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# ISebe lezeMpilo laseLimpopo ligxininisa ukubaluleka kokuncancisa

**NJENGOKO ILIZWE** libhiyozela iminyaka elikhulu yokuzalwa kukaMama Albertina Sisulu iSebe lezeMpilo laseLimpopo lithiye ziko lokuncancisa ngegama lakhe ukuze kuxhamle abadlezana.



■ UMphathiswa wePhondo laseLimpopo uGq Phophi Ramathuba ephahlwe ngoomama abancancisayo abeze kuzimasa lo umsitho wokuvulwa kweziko.

**Kanego Lewele  
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**U**kuncancisa kuluncedo kakhulu kwimpilo yomntwana futhi kuzigcina iintsana zondlekile kodwa oomama abaninzi abaphangelayo babanobunzima ngokuncancisa xa bebuyela emisebenzini emva kwekhefu lasemva kokubeleka.

Oku kubangelwa kukuba kungekho zindawo zifanelekileyo emisebenzini

zokuba abadlezana bancancise iintsana zabo okanye bakhame ubisi, baze bangabnamdla wokuqhubeleka bancancisa kuba bachitha ixesha labo elininzi emisebenzini iintsana zabo zingekho. Ngelinge lokuzama ukulungisa le ngxaki, iSebe lezeMpilo laseLimpopo livule kwii-ofisi zalo iziko lokuqala ngqa lokuncancisa nokukhama ubisi.

Eli ziko lokuncancisa livulwe ngokusesikweni nguMphathiswa wePhondo uGq

Phophi Ramathuba.

Eli ziko lithiywe ngegama likaMama Albertina Sisulu. Kulo nyaka sibhiyozela iminyaka elikhulu yokuzalwa kweli qhawekazi.

Sinethemba lokuba eli ziko alizikunceda kuphela oomama abancancisayo abaphangelayo koko liza kukhuthaza amanye amasebe ukuba abaxhase oomama abancancisayo emisebenzini.

Abasebenzi besebe baza kuvumeleka ukuba bacele abantu ababonase abantwana

na ukuba bazise abantwana emisebenzini ngesithuba sesidlo sasemini ukuze bancancise. Eli ziko liza kusetyenziswa nangabadlezana abafuna ukukhama ubisi besemsebenzini.

Omnye wabasebenzi besebe uMpho Kutumela nongumdlezana onamawele, eliyinkwenkwe neliyintombi, aneenyanga ezili-11 ubudala, uvuyiswa kakhulu kukuvulwa kweli ziko.

"Eli ziko lokuncancisa liza kusinceda kakhulu thina njengabadlezana kuba siza kukwazi ngoku ukukhama ubisi endaweni efanelekileyo ngaphandle kokuphazanyiswa," utshilo.

Oomama abandwendwela isebe bephethe iintsana zabo, nokuba balindwendwele ngantoni isebe, baza kuvunyelwa ukuba bancancise iintsana zabo.

UMphathiswa wePhondo uRamathuba uthi i-Albertina Sisulu Breastfeeding Room iliziko elifana lodwa kweli phondo.

UMphathiswa wePhondo unethemba lokuba eli ziko liza kunceda ukuba oomama bakwazi ukuncancisela

ezindaweni ezikhuselekileyo nezilungiselelwe kanye oku ngeenjongo zokuqinisekisa ukuba baba nabantwana abakhula bondlekile futhi besempilweni.

"Ubisi lwebele lunezakhama-mzimba ezifunwa kanye zintsana kwaye lelendalo, soze lenziwe ngoomatshini," utshilo uMphathiswa wePhondo. ■

## Izinto eziluncedo ngokuncancisa

- Ubisi lwebele lunezithinteli-ntsholongwane ezinceda abantwana ukuba bakwazi ukulwa iintlobo ezahlukeneyo zentsholongwane.
- Ukuncancisa kunciphisa amathuba okuba umntwana abenesifo sokwaliwa zizinto ezithile ezifana neentlobo zokutya okuthile.
- Abantwana abancanca ibele lodwa kwiinyanga ezintandathu zokuqala banamathuba ambalwa okusulelwa zizifo, okuba nezifo ezinxulumene nokuphefumla kunye nengxaki yotyatyazo.

## New health centre for Port Nolloth

**Jauhara Khan**

**T**he seaside town of Port Nolloth in the Northern Cape will soon benefit from a full-service community health centre project which promises to enhance access to quality healthcare.

The project is being implemented by the Independent Development Trust (IDT) on behalf of the Northern Cape provincial Department of Health at a cost of about R150 million and is expected to open soon.

Once completed, the building will comprise all primary health facilities including a trauma unit, radiology, dis-

pensary, psychiatric ward, maternity wards and paediatric wards. Consultation rooms will be used for reproductive health services, a psychologist, dietician and other services once constructed.

Work on site also encompasses the construction of facilities for support services including administration and waiting areas, ambulance quarters and parking bays, overnight accommodation for paediatric mothers, a mortuary, kitchen and dining area, stores and maintenance area.

Port Nolloth, located along the Atlantic Ocean, is one of the most remote areas of South Africa with a population of just over 6 000. It is served by

a small government clinic that offers a community-oriented primary health care programme that monitors and works towards the improved health and well-being of families in that area.

The progress on the project is currently at 70 percent. The contractor has been busy with installation of roofing in some of the buildings as well as internal plastering, painting and external work like paving, lighting and parking areas.

The project has created decent job opportunities. A majority of these jobs were reserved for the local community and a lot of the work on site, such as glass fittings and



■ Construction on a new community health centre in Port Nolloth in the Northern Cape is almost complete. The facility will soon offer the small town greater access to healthcare services.

cladding at the reception and waiting areas, were performed by local sub-contractors.

The IDT is an entity of the National Department of Public

Works and supports all spheres of government with social infrastructure management and programme implementation. ■