 2007 has come and gone so quickly. The entry to 2008 is being celebrated, the question is, what challenges will be experienced in 2008. Just as the year began there now is a new term, that of “load shedding” by Eskom. The institution has always had it's fare share of electricity problems. Load shedding has therefore been no new phenomenon except that at least it is for 2 to 6 hours at times. The institution had always had it's back up system which works reasonable well. What has not been planned for is the lost man hours especially for personnel that work with computers. If this is going to be a long drawn problem personnel will have to be innovative on ▼



UMPHUMULO HOSPITAL C.E.O MRS T.D CHILIZA TOGETHER WITH THE MINISTER OF HEALTH MRS MANTO SHABALALA-MSIMANGO AND KZN-HEALTH M.EC Ms NELISWA NKONYENI LEADING THE PROCEEDINGS!

how they remain productive during the “down time”. Although 2007 was full of challenges there were success stories:

- ◆ The institution has a vibrant Therapist team. These young professionals not only service the institution but reach out into the community to find and solve client problems. The statistics keep on growing which means more and more people are benefiting from the service.

- ◆ There was also a group of Community Service Doctors who were allocated to the institution who performed very well. (These are sorely missed in 2008)

Good things never last or is it bad things that never last-it is a matter of perception! The institution again has lost its Finance and Systems Manager through “poaching” Mr Mhlongo is wished well on his promotion and the institution is also looking for a person wanting to come and enjoy “peace and quite” of Umphumulo. Last but not least I would like to thank all the personnel who have worked hard caring for the sick, supporting the core business of the Department. I wish you all a productive 2008, “God bless you”

'NGESO ELIBANZI'



**MR THABO SITHOLE
UMPHUMULO HOSPITAL
P.R.O**

UNYAKA KA 2007 UBE UNYAKA OZE NEZINGUQUKO EZININGI ENingizimu Afrika yonke jikelele. Ziningi izinguquko esizibonile emikhakheni eminingi kuhulumeni. kodwa okubonakale kakhulu ukuthi zonke izinto ezikade zenzeka bezisho khona ukuthi umphakathi wakithi uyathuthuka futhi usuyakwazi ukumelana nezinguquko zanomangaliphi uhlobo, kungaba isimo sezePolitiki noma isimo sezomnotho. Kuyajabulisa futhi ukubona ukuthi noma kungabakhona ukuhlukana ngokwemibono kodwa asikuboni lapha ekhaya lokhu esikubona kwenzeka emazweni angomakhelwane.

Uma sibheka futhi nakhona lapha emnyangweni wethu wezempilo nakhona

silubonile ushitsho, sithembe ukuthi lolushitsho luzokwenza abantu bakithi bahlomule kakhuku ezidingweni zabo ezithinta ezempilo kuHulumeni omkhulu nakuHulumeni wakwaZulu-Natal ngoba phela yikho kona lokhu esikubhekile siyizakhamuzi zaseNingizimu Afrika.

Ngithanda ukuthatha lelithuba ngiphinde ngamukele bonke abasebenzi abasha abathe babayinxenye yamaSosha ezempilo Emphumulo. Siyathemba ukuthi bazoba nesandla ekufukuleni izinga lezempilo kumphakathi wonke wakwaMaphumulo. Ngiphinde ngifisele labo abathole amadlelo aluhlaza kwezinye izikhungo zezempilo okuhle kodwa. Ngiyathemba ukuthi bazoba isibani esihle emiphakathini lapho beyakhona. Umsebenzi wezempilo kufanele sonke siwuthathe njengobizo ngoba umsebenzi oncike kakhulu empilweni yomuntu.

'Behind every successful man, there is a woman. And behind every unsuccessful man, there are two'

!Christmas! Christmas!



CHILDREN ENJOYING THEMSELVES IN THER CHRISTMAS PARTY. AISH! THIS FATHER CHRISTMAS...



THAKS TO EVERYONE THAT WAS INVOLVED ESPECIALLY PHAMARCY STAFF, PEADS STAFF AND OUR DIETICIAN

UMPHUMULO HOSPITAL EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME

E.A.P DOCUMENT

* VISION

To have strengthened work relationships between all employees and create an environment where all employees are socially and emotionally free.

* MISSION

To be a Psycho-social work-site service provider of choice that maintains confidential service to all employees.

◆ OBJECTIVES

To assess, intervene and refer troubled employees to internal and external resources for further interventions.

◆ WHO CAN USE EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE?

All employees of the Dept of Health irrespective of levels. Immediate family members of employees who participate in the E.A.P, provided that they are part of the problem.

◆ WHAT KIND OF HELP CAN YOU GET FROM E.A.P?

You may need to be counseled and supported in order to address the personal difficulties and improve your wellbeing. Your problem will be treated with strictest confidentiality.

◆ What kind of problems can adversely affect your work performance? →



MS M.N MEMELA
E.A.P PRACTITIONER

- ◆ EXCESSIVE USE OF ALCOHOL AND DRUGS.
- ◆ DOMESTIC VIOLENCE/ANY FORM OF VIOLENCE.
- ◆ HEALTH PROBLEMS.
- ◆ WORK RELATED STRESS
- ◆ FINANCIAL PROBLEMS

‘Never take someone for granted, hold every person close to your heart because you might wake up one day and realize that you lost a diamond ‘



Health Awareness Day

On the 5th September 2007, a well attended health awareness day was held for staff and patients. The Pharmacy Staff was assisted by Sir Magwaza our in-service trainer, Sir Mbambo and Miss Gasa. These staff members assisted with blood sugar, cholesterol testing, Blood sugar and BMIs.

The event was supported by the Stanger Rotary Club, members of the Hospital Board, the District Pharmacy Manager and Umphumulo Hospital Management.

Rev. Cezbkhulu Opening the Health Awareness Day with a Prayer



Staff and Patients Queue for Meals and Soft Drinks



POSTER COMPETITION AWARDS

On the 7th of September 2007, Miss Moodley, Mr Moorad and the Medical Manager Dr Magdona Parastzsak visited the participating high schools

- ◆ Prizes and certificates of participation were awarded to learners who participated in Poster Competition
- ◆ Learners were overjoyed with The Prices received

Learners Posing with their Gifts and Certificates



The Pharmacy Staff of 2007



IMBIZO!!

SIZULU NASO SIYASHO UKUTHI “INKOSI IYINKOSI NGABANTU”, YINGAKHO NESIBHEDLELA UMPHUMULO SIHAMBA SIYA EBANTWINI ESIBASEBENZELAYO. NGO DECEMBER 07-2007 KWABA NENKULU IMBIZO LAPHO ISIBHEDLELA SAZISA UMPHAKATHI WAKWAMAPHUMULO NGEZINHLELO EZITHOLAKALA KHONA ESIBHEDLELA. FUTHI NAWO UMPHAKATHI WATHOLA ITHUBA LOKUPHONSA IMIBUZO NGOKUTHILE ABAFISA UKUTHI ISIBHEDLELA NOMNYANGO WEZEMPILO BAKUBHEKE. IZITHANGAMI EZINJENGALEZI ZIBALULEKILE KAKHULU NGOBA YILAPHO KUKHULISWANA KHONA FUTHI KUPHINDE KWAKHIWE UMHLAHLANDLELA OBHEKE PHAMBILI. UNGOMO KAHULUMENI UKULETHA IZIDINGO KUBANTU, YINGAKHO ABANTU KUMELE BABE YINGXENYE YOKUSEBENZA KUKAHULUMENI. SIBONGE WONKE UMPHAKATHI OWADELA IMVULA NGOBA UFUNA UKUBA YINGXENYE YOMCIMBI. **“ASISUKUME SAKHE”**



OOH! what a Year! Goodbye 2007!

**HIGHLIGHTS OF THE
YEAR 2007!
"GOODBYE"**



**SOUTH AFRICAN RUGBY! WORLD CHAMPIONS
2007**

'GOODBYE 2007'



SOUTH AFRICAN TSUNAMI 2007



**MINISTER OF HEALTH VISITED ILEMBE
HEALTH DISTRICT(WORLD HEART DAY 2007)**



**M.E.C: Ms NELISWA NKONYENI (OPENNING CEREMONY
OF OTIMATI CLINIC)**

"GOODBYE 2007"