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MEDIA UPDATE: ELECTRICITY AND WATER SHORTAGES AT OSINDWENI HOSPITAL

The Department of Health's Osindisweni Hospital has been hit by power and water shortages following cable theft in the surrounding area. This has affected the water supply to the hospital and the surrounding area.

The matter has been reported to the local municipality, eThekweni Metro, and they have been assisting with the provision of water tankers. The hospital's stand-by generator is currently supplying electricity to the hospital until the matter is resolved.

Following the strike action, the hospital does not have a lot of patients admitted and should patients with critical need of care arrive at the hospital, they will be transferred to other nearby hospitals.

We would like to appeal to the public to abide with us as the matter is being resolved.

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