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2018 NURSES DAY AT RICHMOND



RICHMOND HOSPITAL NURSES MARCHING BEFORE THE EVENT



FIGHTING DISEASE, FIGHTING POVERTY, GIVING HOPE

2018 NURSES DAY



SR NTSANGASE LEADING THE NURSES PLEDGE

Nurses day is the day that is organised in remembrance of our hero Florence Nightingale she served as a nurse during the Crimean war ,tending to wounded soldiers. She was called “The lady with a lamp ”because of her habit of making rounds at night. Richmond hospital embarked together on the 27th of June 2018 in celebrating this day with lots of activities that took place. Our guest speaker Mrs Van Der Brook emphasised the importance of this day and stated that as nurses its vital to take care of ourselves and be aware of what is happening around us. It’s also important to debate about issues because we need to serve the society as a whole and by doing so we will be able to take care of our patients.

On the day there were awards that were given to the best performing employees and these were:

- ◆ Sr Jikazi in ward A4
- ◆ Sr Mngomezulu in ward A2
- ◆ Sr Gushu in ward A1

The winners were awarded with certificates of appreciation and gifts.

‘Nurses are the heart of healthcare’

PHOTO GALLERY FOR NURSES DAY



HAND HYGIENE CAMPAIGN



5th of May is the world hand hygiene day ,this day was commemorated at Richmond Hospital on the 29th of May 2018. Hand hygiene is very important as it reduces the spread of germs and minimizes the infection rate. The staff of Richmond hospital embarked together participating in the educational activities on hand hygiene. Mrs Van Der Byl, Infection Prevention Control manager urged all health care workers to wash their hands.

The hand washing techniques were demonstrated and the participants were given a chance to demonstrate as well. After all exercises the participants were divided into groups for various competitions and the prize was won by team Bees. IPC manager would like to thank all staff and contractors for their participation.

HAND HYGIENE



RICHMOND STAFF PARTICIPATING ON THE HAND WASH CAMPAIGN



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