

FOR PSA MEMBERS: **SOUTH AFRICAN HEALTH PRODUCTS REGULATORY AUTHORITY** (SAHPRA)

29-05-2025

Update: SAHPRA PSA members protest march to NDOH – Friday, 30 May 2025

Members will recall that SAHPRA management revoked the operation of the Hybrid Working Policy and recalled staff to the office as of 1 March 2025 without any proper consultation. Members have also been reporting daily on unfavorable conditions of employment that have become toxic.

A dispute of matters of mutual interest related to the revocation of the Hybrid Working Policy was conciliated by CCMA but remained unresolved and a certificate of non-resolution was issued, and subsequently picketing rules were issued. Members have been involved in protected strike action in the form of pickets since the beginning of May 2025 after the notice was issued to the employer.

Owing to several grievances that have arisen and reported, members mandated PSA to lead a march to the Minister of the National Department of Health (NDoH) to hand over a memorandum. The Security Cluster has granted permission to march to the NDoH. The details are listed below:

Date: Friday, 30 May 2025
Starting time: 12:00 from Loftus Park
Arrival time: 12:30 Heartfelt Arena
Marching: 12:45 to NDoH Main Gate

Memorandum: 13:00 Dispersing: 13:15

Members are requested to participate fully in support of this cause to ensure that the Minister is made aware of the toxic environment at SAHPRA.

Employees who want to join the PSA can visit the PSA's website or contact PSA Provincial Offices.

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