

MEDIA RELEASE **Gauteng Department of Health: PSA welcomes appointment of acting HOD**

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The PSA welcomes the appointment of Dr Sibongile Zungu as acting Head of Department of the Gauteng Department of Health.

Dr Zungu has worked in various institutions in Gauteng and recently also as HOD in the Eastern Cape. The PSA therefore trusts that Dr Zungu will be in a strong position to bring much-needed stability to the Department and work within the collective to lift the moral of employees during a time of desperate need for quality healthcare services as the COVID-19 pandemic is ravaging Gauteng.

The PSA wishes Dr Zungu well in this position and calls upon the MEC of Health to ensure that the HOD position is filled permanently without delay in the interest of stabilising the administration of the Department.

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