



FOR PSA MEMBERS: LIMPOPO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

19-06-2019

Feedback Meeting: Department of Health (DOH)

Non absorption of Health Professionals

Members should take note that the department called a meeting informing the PSA and other unions that they have decided not to absorb the Health Professionals because of financial constraints. Employees will therefore be released out of their contracts. Members should note that there is a meeting scheduled to take place on 14 June 2019 at Seshego Hospital to address the problem. Affected members are encouraged to attend the said meeting which will commence at 10h00.

The Department of Health Budget

The employer presented the budget for the 2019/2020 financial year. The budget included the number of employees and other services to be paid by the employer in the said financial year. The PSA made an input of prioritising activities for the year, requesting that the budget should be specific not based on an estimate on the number of employees. The employer will rework the budget as requested and agreed.

Draft agreement: Averaging of working hours for Emergency Medical Services (EMS) shift workers

Members will recall that an *Informus* was issued on 22 May 2019 regarding the above-mentioned averaging of working hours. Members are still requested to submit inputs on or before 18 June 2019, as the chamber meeting will be held on 19 June 2019. The inputs can still be emailed to *lucky.kganyago@psa.co.za* or *queen.seema@psa.co.za* or alternatively be faxed to 0872347721.

Members will be informed of developments.

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