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COVID-19
is real, says
ICU doctor

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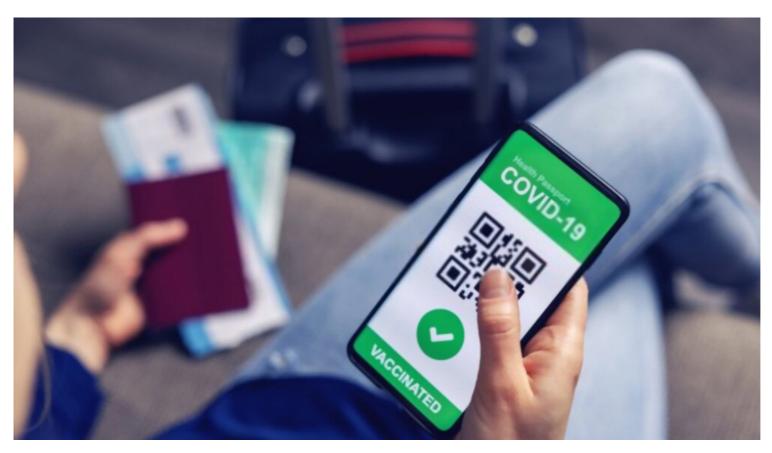




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SA to roll out vaccine certificates



resident Cyril
Ramaphosa has
announced that the
Department of Health will
soon roll out a vaccine cer-

tificate as proof that residents have been vaccinated against the Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19).

Addressing the nation

recently, the President said the digital pass system could be used to show vaccination status to facilitate travel, access to establishments, gatherings and other forms of activity.

"Our approach is informed by World Health Organisation guidelines and is in line with international best practice. Streamlining and standardising proof of vaccination will also go a long way towards getting a number of international travel restrictions both from and into our country eased," he explained.

The President also announced that the country would move from Adjusted Alert Level 2 to Adjusted Alert Level 1 after it exited the COVID-19 third wave.

"Getting vaccinated is not only about protecting yourself and those around you; it is also about preventing new and more dangerous variants from emerging.

The virus can spread and mutate in unvaccinated populations," President Ramaphosa said.

However, he urged South Africans to continue to adhere to the basic precautions to limit the spread of the virus, even if they have vaccinated.

Economic recovery

President Ramaphosa said the country's priority is economic recovery to make room for job creation and help businesses hard hit by the pandemic get back on their feet.

"The only way that we can

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U fhelisa zwiito zwa vhuada kha tshumelo dza muvhuŝo

Phalamenndeni ya uri vhashumeli vha muvhuso vho vha vha khou tanganedza tshelede dza mundende nwedzi nga nwedzi dzi sumbedza uri ri kha di vha na mushumo vhukuma wa u khwathisedza mvelele ya mikhwa kha tshumelo ya muvhuso.

Mathomoni a nwaha, ho dovha ha wanala uri vhashumi vha swikaho 16 000 vha re kha mutevhe wa miholo ya muvhuso vho badelwa mundende wa Thadulo ya zwa Matshilisano ya Magavhelo a zwa Vhushai wa COVID-19. Zwi a divhea uri vhahumbeli vhane vha vha na zwinwe zwiko zwa mbuelo a vha tei u wana mundende uyu. Zwi dovha zwa vha kha khagala uri avho vha wanaho mbuelo u bva kha muvhuso a vho ngo tea ita khumbelo ya mundende uyu.

Naho zwo ralo vho zwi ita. Vhanwe vhathu vha 17 000 vho tholwaho muvhusoni wa lushaka na wa vundu vho disa khumbelo kha ndingedzo dza u engedza miholo yavho nga tshelede yo itelwaho vhashai. Musi hu na thodea khulwane shangoni, ine vhashumeli vhashu vha muvhuso vha tou i divha zwavhudi, zwiito zwivhi izwi nga khole zwa u tswa masheleni a muvhuso a zwi hangwelei.

Muvhuso zwino u khou khwathisa nungo dza u thivhela u tambiswa uhu ha masheleni na u dzhiela vhukando munwe na munwe wa vhashumeli vha muvhuso ane a dzhenelela kha vhukhakhi uhu.



Muvhuso wo rwela tari Yunithi ya Vhudifari ha Ndaulo ya Tshitshavha, Tshirunzi na Thuso ya Thekhinikhala ya Ndatiso. Yunithi i do fhata vhukoni nga ngomu ha zwiimiswa zwa tshitshavha u itela u tshimbidza maitele a ndatiso kha milandu ya u shaya vhudifari na u vha na tshumisano na zwiimiswa zwa muvhuso kha u ita uri avho vha zwiito izwo vha dzhie vhudifhinduleli ha zwiito izwo zwavho.

Yunithi i do pfukisela milandu ya zwiito zwa vhuada kha Tshigwada tshi Shumanaho na u Lwa na Zwiito zwa Vhuada na u sala murahu mihasho u khwathisedza uri milandu ya vhugevhenga ine ya kwama vhashumeli vha muvhuso i fhedzisela i milandu ine vha dzhielwa vhukando ha ndatiso.

Musi hu na tshumisano na vha Senthara ya Thanganelano ya mazhendedzi manzhi, yunithi i do thusa u topola vhashumeli vha muvhuso kha milandu ya ndeme ine ya khou todisiswa nga vha zwiimiswa zwa vhukombetshedzi ha mulayo.

Yunithi i do lavhelesa kuitelwe kwa u tolwa ha matshilele a vhashumeli vha muvhuso. Hune mihasho ya topola zwiito zwa vhuada na lupfumo lu sa talutshedzei, milandu i do pfukiselwa kha vha Tshumelo ya Tshipholisa ya Afrika Tshipembe.

Yunithi ntswa yo no di thoma u shuma yo difunga, u thusa u topola vhashumeli vha muvhuso vho didzhenisaho kha milandu ya thengo dza tshomedzo dza COVID-19, mundende wo khetheaho wa COVID-19 na vhufhura kha Tshikwama tsha Ndindakhombo ya Vhushayamushumo

Milandu ya vhashumi vha muvhuso ine ya iswa kha Yunithi ya Tsedzuluso yo Khetheaho u itela nyito ya ndatiso i do lavheleswa nga yunithi u ela mvelaphanda yayo.

Tshinwe tshitenwa tsha ndeme ya mushumo wa Yunithi hu do vha u thoma vhudifari na tshirunzi kha maimo a tshumelo ya muvhuso. Vhashumeli vha muvhuso vha si gathi lwa minwaha yo vhalaho vho vha na kuvhonele kwa uri u ita vhubindudzi kana u vhuelwa lu songo daho u bva kha Muvhuso zwi a tendelwa khavho, khonani dzavho na mita yavho, tenda ha vha hu si na u pfuka mulayo. Ri tea u lwa nga nungo dzothe u shandukisa kuvhonele ukwu.

Musi ri khou shumela u fhelisa zwiito zwa vhuada, hu tea u vha na u sedza ho linganaho kha mikhwa ya vhudifari havho, ngauri kha zwine zwa nga vha zwi sa tou vha zwi siho mulayoni, zwi nga vha zwi si vhudifari havhudi na u sa tanganedzea kha vhashumeli vha muvhuso.

Yunithi ntswa i do ta maga na milayo kha zwa vhudifari na tshirunzi. I do dovha ya fhata vhukoni ha mihasho kha u dzhia vhukando ha ndatiso kha vhashumi vhane vha wanala vhe na mulandu wa u shaya vhudifari. Mahola vhashumi vha fhiraho 200 vho pfumbudzwa sa vhaingameli na vhathomi.

U fhata muvhuso u re na

vhudifari u konaho zwi dzula zwi zwa ndeme kha ndaulo iyi.

Saizwi ho sumbedziswa tshivhalo tsha milandu ine ya kwama vhashumeli vha muvhuso vha vhuelwaho zwi siho mulayoni, maitele a do konda nahone a do dzhia tshifhinga. Fhedzi ro diimisela u dzula ro sedzana nazwo.

Muvhuso u konaho ndi mutheo wa u swikelela zwipikwa zwothe zwa lushaka. Ha sa khwiniswa vhudifhinduleli na u tutuwedza vhudifari kwaho, a hu na tshine tsha nga swikelelwa.

Vhunzhi ha vhashumeli vha muvhuso vho dikumedzela, vha thonifha mulayo nahone vha na vhudifari.

Mushumo we ra livhana nawo ndi tshumisano ya u bvisa avho vha songo diimisela, na u lulamisa mafhungo a si one a uri vhothe vha shumaho muvhusoni vha khou shumela thumbu dzavho kana vha ita zwa vhuada.

Ndi ita khuwelelo kha vhanna na vhafumakadzi vhothe vha shumelaho shango lashu duvha na duvha uri vha dikumedzela hafhu kha mikhwa ya u bveledzisa vhanwe vhathu na tshumelo, na u humbula uri vhudifari havho vhu tea u dzula vhu mulayoni na u vha na vhudifari kwaho.

U thomiwa ha yunithi iyi ndi inwe ya ndila ine nga khayo ra khou shuma u fhelisa zwiito zwa vhuada muvhusoni nahone kha masia othe a vhutshilo ha Afrika Tshipembe.

Partnerships tackle gangsterism

Silusapho Nyanda

ormer gang leader
Welcome Witbooi
(38) has warned
parents to monitor their
children closely and
spend enough time with
them to keep them away
from gangs.

"It's the small details parents must pay attention to. Suddenly coming home late is one of the critical signs. If your child is suddenly buying a cell phone or sneakers, you should be concerned and take immediate action," he says.

Witbooi joined a gang at the age of 12. He says when The Firm, a gang that no longer exists, was recruiting him, it offered him the promise of a family structure. Witbooi came from a



single grandmother-headed home.

"Before the gang recruits you, they know your family situation. If a parent interacts with their children, the gang can't influence the child," says Witbooi, who has formed BrightSpark Foundation SA to help youth stay away from gangs.

Adults play a crucial role in ending gang activity in their neighbourhoods.

Western Cape Anti-Gang Unit (AGU) Acting Commander Colonel Karl Wienand says the unit has formed partnerships, through community engagement programmes, to curb organised crime in the province.

The AGU engages with community members, nongovernmental organisations that fight social ills, such as drug use.

The organisation also works with community policing forums and neighbourhood watches.

"This helps us learn about the areas and individuals we should be looking at. In cases where people are not able to speak freely, they contact us directly and we meet them in a discreet and secure manner," Wienand says.

The unit has 189 members conducting operations in the Western Cape, 132 in the Eastern Cape and 78 in Gauteng.

The AGU has also formed strong partnerships with various law enforcement bodies, including the Asset Forfeiture Unit, National Prosecuting Authority and the SAPS' Detective Services. Together they have seized guns used by drug dealers.

Community
members can
report crime at the
nearest police station or by calling
10111. To contact
the Western
Cape AGU, call 071
673 1615. To contact
the BrightSpark
Foundation, call
064 384 7360.

Kha vha khwathisedze uri vha na wili

rali vha si na wili a vha nga vhi na ndango kha ane a la ifa la ndaka yavho musi vha tshi lovha. Hezwi zwi nga vhanga uri vhathu vha vhe vhalaipfa vha tshelede kana ndaka yavho, naho vha sa vha todi.

Arali muthu a lovha a songo ita wili ndaka ine vha vha vha nayo i do kovhiwa u ya nga Mulayo wa Thevhekano ya Ifa, kha vhathu vhane vha tea u vha vhalaifa vha vhukuma vha ifa ilo.

Mulayo u bula milayo ine nga khayo ifa la kona u kovhekanywa. Li ya kha mashaka a tsinisa u thoma, nga mutevhe wo tiwaho:

- Arali vhe na mufarisi o salaho fhedzi, mufarisi u dzhia ifa lothe.
- Arali vha si na mufarisi nahone ho sala vhana vhavho fhedzi, vha do kovhekanyiwa ifa u lingana.
- Arali vhe na mufarisi na vhana, mufarisi u do



wana mukovhe wa nwana kana 250 000 u ya nga uri zwinzhi ndi zwifhio ngeno vhana vha tshi kovhekana zwo salaho. Sa tsumbo, arali ndaka i tshi swika R2 milioni mufu o sia mufarisi na vhana vhararu, vhana vha kovhekana tshivhalo tshi linganaho tsha R500 000. Mukovhe wa nwana u rekanywa nga u andisa ndeme nga nna.

 Arali vha si na mufarisi kana vhana, vhabebi vhothe vha kha di tshila, vha do wana mukovhe u linganaho wa ndaka. Arali hu na mubebi o lovhaho, a sia vharathu, vhakomana kana khaladzi, mubebi ane a kha di tshila u wana hafu ya ifa ngeno vhatumbukwa vha mubebi o lovhaho vha tshi wana inwe hafu ya ndaka ya mufu.

- Arali vhabebi vha mufu vhothe vho lovha, fhedzi vha sia vhatumbukwa, ifa li khethekanywa nga vhukati u lingana.
- Arali mufu a sa sie mufarisi, vhatumbukwa, vhabebi kana vhatumbukwa vha vhabebi, shaka la dzofha la tsinisa li wana ifa lothe.
- Tsha u fhedzisela, mufu a sa sia shaka na lithihi, Muvhuso u vha mulaifa

wa ifa lothe.

Ntha ha izwo zwi re afho ntha, nwana o bebiwa nga nnda ha mbingano u vha mulaifa u bva vhushakani ha dzofha hothe; na nwana a si wa dzofha/o adoputhiwaho u dzhiiwa sa mutumbukwa wa mubebi kana vhabebi vhawe vho mu adoputhaho.

Ndi lini hune wili ya shumisea?

Wili i shuma fhedzi musi yo itwa nga muthu are na minwaha ya 16 kana u fhira, na u tea u swikelela thodea dzi tevhelaho:

- I tea u tou ńwalwa, nahone tsaino yavho i tea u vha hone kha siaţari lińwe na lińwe na mafhedziseloni.
- I tea u sainiwa hu na thanzi mbili kana nnzhi dzi re na thalukanyo yo fhelelaho. Muthu munwe na munwe a re na minwaha ya 14 u ya ntha a nga vha thanzi. Mulaifa a nga si vhe thanzi.
- Vha tea u katela zwi-

dodombedzwa zwothe zwa ndaka yavho na uyo ane vha tama u mu siela ndaka, hu tshi katelwa madzina na zwidodombedzwa zwawe.

- Vha tea u nanga muthu wa u langa ifa lavho (mulangaifa). Muthu uyo ha tei u vha mulaifa.
- Vha tea u bula zwine zwa tea u itea kha ifa la vhalaifa vhane vha kha di vha vhatuku.
- Arali vhe muundi wa nwana mutuku, vha sumbedze uri hu tea u tiwa nnyi sa muundi wa nwana.
- Vha tea u khwathisedza uri wili yo sainiwaho yo vhulungwa zwavhudi, ngauri khophi a i shumi.

Mafhungo o nekedzwaho nga Ofisi ya Ombudi ya Vhanetshedzatshumelo vha zwa Masheleni sa murado wa Komiti ya Pfunzo ya zwa Masheleni a Vharengi ya Lushaka.