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SERVICE DELIVERY THROUGH ACTION

WELL DONE H.R.

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The HR Manager wishes to Congratulate the team that has worked tirelessly as from 2007/05/16 for 12hours a day in order to ensure that reinstatement of Dismissed nurses is effected.

The officers did not only worked long hours ie from 07h30 to 20hoo in the evening but they also sacrifices their family time since on Saturday and Sunday they spend 9hours on each day working with such great determination to have 151 nurses of reinstated.

We had such great challenges, however we were determined to bring a smile to our client.

Monday of 2007/05/21 turned to be a worse day since the team had planned to knock off at 16h00 like everyone. The Persal system availability kept the team going till 20h00 grappling with faulty status and system generated errors. The commitment and dedication kept the team going.

Missing from the picture is Mrs F Mdimma who was called from study leave to stabilize the team during certain days. The team is from HR Practice, Component.



The 2nd team that has done HR Manager proud as well is HR Labour Relation. The labour relation has been the hub and engine in dealing with strike as from 2007/01/22 – to date. This team has been dynamic in its own way their dedication and committing is strength to HR consider the risk and intimidation attached to their responsibility.

This team has been an asset in ensuring proper records in respect of affected staff. They have carried on their shoulder the burden of facilitating the progress around reinstatement. **“Well done Labour Relation Well Done”**

‘The HR division has its ups and down’s but I feel blessed to have members of such caliber.’ HR Manager

Missing from the picture is Mr T Sokhela.



TB ANYWHERE IS TB EVERYWHERE

Management of TB in Medical Wards

Presenter: Sbongile Shezil am representing inpatients medical department namely 5F, 5B1, B, C & E.

We admit patients from MOPD who are very ill and need close observation. When patients enters the ward there is a written policy in English and Zulu, which states that all coughing are suppose to wear surgical musk to prevent the spread of PTB which is caused by droplets infection in the hospital.

In the ward we collect sputum to exclude PTB. We send sputum for AFB. Before the sputum is sent to the laboratory the patient particulars in the TB suspect book . The patient address and his/ her telephone number is furnished for contact purposes. Every morning the ward clerk or ward orderly collects the sputum results from the laboratory and also enter these results in TB suspect book. If the patient is having positive smear he / she is put in TB treatment and notified using the notification book. Transfer forms are filled in triplicate.

Each patient on TB status, treatment is charted in blue prescription chart and the green card which is taken home with the patient for treatment continuity.If we patient with MDR, they are isolated from others. They do not wear surgical musk in isolation but the staff wear N95 mask which is suppose to be worn for a month. These MDR patients are resistant to normal TB treatment which is Rifafour E75. Rifafour E75 is made out of four drugs namely INH, Pyrazinamide, ethambutol and Rifampison.

Patient with MDR TB, THEIR SPUTA are sent to IALC Hospital for micro Hospital for micro culture and sensitivity (MC & S). The patient is treated with streptomycin injection, Amicacin orally and Ethionomide orally. If the patient again has developed resistance on treatment given to MDR TB is then now called XDR TB patient. Research is being done on how to treat the XDR patient.

The Proven MDR patients are sent to SANTA DORIS GOODWIN and King George VIII Hospital.

Report compiled by: R.S. Shezi

Unit Manager –
5F

Ward



Fun day for Edendale's Paediatrics Unit

10 March 2007



Entertainment for the children was provided by the Fun day co-



Nursing staff who assisted on the day



Fun day helpers handing out party packs

National Polio and Measles Campaign -05 to 13 May 2007



NEW MACHINE



New shimadzu CTS X-Ray unit (R461,000) installed in March 2007. This will ease the overcrowding in the main passage caused by patients coming in hospital beds, stretchers and wheel chairs.

Who are you? How do you feel to be part of EDENDALE HOSPITAL?



Hi

I am Phakama Gasela employed as Secretary for Hospital Management, I enjoyed to do my job. I'm very grateful to be part of this institution.

What can you say about EDH?



I've been employed at Edendale Hospital since Dec 2004. I enjoyed working here every moment. The staff and Management are good. Edendale Hospital is the best institution and I am very grateful to be part of it.

FAREWELL COLLEAGUES!!!

MR MGIJIMA FAREWELL FROM TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT



FAREWELL MRS M. MAPHANGA (NURSING) AND MRS B CELE (STORES)

