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Celebrating the fundamentals of infection Prevention and Control was the theme for this year's IPC celebration day. The event was held on the 17th November 2023 in the hospital's cafeteria. In attendance were the District coordinator, institutional IPC, the hospital management, service providers, and the IPC champions from the wards and clinics. Mrs. E.N. Makhaye (IPC Manager) ensured that the day was a success from start to finish with her meticulous planning skills.

Purpose of the day as presented by Ms. Singotshisiwe Zulu (District IPC) was described as the day to bring into remembrance the importance of IPC. A day for everyone to search themselves and look at the miles taken if they have been beneficial to the community of patients being served or not. **IPC is for everyone.**

From the depth of her heart she pleaded with the champions to not only attend to patients as a call of duty but to be moved with compassion when caring for the patients. This plea was made as she shared how she had been previously a victim-

- of unjust IPC practices at the hands of health care workers in her younger years.

The day was packed with fun and games which were aimed at testing the knowledge of the IPC champions. It took a tricky and rough turn when the champions were asked to name all the 5 moments of hand hygiene observations. The day wouldn't be complete without the IPC themed songs which were by the MC for the day Ms. Nokulunga Ngobese. The crowd sang along and danced to the song while chuckles and laughter filled the room. Amusement was the order of the day as our Dj Samukelo Mkhize catered to the attendees needs.

As guests were enjoying their scrumptious lunch which was prepared by dedicated IPC champions, there was a viewing of all the IPC activities which had been conducted by the various clinic and sections



VISUALLY IMPAIRED MEETING

THE MEETING HAD AN OBJECTIVE OF ORIENTATING PATIENTS AND INFORM THEM ABOUT HOW THE PROGRAM WILL RUN.



On the 27th of November 2023, visually impaired patients were called to Dundee hospital by the Rehab team along with the Optometry team. Patients were identified in different locations within the catchment area. They were instructed to bring a caregiver on the day, so they will assist them to process all the shared information.

-will provide a 3 months training that will help people on how to maneuver comfortable on their daily lives. The main aim is to let the visually impaired be independent.

The training will fight all their daily challenges. Patients than shared all their personal experience as people who are visually impaired. They encounter different challenges.



Mrs Mdunyelwa as the president of SA Natal for the blind, she explained the purpose of the meeting. Stating that they want to improve the quality life of the visually impaired people through the training that they will provide. SA Natal for the blind

All patients were instructed to identify their training needs and the trainer will visit them at their homes to conduct training for them. Training will commence from the second week of January 2024. Ms Xolile is the well professional trainer that is deployed to provide this training.



“IXOXWA NGEZITHOMBE”

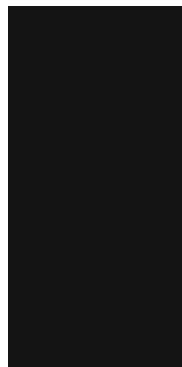
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QUALITY CELEBRATION DAY



“WE CELEBRATE QUALITY BECAUSE WE SERVE QUALITY”



EMPATHE CLINIC HOST ISIBHEDLELA KUBANTU AT KAMEELKOP AREA



-ISIBHEDLELA KUBANTU-

Empathe Clinic embarked on the expedition of 'ISIBHEDLELA KUBANTU', on the 26th October 2023 with the support from Dundee Hospital they joined the expedition of bringing different good service to people. ISIBHEDLELA KUBANTU aims to overcome any circumstances that turn to be invading peoples health service.

According to Section 27 of the Constitution provides that everyone has the right to have access to health care services, including -

-reproductive health care services and no one may be refused emergency medical treatment. Where even the Batho Pele Principle states that "ALL CITIZEN SHOULD HAVE ACCESS TO THE SERVICES TO WHICH THEY ARE ENTITLED".

Empathe Clinic visited Kameelkop Area. Integrated with child protection awareness with other stakeholders

-such as Department of Social Development (DSD), Department of Education, South African Police Service (SAPS) and Independent Electoral Commission (IEC).

Talks were done by all stakeholders (DSD, DOH, IEC, and SAPS). All health services were provided including (basic screening, men's health care, etc.).



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OCTOBER

Surname	Initials	Rank
Nene	S.A.	OMN
Sithole	B.P.	Professional Nurse
Miya	N.W.	OMN

NOVEMBER

Mvelase	V.	SFMO
Zulu	Z.C.	CNP
Msimang	M.B.	CNP
Mncube	M.S.	QAM
Mkhize	P.P.	CNP

JANUARY

Gama	P.N.	Clinical Manager
Kgotshane	S.	Audiologist
Madondo	H.	ENP
Buthelezi	S.P.	MO –Comm Serve
Austine	N.	Dentist –Comm Serve
Sithole	N.	Pharmacist –Comm Serve
Khanyeza	P.S.	Pharmacist –Comm Serve
Mohamed	H.	Radiographer –Comm Serve
Sikhakhane	N.Z.	Speech Therapist– Comm
Nxumalo	S.	Professional Nurse
Buthelezi	N.Z.	MO –Comm Serve
Hoosen	A.	MO –Comm Serve
Sibisi	K.G..N.	MO –Comm Serve

- STAFF APPOINTMENT -

JANUARY

Surname	Initials	Rank
Cele	S.A.	MO –Comm Serve
Lubisi	L.V.	Physiotherapist - Comm
Thabethe	L.N.	PHC Trainer
Shabalala	M.	Pharmacist Intern
Zulu	N.P.	Pharmacist Intern
Simelane	S.G.	Medical Officer
Magubane	S.N.	Dietitian– Comm Serve
Mbatha	M.N	Occupational Therapist— Comm Serve



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