

MEDIA RELEASE	PSA applauds Doctors at Tshepong Hospital, Klerksdorp in North West for excellent service
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The Public Servants Association (PSA) acknowledges the remarkable achievement by Doctors at Tshepong Hospital in Klerksdorp, North West for successfully performing mitral valve replacement surgery, which was the first of its kind performed by the Hospital.

The surgery is performed to replace a damaged mitral valve with an artificial valve. The Doctors' tireless efforts, commitment to research, and determination to improve patient care is acknowledged. This service places community health on a pedestal.

The successful operation is lauded by the PSA and underlines the fact that the public service is filled with dedicated employees. It further strengthens public health sector capacity to provide complicated, highly specialised procedures.

The PSA is committed to advocating for a stronger public healthcare system for South Africans. The PSA urges government to increase the budget for medical research and to provide Doctors and all health-sector workers with a conducive working environment free from hazards.

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