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SA gaining ground in AIDS fight



Deputy President Cyril Ramaphosa with the United Nation's Secretary-General Ban Ki Moon at the 21st International AIDS Conference in Durban.

Chris Bathembu

South Africa is set to launch a ground-breaking Antibody Mediated Prevention (AMP) vaccine trial.

"This is the most important vaccine trial in seven years that will happen on South African soil led by South African scientists at the Medical Research Council," said South African National Aids Council CEO Dr Fareed Abdullah.

The AMP study is a new idea for HIV prevention that is related to what has been done in HIV vaccine research. In traditional HIV vaccine studies, people are given a vaccine and researchers wait to see if their bodies will make the antibodies against HIV in response.

In the AMP study, however, researchers give people the antibodies directly.

Reacting to the announcement, Health Minister Dr Aaron Motsoaledi said South Africans should welcome any initiative aimed at finding an effective HIV vaccine.

Speaking to *Vuk'uzenzele* at the 21st International Aids Conference in Durban, Minister Motsoaledi said: "We know that for both TB, HIV and AIDS we need a vaccine urgently. If we can't get one, we won't break the back of these diseases. We need a game changer and a vaccine for HIV and AIDS will be a huge one."

South Africa also used the conference to demonstrate its unique capabilities in the fight against HIV and AIDS. South Africa hosted the conference this year, for the second time, having first hosted it in 2000. Unlike the 2000 conference that was overshadowed by debates which sought to prove or disprove the clash between the politics of HIV and science, this year's event was characterised by the desire by countries to usher in

a fresh approach in the fight against HIV and AIDS. For this particular study, South Africa is one of the trial sites and there are already patients who are part of the trial and getting antibodies which are being infused into their blood to prevent HIV.

"This is a cutting-edge science. There is a lot of hope and expectation that these type of trials are key to the scientific step forward," said Abdullah. If the trials succeed, this will put South Africa on the world map in terms of finding solutions for HIV. Minister Motsoaledi said South Africa and the world have to move with speed to find an HIV vaccine, adding that vaccines are as important as the cure for AIDS. Speaking during the conference, Deputy President Cyril Ramaphosa said since South Africa last hosted

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UNgqongqotjhe wezaManzi nokuHlwengisa ngaManzi, uNomvula Mokonyane, uNdunakulu weThagwini Tjingalanga u-Supra Mahumapelo noSomkhandlu ngesikhathi kuhlonywa e-Jericho iPhrojekthi yokuNikela ngaManzi eeNdaweni zemaKhaya.

Gabi Khumalo

UmNyango wezaManzi nokuHlwengisa ngaManzi uvule iphrojekthi yamanzi ezakwenza kube ngcono

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ukutholakala kwamanzi e-Jericho, esesifundeni se-Thagwini Tjingalanga.

IPhrojekthi ye-Jericho

yokuPhakela aManzi eNdaweni yemaKhaya, ebize imali eziingidi ezili-R15, ilekelele ngokuphakamisa umnotho nokuhlalisana kwabantu bendawo, yaphakamisa nezinga lokutholakalawamanzi ebantwini be-Jericho, ngaphasi kwakaMasipaladi weNdawo ye-Madibeng.

Ngephrojekthi le kufakelwa amaphayiphu, amahlelo wokutsenga amanzi, kulingwe bekubhorwe iimpetsi zamanzi, kutholakale amanzi weempetsi kube kulanganiswe namaphayiphu asezela imithombo yamanzi ekhona njenganje nesilulu somthombo oseza eminye.

Emnyanyeni wokwembula iphrojekthi le, uNgqongqotjhe wezaManzi nokuHlwengisa ngaManzi

uNomvula Mokonyane noNdunakulu weThagwini Tjingalanga u-Supra Mahumapelo banikele abantu abadinge khulu iinLori eziThwala aManzi.

Ilori yamanzi ngayinye kilezi ingaphatha amanzi ali-100 lamakhilolitha.

UNgqongqotjhe ukhuthaza amalunga womphakathi ukuthi abe nelitho alenzako ekuvikeleni umthangalasisekelo karhulumende onqophe ukwenza ipilo yabantu ibe ngcono.

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Umhlomulo Wamasiso Weengidi eziliKhomba zamaRanda Uzuzisa i-Bergville

ABOMASIPALADI BAKWAZULU-NATALA

bathola isizo ngeHlelo lokuVuselela, i-*Small Town Rehabilitation Programme*.

Thandeka Ngobese

Ukucisisa kwakurhulumende alinga ukuqinisekisa ukuthi abantu beendawo zemakhaya bayakghona ukufumana izezenzelwa zomphakathi kwezwe ukuthi kugcine kwakhiwe iziko lokulawula izehlakalo zomonakalo, kwakhiwe neziko lokuhlalisa amalaysense edorobheni le-Bergville.

Ihlelo i-*Small Town Rehabilitation Programme* lisebenzele belasiza abomasipaladi abambadlwana, hlangana nabo ekubalwa noMasipaladi Ukhahlamba KwaZulu-Natala. I-Bergville iyingcenyekamasipaladi lo. UmNyango wezokuBusa ngokuBambisana nezeNdabuko (i-Cogta), usebenzise imali engaphezulu kweengidi ezili-R7 ngalelihlelo lokuvuselela le-Bergville.

USomkhandlu we-Cogta uNomusa Dube-Ncube, ngokulekelana noSomkhandlu omutjha wezokuThutha nokuPhepha komPhakathi uMxolisi Kanda basandukulivula mhlapha lelihlelo.

USomkhandlu uDube-Ncube uthi owona mnqopho omkhulu weHlelo lokuVuselela i-*Small Town Rehabilitation Programme* kuhlumisa umnotho eendaweni zemakhaya nokwakha ibhoduluko eliphephileko nelihlanzekileko elizakubamba amasiso, liwadose beliwandise.

“Nakwenzeka koke lokho, kuzakuvuleka imisebenzi yesikhatjhana ngokuvuselelwa komthangalasisekelo ukube ngahlanye kwanda ukuvuleka kweminye imisebenzi yasafuthi ngamasiso wekoro yangeqadi. Bangaphezulu kwama-40 abantu abatjha

bakaMasipaladi Ukhahlamba abafundiselwe ukucima umlilo. Boke njalo bafunyanana umsebenzi wasafuthi nakuvulwa leziko lokulawula izehlakalo zomonakalo. Kuqatjhwé abogadi nabahlwengisi. UMasipaladi lo wayethembele kubacimimlilo bakaMasipaladi we-Ladysmith namkha eMnambithi. Lokhu-ke kwakutjho ukuthi ukuphepha kweemvakatjhibukeli nokwezakhamuzi kwakungahlali kusezingeni eliphezulu soke isikhathi,” kutjho uDube-Ncube.

USomkhandlu u-Kaunda naye ukubona njengegadango eliqatheke khulu ukuvulwa kwaleliziko lokulawula izehlakalo zomonakalo.

“Umphakathi kwanje sewuzakubulunga imali yokukhamba uye e-Ladysmith, uyokuthola lezizenzelwa, mva

nje esele uzazithola khona endaweni yangekhabo i-Bergville,” kutjho uSomkhandlu u-Kaunda.

IKosi uMenzi Hlongwane womBusositjhaba waMaNgwane uthi bathabile ngaleziindaba zalokhu okwenzekako.

“Lokhu kusitjengiso sokuthi mbala urhulumende wekhetu uncamile ngokuthuthukisa iindawo zemakhaya. Azange sikhe sicabange ukuthi lapha e-Bergville ngelinye ilanga sizakhe sibe nesiteyitji seencimamlilo, angisakhulumi-ke ngeziko lokuhlola iinkoloyi,” kuhlathulula iKosi uHlongwane.

Omuniye wabacimimlilo, uNompumelelo Mhlungu, uthi wathoma ngokudonda ukwenza isibawo nakezwa ngehlelo lokufundisela abafundi umsebenzi wokuba bacimimlilo, aca-

banga ukuthi angeze bamthathe.

“Akusiqiniso ukuthi nawuzakuthola umsebenzi embusweni kufuze ube nomaziko namkha ube nobaziko, ozwana nabo. Anginamuntu engimaziko nengizwana naye embusweni. Ngezwa ngethuba lokufakwa kweembawo, ngathumela sami, bangithatha. Ngizibonele mathupha ukuthi urhulumende unikela abantu beSewula Afrika boke amathuba alinganako.

USodorobha kaMasipaladi Ukhahlamba uThulani Sibeko uthi leligadango lizobabulungela imali enengi khulu labo abafuna ukuyokuthatha amalaysense wokutjhayela.

“Abantu bakilendawo bebasuka la baye e-Estcourt namkha eMnambithi, kodwana gadesi sebazakusebenzisa indawo etja esandukuvulwa, eyakhiwe endaweni yekhabo”.



Iziko lokuLawula izehlakalo zomonakalo eliTjha le-Bergville lizokuqinisekisa ukuphepha kwamalunga womphakathi.

I-Tshwane Ihlomisa Ilutjha

Nosihle Shelembe

Ihlelo i-Tshepo 10 000 lomKhandludorobha we-Tshwane linqophe ukhlo-misa ilutjha. Liqale ukufundisa nokuthuthukisa amakghonofundwa webhizinisi newelwazi lokusebenza nokuphatha imali kunye nangokusungulwa kwamabhizinisi wehlanganisela.

Ihlelveli lomkhandludorobha libuye livule namathuba wokuthi kuthengwe imikhiqizo nemisebenzi kumalunga we-Tshepo 10 000 ngokusebenzisa irherho lokusabalalisa begodu nelokufundisa indlela yomisebenzi; lokhu-ke likwenzelela ukukhuphula izinga lokuphumelela kwamabhizinisi wehlanganisela, libe liqinisekise nokuthi

ihlelo lokuvulwa kwemisebenzi liyadzimelela belihlale likhona.

Ihlelveli nalithomako ngoVela-bahlinze wee-2013, umKhandludorobha wamukela iimbawo ezizii-52 000 ezazivela kizo zolikhomba iimphande ze-Tshwane, kodwana kwakethwa abantu abazii-10 000 kwaphela.

Ngokutjho komKhulumeli womKhandludorobha we-

Tshwane u-Blessing Manale, amabhizinisi wehlanganisela anikelwe umsebenzi wechwephe-tjhe begodu selavule imisebenzi engaphezulu kwee-2 662.

"UmKhandludorobha we-Tshwane uvulele amabhizinisi wehlanganisela ama-279 amathuba angabiza ii-R247 809 696.71," kutjho u-Manale.

A m a t h u b a e k u k h u -

lunywa ngawo la, kusa-tjalaliswa kwepahla nokwenziwa kwemisebenzi yokulungisa enjengokulungiswa nokuhlengiswa kwamaliba, ukumeregwa kweendlela, ukuhlengisa nokubutha emakhweni kamasipaladi, ukusikwa kotjani, ukufakelwa kwemitjha-nyana yamamitha, ukupenda nokuvuselelwa kwemakho. **V**

Ihlelo Lamakghonofundwa Le-Tshwane Liqothele Ilutjha

Nosihle Shelembe

U-Nteseng Mogorosi nakaqeda umethrikhi ngomnyaka wee-2004 wayesele asazi ukuthi yena ufuna ukuba ngusomabhizinisi, ngoba wayekholwa ukuthi lokho kuzamnikela ikululeko.

Wangena eYunivesithi i-Witwatersrand, wayokufundela iziQu ze-Bachelor of Accounting Science, kodwana ngetjhu elimbi-ke nokho akhange akghone ukufunda abe aziqede iziqu zakhe, ngenca yokuthayelelwa ziimali.

Ngetjhu elihle-ke nokho u-Eskom wamnikela ithuba lesibili lokuthi ayokufundela i-National Diploma in Financial Management e-Central Johannesburg College, ngehlelo lokufundisa abafundi lakhona kwa-Eskom.

Uthe nakaqeda iimfundo zakhe ngomnyaka wee-2009, u-Eskom wamqatjha, wamupha

umsebenzi wokuba siphathi- mandla esisebenza ngeendaba zomholo khona kwa-Eskom.

Kodwana ngombana bekasolo aphikelele ngebhudango lakhe lokuzisungulela yakhe ibhizinisi, wathokoza umsebenzi ngomnyaka wee-2011, wayozivulela ibhizinisi yezokuthutha.

Wathenga itrogo, wayisebenzisela ukuthutha ipahla esuka eSewula Afrika iya e-Zimbabwe, kodwana ibhizinisi yakhe yagcine ifile ngemva kokobana itrogwakhe ibandakanyeke engozini yendlela.

"Kwaba sikhathi esimbi khulu lokhuya ibhizinisi yami nayifadalalako. Leso kwaba ngesinye seenkhathi zobudisi obumbi khulu bepilwami. Kodwana-ke azange ngiphele amandla, ngoba nginomntwana ekufuze ngimondle."

"Ngesikhatheso ngafunda iincwadi ezinengi zabantu abaphumeleleko epilweni;

ngathola ukuthi abanengi babo bakhe babhalelwa kanye namkha kabili emizamani yabo. Ngesikhatheso ngangineminyaka ema-25 ubudala, ngalokho-ke ngaba nethemba lokuthi ngangisese nesikhathi esinengi sokuvuka godu, ngoba bengisemncani," kutjho u-Mogorosi.

Ngomnyaka wee-2013 wezwa kukhulunyiswa ihlelo i-Tshepo 10 000 lomKhandludorobha we-Tshwane lokubandula ilutjha ngamakghonofundwa wezama-bhizinisi, wabese uphuthuma ithubeli bona lingamphunda.

Emveni kobana u-Mogorosi aqede ukufunda, yena nomhlanganyeli wakhe webhizinisi ahlange naye ngalo ihlelveli, benza isibawo sokutlolisa ibhizinisi yehlanganisela, ebizwa ngokuthi yi-Mokopu Group.

Mbala ibhizinisi le yatloliswa ngoNtaka wee-2014, kanti-ke yenza umsebenzi wokuhlwe-

ngisa emafemini, wokusika utjani, wokufufuzela iinunwana ngetjhefu, ibuye godu isabalalise neensetjenziswa zokuhlengisa.

Njenganje ibhizinisi le isetjenziswa babantu abali-17 abasebenza umsebenzi wasafuthi, nabama-60 abatorhako.

"Umraro omkhulu kinayo yoke ibhizinisi yehlanganisela le ekhe yaba nawo ekuthomeni kwaba ziimali. Kwaba mraro ngoba nasithola i-oda yokuthenga, umKhandludorobha we-Tshwane wawulindele ukuthi sethule imisebenzi nge-malethu, bese wona usibhadela ngemva kwamalanga ama-30.

Ungezelela ngokuthi abahlanganyeli bebhizinisi le bebagalima imali emakhaya kobanyana bazokwazi ukwenza umsebenzi othengwe likhasimende osele ukhutjhelwe isitlakana se-oda.

"Nasithomako ilunga ngalinye kwafuneka ukuthi

likhuphe i-R100 ngenyanga ekwakufanele ukuthi isetjenziswe iindleko zebhizinisi; imali leyo-ke besiyisebenzisela iindleko zokuthutha neminye imisebenzi ephathelene nebhizinisi, njengokudosa isitifikethi sokuHloniyiswa kwabaNzima ngomNotho (se-BEE) kunye nokutlolisa ibhizinisi ngokwayo."

Nanyana ibhizinisi inemraro engaka nje umuntu nakasayithomako, kodwana u-Mogorosi ukhuthaza abantu abatjha ukuthi bazithomele wabo amabhizinisi.

"Nawuqala amazwe anomnotho onzinzileko ephasini loke, ubunengi bemisebenzi yezomnotho emazweni lawo ivela emabhizinisini amancani.

"I-Tshepo 10 000 ilihlelo elihle kwamambala, ngoba abantu abanengi abajoyina ihlelveli babengasebenzi ngesikhatheso, bafuna umsebenzi," kuhlathulula u-Mogorosi. **V**

Igezi Esemthethweni Eendaweni Zemithathlana ZeJwanisbhege

Albert Pule

I-City Power, eliphiko leDorobha leJwanisbhege, isebenzisa iingidigidi zamarandi ukuphungula igezi ethungelelwa beyikhanyiswe ngokungasi semthethweni, begodu iqalelela nokusetjenziswa ngokuphepileko kwegezi eendaweni zemithathlana ngaphakathi kwedorobha leJwanisbhege neendawo ezizibhodileko.

UmJaphethe womNqophisi oPhetheko kwa-City Power uSicelo Xulu uthi ihlelo lokufakelwa kwegezi, elibala nokufakelwa kwegezi yekarada, lizakuqothela iindawo zemithathlana zoli-189 eziseDorobheni yeJwanisbhege.

Iindawo zemithathlana zi-



Izakhamuzi zeendaweni zemithathlana zizokufakelwa igezi.

hlukaniswe ngamakoro amathathu. Yokuthoma ngile idorobha yeJwanisbhege ezoyakha beyiyithuthukise khona duze nje. Leyo-ke izakulandelwa ziindawo ezingathatha iminyaka engafika kelitjumi bona zithuthukiswe, kanti-ke zekoro yokugcina ngilezo ezizokuthuthwa lapho zikhona njenganje.

"Le-ke yikambisolawulo idorobha yeJwanisbhege eyithetheko, kanti-ke sibekela ngeqadi imali

elibhiliyoni li-R1, 3 ezakusebenza eminyakeni emithathu ezako le ngehlelo lokufakela igezi."

UXulu uthi esinye seenzathu ezikulu khulu sokufakela igezi eendaweni zemithathlana kuphungula umthamo obudisi othwelwe lithungelelwano lokuphakela igezi elithwele budisi khulu njenganje, ngenca yomukghwa wokuzidosela igezi ngokungasi semthethweni.

"Abanye babantu abahlala kile-

ziindawo zemithathlana badosa igezi yabo emalokitjhini abakhelenenawo; lokhhu-kekuthwe-sa umthangalasisekelo umthwalo obudisi.

"Izokuqedwa yoke igezi edoswengokungasiseemthethweni, bese sithoma ukufakela abantu igezi esemthethweni. Igezi leyo izokuba namamitha, ngalokho-ke abantu ebebangabhadeli sebazakuthoma ukubhadela nabo."

Bekube gadesi, i-City Power seyifakele igezi eendaweni zemithathlana i-Setswetla (e-Alexandra), ne-Lolly Station (e-Lenasia), ne-Princess Plot (e-Roo-depoort) kunye ne-Naren Farm (engesewula yeJwanisbhege).

Mhlaphanje uMengameli u-Jacob Zuma ukhanyisele izi-

ndlu ezizii-7 000 igezi eNdaweni yemiThathlana iThembelihle, e-Lenasia, ncangesewula yeJwanisbhege.

Iphrojekthi yeThembelihle ibize iingidi ezima-R90 kanti inqophe ukuqinisekisa ukuthi umphakathi wendawo le usebenzisa igezi ephephileko ebuya emKhandlwinidorobha weJwanisbhege.

Nakabakhanyisela igezi njalo uMengameli ukhwezelele abomasipaladi ukuthi bafunde ngephrojekthi yeThembelihle, bayisebenzise njengesibonelo emphakathini wangemakhabo.

UmKhandludorobha weJwanisbhege ne-City Power babuye bafaka igezi emakhaya ama-200 eHostela ye-Diepkloof, ese-Soweto. **V**