

THULA-DU MAGAZINE



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Batho Pele

A better life
for all South Africans
by putting people first

Together beating the drum for Service Delivery

HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT



Mr. B.B. Dlamini

Former Acting CEO

VISION

To achieve optimal health status for all people of District 26

MISSION

To render quality hospital and primary health care services which are customer orientated, sustainable and coordinated comprehensive multi-disciplinary approach applying the Batho Pele principles and service charter within available resources.

CORE VALUES

Dedication, Commitment to performance, Trust, Integrity, Courage to learn, change & innovate, Transparency and Consultation.

Mr. B.B. Dlamini officially handed over to Dr. O.E. Ngam on the 01/05/2013 who is now appointed as the Acting CEO, Dr. O.E. Ngam was officially appointed by Mrs. D.T. Memela (District Manager). I thank the management for the support and wished them a long productive stay and to continue with good service delivery to the community we serve.



Dr. O.E. Ngam, Acting CEO

It is a great honor for me to be appointed as the Acting CEO, I am very pleased and looking forward to perform such duty. The hospital is facing many challenges, we know that it won't be easy to resolve all problems in the first 2/3 months of practice but by working as a team with good collaboration from all components, we can archive our targets and provide good service delivery to the community we serve. Everyone need to participate to our vision, mission, core value, strategic objectives and as per our service commitment charter



Mr. T.D. Ndaba, Finance Manager

The Hospital Management is sad about the leaving of Mr. B.B. Dlamini and warmly welcomes the new Acting CEO, Dr. O.E. Ngam, Mr. T.D. Ndaba who lately joined the management Team in September 2012 and all staff who joined Thulasizwe Hospital Team. Hope your stay will be fruitful and productive for good service delivery, you are all welcome.

LEADERSHIP

The current era of transformation is the era of both processes of review and renewal which do not exist in a vacuum but through organized processes of empowerment of leaders who understand what is leadership at the individual level, community, organizational and institutional levels?

“The leader is the most important element of good government and education to bring change.”
“Maintaining leadership could be accomplished by gaining the self esteem of the populace, but if it could not deceit threat, treachery and violence will be common practices”. This is not the type of leadership we want. The World has been made to believe it is okay to get what you want at all cost!

Nothing happens without leadership.

Nothing changes without leadership.

Nothing develops without leadership.

Nothing improves without leadership.

Nothing is connected without leadership.

Nothing advances without leadership.

Nothing succeeds without leadership.

“Let us therefore work together for a long and healthy life for all”.



FACILITY IMPROVEMENT



Installation of Park homes Wards which is going to be the temporary structure while the hospital will be in process to be rebuilt, the project started in September 2012 and still on progress. NAWE THULASIZWE AWUMNCINYANE

This is how the Park homes looks like inside



WARD



RECEPTION



SHOWER



SLUICE ROOM



BATHROOM



HAND WASHING STATION



SLUICE ROOM

Hospital Public Toilet is now available and effective



Temporary Guard House

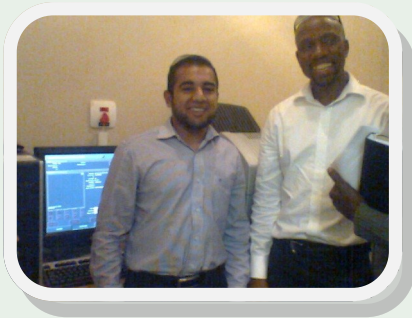
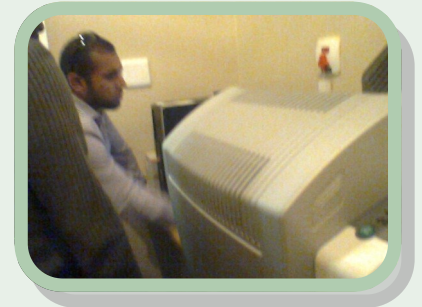


FACILITY IMPROVEMENT CONTINUES

Installation of X-Ray machine and related equipment

Thulasizwe Hospital has been operating without an effective X-Ray machine, the institution has been assisted by Ceza Hospital for over 10 years of service.

The Hospital Management is very pleased to receive such service and this will assist the institution to minimize spreading of TBMDR disease to the community and District 26 as a whole



Site handing over was done on the above personnel from National institute with Dr. O.E. Ngam, Acting CEO and Mr. R.F. Kazi

HOSPITAL SOCCER AND LADIES TEAM AT THE TOURNAMENT SPONSERED BY SANLAM

NETBALL TEAM

'The Best Player of the day' Mbali Nxumalo

Tournament held at Ulundi Play-ground on the 06th of June 2013.



Ubumnandi nentokozo yodwa bekubhalwe emehlweni kubasebenzi bewinile. They receive 1st prize trophy on Netball and another trophy received by Mbali Nxumalo for 'The Best Player'

Netball

Thulasizwe 14— Sanlam 01

Thulasizwe 09—Hullet 00

Soccer team

1. Thulasizwe 02—Sanlam 00

2. Benedictine 00—Thulasizwe 00



PATIENT'S CHRISTMAS PARTY



CHRISTMAS PARTY WAS HELD ON THE

Date : 25 December 2012

Venue: Thulasizwe Hospital, Dinning Hall

Time : 12H00

Menu

BREAKFAST

Cheese salad sandwich

Muffins (bran, choc deep or vanilla based)

Tea / Coffee/ juicy & glass of milk

LUNCH

Steak & Vors / Roasted chicken

Stiff Pap

Chutney

SNACK:

Peanuts, chips, mini baked cheddar & sweets

DESERT:

fruit salad, ultra Mel & ice cream

DRINKS:

Can of liquid fruit



Fighting Disease, Fighting Poverty, Giving Hope

Peacefulness is the medicine for stress and 'burnout'. Peace is our natural state, and within

all of us there is an innate core of calm and tranquility waiting to be rediscovered



NEW APPOINTMENTS

Initial & Surname	Occupation	From
Mr. T.D. Ndaba	Finance Manager	Ulundi: Public
Ms. P.Z. Nkosi	Finance Management Officer	Umkhanyakude District
Ms. S.N. Simelane	Finance Officer	Thulasizwe Hospital, HR Intern
Mr. W.S. Dubazane	Pharmacist: Community Service	Escourt Hospital
Ms. P. Njapha	Pharmacy Aso	SS Buy Academy
Ms. T. Ndawonde	Office Assistant	Zululand District
Mr. X.I. Shezi	Artisan Plumber	
Mr. K.G. Buthelezi	Artisan Electrician	Benedictine Hospital
Mr. ZCM Ntombela	Artisan Foreman	Bethesda Hospital

INTERNAL STAFF NEW APPOINTMENTS

Initial & Surname	Occupation	New Designation
Dr. O.E. Ngam	Medical Officer Grade II & Acting Medical Manager	Clinical Manager & Acting CEO
Mrs. C.M. Mhlanzi	Operational Manager: Female	Assistant Nursing Manager
Ms. B.R. Shezi	Operational Manager: Female	Assistant Nursing Manager
Ms. Z. Kubheka	Human Resource Officer	Principal Human Resource Officer
Mr. M. Qwabe	Supply Officer	Supply Management Officer
Mr. M.Z. Ndlovu	Ward Clerk	Transport Officer
Ms. C.P. Khumalo	Clinical Orderly	Office Assistant: Female Ward

FAREWELL

Initial & Surname	Occupation	To
Mr. B.B. Dlamini	Acting CEO	Ceza District Hospital
Mr. DSB Mhlophe	Assistant Nursing Manager	Nkonjeni Hospital
Mrs. SR Mthethwa	Quality Assurance Coordinator	S't Mary's (KwaMagwaza) Hospital
Mr. S.X. Mbatha	Comm Serv: Pharmacist	Ceza District Hospital
Mr. J Dwayi	Operational Manager	Dunstan Farrell Hospital
Ms. X.P. Mavimbela	Professional Nurse	Escourt Provincial Hospital
Ms. N. Zitha	Chief Radiographer	Itshelejuba Hospital
Ms. X. Sabela	Waste Management Officer	Itshelejuba Hospital
Mrs. N. Nhleko	Transport Officer	Itshelejuba Hospital
Ms. S. Chonco	Staff Nurse	
Mr. S.J. Shange	Staff Nurse	Stanger Hospital
Ms. H.H. Kweyama	Pharmacy Aso	
Mr. A.S. Zulu	Artisan Electrician	Zululand District
Mrs. E.L. Mbambo	Staff Nurse	

REST IN PEACE



R/N Nkosinathi Buthelezi



Death leaves a heartache no one can heal"

"Love leaves a memory no one can steal"

Lala ngokuthula Shenge

SOHLALA SIKUKHUMBULA



STAFF DEVELOPMENT

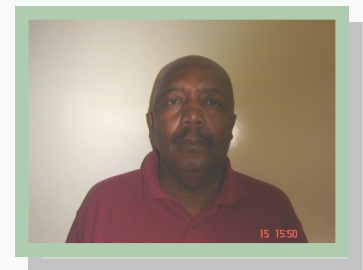
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL NURSES WHO PASSED BRIDGING COURSES

Initial & Surname	Occupation	Bridging Course To
Ms. G.S. Buthelezi	Staff Nurse	Professional Nurse
Mr. M. Buthelezi	Staff Nurse	Professional Nurse
Mr. E.Z. Mathunjwa	Staff Nurse	Professional Nurse
Mr. P.Z. Buthelezi	Professional Nurse	Accouchuer (Midwifery)



STAFF RETIREMENT

Initial & Surname	Occupation
Mrs. B.D. Mthimkhulu	General Orderly
Mrs. N.E. Zulu	General Orderly
Mr. R.F. Kazi	Artisan Foreman



Mr. R.F Kazi, Artisan Foreman

LOOK WHO JOINED THULASIZWE HOSPITAL TEAM



Thulasizwe Hospital Admin Staff jointly organized to wear such a beautiful colourful uniform (Purple & black and pink and black), from left: Mandisa Ndawonde, Zethu Nkosi, Nokwazi Ntuli & Makhosi Mtshali. Back row from left: Cebi Khumalo & Zandi Kubheka.



Mrs. D.M. Mohlala, Infection Control and Prevention received certificate of appreciation for Thulasizwe Hospital for performance in Infection Control 2012/2013 on Quality Day held on the 10/07/2013 at Ulundi legislature



Information is power, the more we know about TB, TB MDR and TB XDR
the sooner we shall stop it.



TB Definitions

Tuberculosis (TB)

Tuberculosis, commonly known as TB, is a contagious and an often severe airborne disease caused by a bacterial infection. TB typically affects the lungs, but it also may affect any other organ of the body. It is usually treated with a regimen of drugs taken for 6 months to 2 years, depending on the type of infection.

Multidrug-Resistant Tuberculosis (MDR TB)

MDR TB is a form of drug-resistant TB in which TB bacteria can no longer be killed by at least the two best antibiotics, isoniazid (INH) and rifampin (RIF), commonly used to cure TB. As a result, this form of the disease is more difficult to treat than ordinary TB and requires up to 2 years of multidrug treatment.

Extensively Drug-Resistant Tuberculosis (XDR TB)

XDR TB is a less common form of multidrug-resistant TB in which TB bacteria have changed enough to circumvent the two best antibiotics, INH and RIF, as well as most of the alternative drugs used against MDR TB. These second-line drugs include any fluoroquinolone, and at least one of the other three injectable anti-TB drugs: amikacin, kanamycin, or capreomycin. As a result, XDR TB needs up to 2 years of extensive drug treatment and is the most challenging to treat.

Symptoms

Early symptoms of active TB can include weight loss, fever, night sweats, and loss of appetite. Symptoms may be vague, however, and go unnoticed by the affected person. For some, the disease either goes into remission (halts) or becomes chronic and more debilitating with cough, chest pain, and bloody sputum (saliva). Symptoms of TB involving areas other than the lungs vary, depending upon the organ or area affected

TB and HIV Infection

One of the first signs that a person is infected with HIV may be that he or she suddenly develops TB. This form of TB often occurs in areas outside the lungs, particularly when the person is in the later stages of AIDS. Fortunately, TB disease can be prevented and cured, even in people with HIV infection.

Who are at higher risk for developing active TB are:

- People with HIV infection, People who became infected with TB bacteria in the last 2 years, Babies and young children
- People who inject illegal drugs, People who are sick with other diseases that weaken the immune system e.g. HIV/AIDS
- Elderly people, and People who were previously treated for TB or defaulters





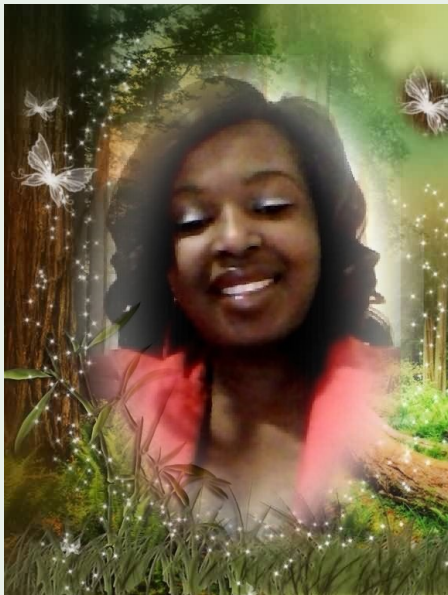
EDITOR'S CORNER

Thulasizwe Hospital believe in providing good service and optimal health status to our clients with passion and by implementing the Batho Pele Principles. Meeting our clients' individual needs is at our forefront for necessary changes and improvements. Below is the schedule plan for HCT Campaigns



CELEBRATING WOMAN'S MONTH

Everybody, everywhere seeks happiness, it's true, But finding it and keeping it seem very difficult to do, because we think that happiness is found only in the places where wealth and fame abound yet happiness starts within you. And so we go on searching in palaces living of pleasure seeking recognition and monetary treasure, unaware that happiness is just a state of mind within the reach of everyone who takes time to be kind, a woman who recognize herself as a woman. For in making others happy we will be happy, too. For the happiness you give away returns to shine on you. Don't forget that you are wonderfully made by God, you are unique and very special. **HAPPY WOMAN'S MONTH!!!**



Ms. P.M. Mtshali, Acting PRO

You are more than welcome to make a stop in one of our facilities and see how we work. Suggestions, compliments as well as complaints are more than welcome. Acting PRO can be reached at CEO's office at Park-home Hospital.

SCHEDULE PLAN FOR HCT CAMPAIGNS

DATE	WAR D	AREA
18.09.2013	2	Ezihlabathini
16.10.2013	2	Thandaziphe
20.11.2013	3	Dayingubo
04.12.2013	3	Ncedamacebo hall
	3	Thulasizwe hospital

VDP's (Very Draining People), trials and tribulations will always follow us no matter where we go or do but be still cos when you are down to nothing God is up to something. Always trust God and know that at all times God has answered your plea. In the book of life (bible) Luke 18 vs 27 Jesus said

"The things which are impossible with men are possible with God"

The priceless gift of life is love, For with the help of God above, Love can change the human race, And make this world a better place, For love dissolves all hate and fear, And makes our vision bright and clear, So we can see and rise above Our pettiness on wings of love. Thank You

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