

# *Oral Health School Visits Report*

*Date : 13/08/12 to Date : 17/08/12*

*The dental personnel who were present on these school visits*

Mr. S.B. Mdunge – Oral Hygienist  
Miss V. Mbudane \_ Dental Assistant  
Miss. B.C. Ngcobo – Dental Assistant



# ZIZAMELE J.S.S

*Date : 13/08/12*

- We went to ZIZAMELE J.S.S. to initiate the tooth-brushing programme. There were 121 pupils: 32 from Grade R, 49 from Grade 1 and 40 from Grade 2. We gave a health education, tooth-brushing method and motivated them on having good oral hygiene.
- We then handed them the tooth-brushes and tooth-paste and then they brushed on their own. We instructed the teachers to let them brush every day after meals.





## Bontrand J.S.S. *Date : 14/08/12*

- On the 14<sup>th</sup> we went to Bontrand J.S.S. There we did screening of pupils in Grade R, 1 and 2. They were 100 in total. About 40 of them had caries, about 5 had overcrowding and about 3 had just poor oral hygiene. The rest had no caries. We emphasized on the tooth-brushing programme during school hours to the teachers and the principal.





# Gugwini J.S.S. *Date : 15/08/12*

- We were at Gugwini J.S.S. We had an unusual number of pupils. Grade R had one class of 41, Grade 1 had 3 classes of 49, 51 and 51 pupils. Grade 2 also had 3 classes of 40, 42 and 42 pupils. We first gathered them together and gave Oral health education and correct tooth-brushing method. We then handed them tooth-brushes and the pupils were brushing on their own while we demonstrated the proper way of brushing. We then filled the colgate classroom kit request form to order the material for them.



# Emfundweni J.S.S. *Date : 16/08/12*

- On the 16<sup>th</sup> we weren't to Emfundweni J.S.S. We were accompanied by the hospital P.R.O. Miss P. Mba. There we also gathered the pupils from Grade R, 1 and 2 together and gave Oral Health education as well as proper tooth-brushing method. Afterwards we gave them tooth-brushes and they brushed on their own.







# Jirah S.P.S. *Date : 17/08/12*

- On the 17<sup>th</sup> we went to Jirah S.P.S. There were 18 pupils from Grade R, 8 from Grade 1 and 6 from Grade 2. We did oral health education and then gave them tooth-brushes for them to brush.



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