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If you have an article, reference, announcement or any newsworthy piece please forward to anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za for inclusion in our next DAWN on 12 June 2026.

PART II EXAMS RESULTS

The Department would like to congratulate the following candidates for passing their

Part II CMSA exams

- **DIANE**, Katlo Rainy
- **KAJEE**, Amina Abdool Haq
- **KISTEN**, Serisha
- **MBELE**, Nokuthula
- **NDLOVU**, Fumane
- **NTSHEKISANG**, Mercy
- **SENKOTO**, Shweshwe
- **KISTEN**, Sarisha (MO)

ONLINE ANAESTHESIA TALK

The next online anaesthesia talk will be as follows:

Date: 09/06/2026

Time: 07:45 – 08:30

Topic: Principles of Airway Management

CPD points will be awarded for attendance. This can either be by using a register that is sent to me (if in a venue with a single screen) - and must include legible MP numbers; or you can attend in person, but must identify yourself with your name and MP number on Microsoft Teams. The link is at the end of the notice. Secondly, Dr Adele de Goede from Stellenbosch university is doing PhD research in how to enhance preoperative care for patients in district hospitals in South Africa. Below is the information sheet - there is a workshop in Umhlanga this Saturday for those who would like to provide input into this topic, or be exposed to research (and is aimed at both nurses and doctors). Please contact her if you are interested in attending (contact details on attachment)

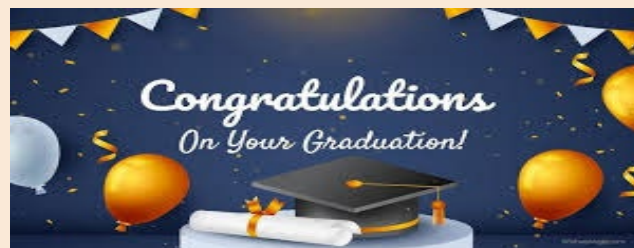
The meeting will be on Microsoft teams, and you can use either the link or the details below to join

Microsoft Teams meeting Join:

<https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/38489111575539?p=OcvM7DTlt7GKFKs3Kt>

Meeting ID: 384 891 115 755 39

Passcode: u6x477D7



PART II GRADUATES

- **GOVENDER**, Shiven
- **REDDY**, Sanusha
- **CHONCO**, Phumzile
- **KELAOTSWE**, Rapelang
- **NDLOVU**, Msizi
- **SEEVNARAIN**, Sivesh
- **NKOSI**, Nobuhle
- **DZANIBE**, Precious
- **PULE**, Marwala

CRITICAL CARE GRADUATE

- **SATYAPAL**, Vedika



2026 SASA CONGRESS

Everyone who will be attending SASA Congress please contact Ms Londiwe Cebekhulu @ cebekhulu@ukzn.ac.za by 30 June 2026.

NB: Everyone who won an award in 2025 must use their award in 2026.

CRITICAL CARE NATIONAL CONGRESS, 17 - 20 SEPTEMBER 2026, CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

We are pleased to invite you to submit abstracts for Presentation at the Critical Care National Congress.

Submission Deadline: 17 July 2026

Presentation format: Free Paper (15 min) and Poster Presentation

To submit your abstract:

<https://forms.gle/i5BfrZGfWtD3jfBNA>

Kindly note that all **presenting authors need to be registered in order to be considered.**

To register:

<https://criticalcarecongress.co.za/registration/>

We look forward to your submissions and to showcasing your work at the congress.

For more info contact: The Organising Committee: 021 712 0571



Managing
Emergencies in
Paediatric
Anaesthesia

The Department will be hosting a MEPA (Managing Emergencies in Paediatric Anaesthesia) high fidelity simulation Course/Workshop for registrars at the SMART Centre at IALCH on Saturday, **11th July 2026**. The course will be free of charge and preference will be given to registrars who are writing Part 2 exams either later this year or first semester 2027. The number of candidates will be limited to a maximum of ten.

MEPA is a full day practical, hands-on course, starting at 7:30 and finishing around 16:00. The Department will provide tea/coffee and lunch.

Interested individuals may apply for a spot on the course by emailing Dr Christian Kampik (kampik@ukzn.ac.za). Please include in your mail when you are intending to write your Part 2 Exams.

ACTING HEAD APPOINTMENT PIETERMARITZBURG COMPLEX

Effective from **Monday, 11 May 2026**, Prof. **David Bishop** will serve as the **Acting Head of the Pietermaritzburg Complex.**

- Dr C Rajah will lead Greys Hospital.
- Dr J Invernnizzi will head Harry Gwala Hospital.

NEXT DAWN 12 JUNE 2026

Send articles/notices of interest to be included in DAWN to anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za

HYPOSPADIAS CAMPS

Thank you to those that continue to assist with the Hypospadias Camps at IALCH.

Our next camp will coincide with Nelson Mandela Day on 18 July! Interested volunteer consultants and registrars to contact Dr Kibirige

Email: jemimahkibirige@gmail.com

SCROLL DOWN FOR A POSTER

SAVE THE DATE CLINICAL COURSE 2026

Save the date for the Clinical course that will be on **12-14 August 2026** and the registration has been opened.

The logo for CPD (Continuing Professional Development) Accredited, featuring the text 'CPD' in large red letters, 'HPCSA Accredited' in smaller black letters, and 'CEU points: 10 | Ethics point: 2' in even smaller black letters.

The 35th Anaesthetic Foundation Refresher Course 2026

DATE: 27th - 28th June 2026
VENUE: Indaba Conference Centre, Fourways, Johannesburg

1 MONTH TO GO - REGISTER TO SECURE YOUR SPACE

To register & to view programme

CLICK HERE

Event Organiser
anaestheticfoundation@velocityvision.co.za
www.anaestheticfoundation.co.za
011 894 1278

PLAGIARISM

UKZN views plagiarism as a serious offence. All FMM booklets **MUST** be checked for plagiarism **ONCE**. ***Booklets must be handed in 3 weeks prior to the presentation date.*** Please ensure that presenters appropriately reference information from other sources. ***Please adhere to deadlines***

UPCOMING FRIDAY MORNING SEMINARS

07:15 FRIDAY MORNING MEETINGS – TEAMS

2026	TOPIC	SPEAKER	MODERATOR
05 Jun	ERAS in the Paediatric Population	Heeramun K	U Jaganath
12 Jun	Completed Research Presentations	N Mbele	
19 Jun	Clinical Forum ADD	K Allopi	
26 Jun	Anaesthesia for Carotid Endarterectomy	N Kajee	S Jithoo

DEPARTMENTAL WEEKLY DIARY

DATE	TIME	DESCRIPTION	VENUE / TEAMS
MON 08 Jun	08h30 15h00	IALCH PAIN & OBS FCA PART II <i>Ophthal & Plastic</i> <i>P Gumede</i> <i>P Gumede/U Jaganath</i>	IALCH VIA TEAMS
TUES 09 Jun	07h00 07h30	M & M MEETING: ADD M & M MEETING: PMMH	ADD PMMH
WED 10 Jun	07h00 07h15 15h00	M & M MEETING: IALCH M & M MEETING: DPKISMH FCA PART I <i>Consciousness and sleep.</i> <i>Depth of anaesthesia monitoring.</i> <i>Neuromuscular monitoring</i> <i>J Krynauw</i>	IALCH DPKISMH VIA TEAMS
THU 11 Jun	07h15 07h30 16h30	M & M: RKK VMH ICU: M & M MEETING DIPLOMA IN ANAESTHETICS <i>Airway assessment and management</i> <i>B Ngxabi</i>	RKK VMH - S block VIA TEAMS
FRI 12 Jun	07h00	FRIDAY MORNING MEETING <i>Completed Research Presentations</i> <i>N Mbele</i>	VIA TEAMS/IN- PERSON



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**Discipline of Anaesthesiology, Pain
Medicine & Critical Care**



FCA PART II CLINICAL COURSE



Date: 12 – 14 August 2026



Venue: Online

**Applications
currently open until
Friday 26 June 2026**

[CLICK HERE TO ACCESS THE REGISTRATION LINK](#)

Link: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeFjU6U5tDbMB_fJv7aO9c0f5xk--U2JUZ3nMAQtE1HxH_Sg/viewform?usp=dialog

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION LEAFLET

TITLE OF RESEARCH PROJECT: Exploring the Ecosystem of the Preoperative Care Environment: Addressing Care in South African District Hospitals

DETAILS OF PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR (PI)/RESEARCHER(S):

Title, first name, surname:

Dr Adèle de Goede

Ethics reference number:

S24/11/325 (PhD)

Full postal address:

Stellenbosch University Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences,
Department of Anaesthesiology and Critical Care, PO Box 241, Cape
Town

PI Contact number:

0827163623

You are invited to participate in a voluntary PhD research project to enhance preoperative care for patients in district hospitals in South Africa. The study has been approved by the Health Research Ethics Committee at Stellenbosch University and adheres to ethical guidelines. It aims to explore the preoperative care environment and propose recommendations for improvement.

The study will involve seven workshops linked to the South African Society of Anaesthesiologists (SASA) regional branch meetings. Each workshop will invite 15 to 25 nurses and doctors involved in preoperative care at district hospitals.

Why are we doing this study?

Due to the intricate healthcare structure, providing preoperative care in South African district hospitals presents significant challenges. The diverse preoperative team, comprising nurses and doctors with varying backgrounds, faces hurdles such as inadequate assessments and unnecessary investigations, which jeopardise patient safety and cause delays and financial strain. Misconceptions, time constraints, workload pressures, fear of patient cancellation, and institutional constraints exacerbate these complexities. Understanding the root causes of inefficient preoperative practices is important to addressing these issues effectively.

To achieve this, a realist evaluation will be conducted to explore how preoperative care is currently delivered and to envision the ideal care for preoperative patients in South African district hospitals. Ackoff's Interactive Planning methods, particularly Formulating the Mess and Idealised Design, will guide the evaluation process. Additionally, Checkland's Rich Pictures tool will be utilised to gather data, facilitating a comprehensive understanding of the challenges and opportunities in the preoperative care landscape.

Why are you invited to participate?

The study will include nurses and doctors from various experience levels, including medical interns, community service medical officers, medical officers, and family medicine registrars, who are engaged in preoperative patient care in district hospitals. However, specialists, locum or contract employees, and individuals who decline to participate or have data recorded will be excluded from the study.

What will your responsibilities be?

During the workshops, participants will receive an explanation of the study and be asked to sign a consent form. They will then be briefed on the Rich Pictures method and divided into approximately five-person groups. Each group will create Rich Pictures depicting their perspective on how preoperative care is provided in district hospitals, with titles and explanations recorded. Following a comfort break with refreshments, groups will reconvene to create Rich Pictures illustrating how preoperative care can be delivered with available resources. Feedback will be collected at the end.

Participants will not receive direct benefits, but the study aims to benefit future patients and healthcare institutions in district settings. There are no risks associated with participating in the workshop. Stellenbosch University will provide comprehensive no-fault insurance and cover any medical costs incurred by participants due to the research without requiring proof of fault from the sponsor.

Are there any costs involved if I decide to participate/take part?

The researchers will cover all direct study-related expenses. Participants will be reimbursed with a R400 gift voucher for the inconvenience and time, roughly two hours of travel each way and four hours of workshop participation at R50 per hour. The study budget will also cover transportation costs to and from the workshop venue. Participants' travel expenses will be reimbursed at R4.64/km, as determined by the South African Minister of Finance on March 1, 2023.

Details for the workshop:

Venue address: The Radisson Umhlanga

Google Maps link: https://maps.app.goo.gl/6FinuJ9xroV9gvqBA?g_st=iw

Date and time: 6 June 2026 @9:30 am

Please RSVP by 29 May 2026 with Adèle de Goede at adelem34@sun.ac.za or WhatsApp 0827163623



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Registration fee for the week - R5 500
Registration fee per day - R1 100

Registration includes access to a
PDF copy of the Notes Book

CPD POINTS:
30 Clinical CEU's





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9 – 13 SEPTEMBER

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Early bird rates are available for the next 2 weeks only.

Secure your place today and be part of the conversation driving the future of healthcare.

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

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2026 SASA Congress**



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ASSOCIATES & DIPLOMATES CONNECT



2026 SASA KZN Refresher Course

Date: 6th June 2026

Venue: Radisson Blu Hotel, Umhlanga, Durban



SASA aims to reconnect with the Diplomate and Associate members of KwaZulu-Natal to better understand the challenges, concerns, and needs faced in both private practice and the public sector.

A Special meeting will be held after the refresher for 30min to 1hr to touch base and start the engagement process. Dont forget to register

**Contact Dr Faheem Baba to RSVP:
0762783890
Meeting will occur after the refresher.**

HYPOSPADIAS CAMP

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18 July 2026



17 October 2026



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YOUR ABSTRACT

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS 2026

Please note the following deadline dates for presenters

24 June	Abstract submissions close
1 July	Notification of acceptance
15 July	Abstract presenter registration deadline
5 August	E-Poster presentation submission deadline
9 - 13 September	Workshops, Congress & Refresher Course

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