



**MEDIA RELEASE**                      PSA condemns security breach at Nellmapius Clinic in Mamelodi, Pretoria

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The Public Servants Association (PSA) is extremely concerned by a recent burglary at Nellmapius Clinic in Mamelodi in Pretoria, highlighting a serious lapse in security.

Unknown persons reportedly entered the Clinic in the early hours of the morning, breaching its perimeter by climbing over the fence and accessing the facility through a small window at the back of the building. During the incident, six computers, several handsets, and a set of clinic keys were stolen. Additionally, three doors were damaged, further compounding the losses.

This burglary occurred despite the presence of two security guards on site, raising critical concerns about the effectiveness of current security measures. This was the fifth burglary at Nellmapius Clinic, an unacceptable trend that jeopardises the safety of the Clinic's staff and the broader community it serves. Such breaches undermine the delivery of vital healthcare services and erode trust in public institutions.

The PSA urges the Minister of Police to urgently address this matter by deploying additional police officers to patrol the area and implement enhanced security measures at public facilities. It is imperative to safeguard these institutions as safe spaces for employees and communities.

The PSA stands in solidarity with the Clinic's staff and urges swift action to prevent further criminal acts.

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