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Qoqogo Sikhulekil'ekhaya kick started with a bang at Amajuba District



Manzana area communities in ward 6 and ward 33 within Newcastle sub-district woke up to their surprise and jubilation when a team of health professionals and Community Healthcare Workers (CHW) Onompilo came to their door-steps to deliver a household health care service. This campaign which is affectionately known as Qoqogo Sikhulekil'ekhaya was initiated by the MEC for Health, Ms Nomagugu Simelane—Zulu to reach –out to the communities in their household. It ensures that communities receives Primary Health Care. The outreach teams manage to conduct comprehensive health assessment at different households targeting all age groups. A number of challenges were identified which confirmed that some of the people delay to seek medical attention pertaining financial circumstances, as health facilities nearby are not walking distances.

QOQOQO at Manzana in pictures



Dr M Khanyile and Ms. LS Tshabalala a Physiotherapist CSO assessing an elderly citizen



MUAC



Mrs. Masondo giving a health talk



Condom distribution and health talk about safer sex



Dr Guliwe



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The doctor engaging with a happy local resident

A CHW assessing nutritional status from a toddler at a local informal crèche a team came across at a household backyard



Health Education in progress



The health team inside a household



Measuring Mid-Upper Arm Circumference (MUAC) measured



Mrs. Thobekile Masondo (Mndozo Operation Manager) listening to the breathing sounds



Ms Lungile Khumalo (CHW Coordinator and Dr) engaging with a local resident.



Team briefing before teams leaving for households



NICDAM was part of the health teams which visited the households

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