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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 19 June 2026.

PUBLICATIONS

A Retrospective Study of Peri-operative Outcomes in Obstetric Patients with Cardiac Disease Presented for Caesarean Section under Regional Anaesthesia at a Quaternary Hospital
By: O Nomvalo & S Bechan Published in: *Student's Journal of Health Research Africa* (2026; 7(2): 11)

 [Read the full article here](#)

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 Invernizzi will head Harry Gwala Hospital.

ANAESTHETIC FOUNDATION REFRESHER COURSE



CPD
HPCSA Accredited
CEU points: 10 | Ethics point: 2

The 35th Anaesthetic Foundation Refresher Course 2026

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



**1 MONTH
TO GO -
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anaestheticfoundation@velocityvision.co.za
www.anaestheticfoundation.co.za
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NEXT DAWN 19 JUNE 2026

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

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

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***

REGISTRA WORKSHOP MEPA SIMULATION COURSE



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.

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

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ADMIN ASSISTANCE

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FMM BOOKLETS

Guidelines and templates for preparing FMM booklets have been emailed to all registrars. Registrars are encouraged to submit their booklets in 3 weeks to anaesthesiology@ukzn.ac.za for a plagiarism report.

CAMPUS SAFETY & SECURITY NOTICE

Recent break-ins have been reported in the KRITH and DDMRI buildings. Security presence has been increased, CCTV investigations are underway, and additional cameras will be installed.

Staff & Students:

- Lock offices and windows when leaving.
- After-hours work requires a Line Manager letter, RMS verification, and use of the escort service.

RMS Contact: 031 260 4239

RMShelpdesk@ukzn.ac.za

Please note: A card re-verification process will soon be undertaken.

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.



UPCOMING FRIDAY MORNING SEMINARS

07:15 FRIDAY MORNING MEETINGS – TEAMS

2026	TOPIC	SPEAKER	MODERATOR
12 Jun	Completed Research Presentations	N Mbele	
19 Jun	Clinical Forum ADD	K Allopi	
26 Jun	Anaesthesia for Carotid Endarterectomy	N Kajee	S Jithoo
03-Jul	Awake Intubation	B Van Aswegen	J Cardoso

DEPARTMENTAL WEEKLY DIARY

DATE	TIME	DESCRIPTION	VENUE / TEAMS
MON 15 Jun	08h30 15h00	IALCH PAIN & OBS FCA PART II <i>Head and Neck</i> <i>B Salmond</i> <i>B Salmond /S Sikhakhane</i>	IALCH VIA TEAMS
TUES 16 Jun	07h00 07h30	M & M MEETING: ADD M & M MEETING: PMMH PUBLIC HOLIDAY	ADD PMMH
WED 17 Jun	07h00 07h15	M & M MEETING: IALCH M & M MEETING: DPKISMH <i>TBC</i>	IALCH DPKISMH VIA TEAMS
THU 18 Jun	07h15 07h30 16h30	M & M: RKK VMH ICU: M & M MEETING DIPLOMA IN ANAESTHETICS <i>Neuraxial anaesthesia</i> <i>C Chellan</i>	RKK VMH - S block VIA TEAMS
FRI 19 Jun	07h00	FRIDAY MORNING MEETING <i>Clinical Forum</i> <i>Addington</i> <i>K Allopi</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



DEPARTMENT OF ANAESTHESIA
& PERIOPERATIVE MEDICINE
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ANNUAL NATIONAL **PART I** **ANAESTHETIC REFRESHER** **9-13 NOV 2026**

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Daily Programme [HERE](#)

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COST:

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

2 Weeks to Go

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you can make
this week is to...**

Register early

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Join us at the 2026 SASA Congress for an unforgettable gathering of learning, collaboration, innovation, and connection.

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](#)

**Gqeberha / Port Elizabeth
2026 SASA Congress**

HYPOSPADIAS CAMP

INKOSI ALBERT LUTHULI CENTRAL HOSPITAL



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HYPOSPADIAS
CASES COMPLETED

SINCE 2018



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SURGICAL CAMPS
CONDUCTED

SINCE 2018



ONGOING COMMITMENT

Improving access,
reducing backlog and
building expertise for
better outcomes.



NEXT CAMPS:



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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