

#### **DANNHAUSER COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE CENTRE**

## DANNHAUSER CHC NEWS

**Nurses' Day Celebration** 



#### International Nurses' day Celebration 2022

Acknowledging the fact that nurses are a vital professions to the success of any Health Care Sector. Therefore. Dannhauser Sub District celebrated the nursing

profession in a exquisite event. Paying tribute to all Nurses for their selfless service rendered to Dannhauser Community. The celebration was honoured by

by the following guests: Ps. MV Dumakude, Mrs. Nomvelo Mthembu and her team from the Madadeni Nursing College and our guest speaker Mr. RSM Ngcobo.













#### **NURSES DAY CELEBRATION**

THEME: "NURSES: A VOICE TO LEAD - INVEST IN NURSING AND RESPECT RIGHTS TO SECURE GLOBAL HEALTH"

The day started with a powerful word of God found in the book of Acts 27 v 42-44, shared by Ps. MV Dumakude. Pastor posed a question "what makes you relevant?" Each one was forced to self reflect at the question asked. Words of wisdom shared ["Inspire to expire before you expire; lead while you still have influence and do not try to excel in order to impress"] uplifted and encouraged all present.

Dr. FP Mtshali gave a warm welcome to our honoured guests and all staff present. Affirming that Nurses are the back bone of the Health System therefore no nurse should feel unappreciated.

Sr. TP Magudulela reminded present of the significance of the celebration. Declaring that another meaning for a Nurse is that it describes a person who is "Strong enough". Emphasizing that nurses are strong, intelligent people. Who gives themselves selflessly for the benefit of other people.

Our guest speaker Mr. RSM Ngcobo –DMN from Madadeni Hospital thanked the nurses for standing up against all odds during the gruesome days of COVID-19. He stressed the importance of self love, taking care of your self first. He testified that he was once admitted for mental illness ras a result of not taking care of self. He encouraged nurses to respect themselves and the nursing profession.

Staff of Dannhauser CHC thanked the enlightening speech from the Nursing College, Old Mutual, Metropolitan, DENOSA and Professionalism speech by Sir. NNE Mbatha.

Management of Dannhauser says thank you to Madadeni Hospital for honouring the invitation and extend much gratitude to our partners for beautiful gifts presented to our nurses.



**Attendees at the Nurses Day Celebration** 













# **PHOTO GALLERY**



Nurses Day "Cake" enjoyed by all present



Sr. DE Nkosi, Sr. NS Buthelezi and Sr. NB Mlangeni



Sr. NB Mlangeni, Sir NNE Mbatha, Sr. ETR Zwane and



**Nurses affirming the Nurses Pledge** 



Dr. FP Mtshali welcoming all present



Sr. PX Ngwenya and Sir SD Ngwenya







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#### **BREASTFEEDING WEEK**

THEME: "STEP UP FOR BREASTFEEDING: EDUCATE AND SUPPORT"

The World Breastfeeding Week (WBW) is commemorated yearly from 1-7 August in order to promote, protect and support Breastfeeding at organizational, community and Individual level. The theme for the WBW 2022 is "Step up for Breastfeeding: Educate and Support".

The Dannhauser Breastfeeding ambassadors paraded the streets of Dannhauser promoting breastfeeding. Acknowledging the fact that South Africa is at a risk of food insecurity due to economic downturn. Breastfeeding remains economical, providing irreplaceable nutrition for children's growth and development; it also provides protection from diseases of lifestyle resulting

As a result, breastfeeding from birth is a good strategy in improving health, nutrition and development of babies.

from malnutrition.

Breastfeeding is primarily a mother's choice, it cannot be sustained without the support of the health sector and community at large. Fathers also have an important role to play in protecting breastfeeding.

The Breastfeeding awareness committee expresses heartfelt gratitude to the Provincial team, the Amajuba District facilities, CHC staff who attended the awareness and positively contributed to the success of the awareness.



The Breastfeeding ambassadors parading the streets of Dannhauser promoting exclusive Breastfeeding



Ms. Aadila Kazi was giving health talk on the benefits of breastfeeding











### **PHOTO GALLERY**



Ms. Thuli Dlamini Community Health Care Worker



Ms. Lindiwe Sikhakhane Nutrition Advisor, demonstrating the correct cup feeding method



The Breastfeeding Ambassadors escorted by Dannhauser Traffic Police



The Breastfeeding Ambassadors parading the corridors of the CHC promoting Breastfeeding from section to section.



The Breastfeeding Ambassadors



**Community at Dannhauser Post Office** 







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#### **DRUG & SUBSTANCE ABUSE & AFRICAN TRADITIONAL MEDICINE DAY**

THEME:"JUST SAY NO! TO DRUGS"

THEME: "Two Decades of African Traditional Medicine Day: Progress Towards Achieving Universal Health Coverage in Africa

16 June 2022 Durnacol Clinic in collaboration with DSR, Dannhauser Traffic Police and Interfaith Ministries hosted a successful Drug & Substance abuse awareness campaign. The aim of the awareness was to promote healthy lifestyle by saying No! to drugs or any toxic substance hoping for a drug free society.

The 31 August every year is marked an African Traditional Medicine Day, acknowledging the integral role traditional medicine play in the health and welfare of generations of people on the continent.

This year's theme, "Two Decades of African Traditional Medicine Day: Progress Towards Achieving Universal Health Coverage in Africa", gives the opportunity to reflect on the progress made towards African traditional medicine being afforded the prominence it deserves in national Health Systems.



**Youth Community of Dannhauser** 











## **PHOTO GALLERY**





THP's celebrating their day at Annieville Hall



Pull the robe game enjoyed by Youth of Dannhauser



Youth attendees at the Drug & Substance abuse awareness













### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**



Management of Dannhauser CHC would like to thank each and every person who made a meaningful contribution to the success of every activities that has taken place in the 1st & 2nd Quarter 2022/2023.

Thanking all Programme coordinators, Managers, Supervisors and participants who facilitated and attended each awareness.

Dr FP Mtshali Chief Executive Officer

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