



Nakekela News

June 2020

**Greetings in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ
from Everyone at Nakekela!**



Above: Home Based Care Team

“Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.” Ephesians 4:32

COVID 19 VIRUS TRAINING

The coronavirus is in South Africa with a population of 59 236, 514 million (2020). As of today, the confirmed cases are 12 456 active, 14 370 recovered, with 577 deceased. The South African president decided to extend the lockdown Level 5 till the end of April, then lockdown level 4 till the end of May and lockdown level 3 starts on 1 June. Nakekela Staff members had the opportunity to attend COVID 19 (Corona Virus) training provided by Sister Motshaisa from the Department of Health. We learned more about the Virus and measures to prevent it and ways to Screen people for Coronavirus at the entrance. Would like to thank **(DVN) De Verre Naasten** for the relief funding received for Personal Protective Equipment's (PPE) and four additional staff members. After the training we felt like we are ready to work again as we learned how to screen people going in and out of the centre. Since everyone was not allowed to work some of our support group members who were surviving or earning an income by selling vegetables and chicken farming could not sell on the street anymore. The lockdown affected them so badly that they could no longer be able to provide for their families. Special thanks to **Word and Deed** for the donation we received to support with food parcels to at least 30 members of the Support Group.



CENTRE HAPPENINGS

We are thankful to the Lord for fresh vegetables from our garden



Health educations at Nakekela





Adult Support Group for Tweefontein G Members



Children Support Group



Patient body exercise And physiotherapy



DONATIONS



Nakekela received a donation of cleaning supplies from **Sr Regina Maselela**.
May the Lord be gracious to you for your generosity.



We are grateful for the donation of clothing.



Adult Nappies and gloves from an ex-patient family

Adult Nappies from an out-patient



Nakekela is grateful to **De Verre Naasten (DVN)** for the Relief funding we received which helped us to buy shield masks for all staff members and hire four extra Care Workers to screen people for Coronavirus at the entrance



A special thank you
To **Word and Deed**
for the food parcels
donated to help the needy.



Be part of the work of Nakekela

HELP US WITH YOUR SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

Are you a Human Resources advisor, Health or Social Department advisor, Fundraising Consultant, Treasurer, Accountant, Medical Doctor or Legal Advisor? We need your help!

Nakekela is looking for people who can volunteer their expertise and knowledge to assist with various projects. If you are looking for an organisation that uplifts local community and want to invest in making a tangible difference in South Africa, please call us to discuss where you can get involved or get in touch by emailing nakekelaoffice@gmail.com if you can help us.

CONTRIBUTE FINANCIALLY

Nakekela relies on donations to meet the needs of our patients and keep our facility available to the community. If you would like to support the work of Nakekela financially, know that every cent is tracked and invested carefully. We also offer receipts for tax purposes.

All gifts can be EFT'd to

Nakekela

Standard Bank

Account: 348123027

Branch: Bronkhorstspuit (052850)

Swift code: SBZAJJ

HELP US PRACTICALLY

As a step-down facility with many patients, Nakekela constantly needs the following items for our patients:

- Pyjamas and sleepers
- Medication
- Wheelchairs and walking frames
- Toiletries: wash cloths, soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant
- Feminine hygiene items and underwear
- Blankets
- Bibles in English, Zulu, Ndebele, Pedi and Tswana
- Note books, paper, pens and pencils
- Art supplies

STATISTICS TO DATE:

Admissions:	61
Discharge to Home:	27
Deaths:	17
Hospital:	9

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