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ICU doctor

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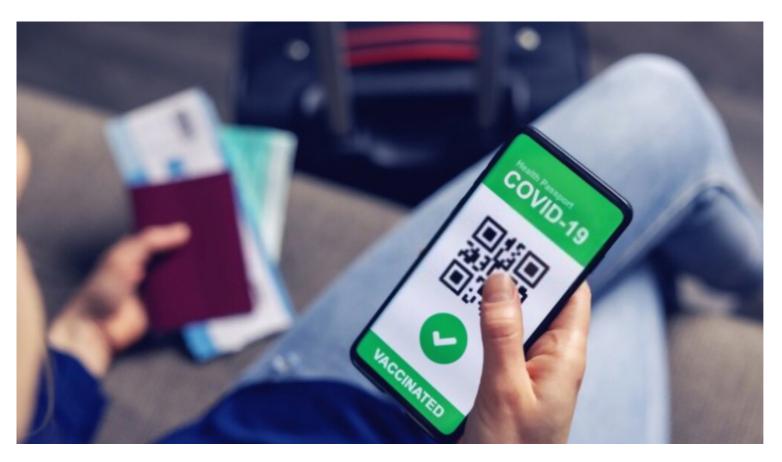




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SA to roll out vaccine certificates



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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HO TSWA UNION BUILDINGS

Ho fedisa bobodu tshebeletsong ya setjhaba

shenolo ya Palamenteng ya hore basebetsi ba mmuso ba diketekete ba ntse ba fumana matlole a dithuso tsa setjhaba ka bokunyata kgwedi le kgwedi e bontsha hore re ntse re sa na le leeto le le telele leo re lokelang ho le nka ho kenya tlwaelo ya maitshwaro a matle tshebeletsong ya setjhaba.

Pejana selemong sena, ho ile ha boela ho fumanwa hore basebetsi ba kabang 16 000 ba fumanang mokgolo mmusong ba ile ba fumantshwa Letlole la Dithuso la Kimollo ya Matshwenyeho la COVID-19 ka bokunyata.

Mang le mang o a tseba hore bakopi ba nang le mehlodi e meng ya lekeno ha ba tshwanelehe ho fumantshwa Letlole lena. Ho boetse ho a tsebahala hape le hore ba fumanang lekeno ho tswa mmusong ha ba tshwanelehe ho kenya dikopo.

Le ha hole jwalo ba ile ba di kenya. Batho ba kabang 17 000 ba hirilweng mmusong wa naha le wa profense ba kentse dikopo molemong wa ho eketsa meputso ya bona ka tjhelete e reretsweng mafutsana. Ha re nahana ka sekgahla sa tlhoko naheng ena, seo basebetsi ba rona ba mmuso ba se tsebang hantle, maikemisetso ana a ka boomo a ho utswetsa setjhaba ha a tshwarelehe ho hang.

Mmuso jwale o tiisa letsoho boitekong ba ona ba ho thibela tlhekefetso ya mofuta ona le ho nka kgato kgahlano le mang kapa mang ya tshebeletsong ya setjhaba ya amehang tlolong ena ya molao.



Ha morao tjena, mmuso o phatlaladitse Yuniti e ntjha ya ho Thusa ka Merero ya Maitshwaro, Botshepehi le Dikgato tsa Kgalemelo ya Basebetsi Tshebeletsong ya Setjhaba. Yuniti e tla thusa mafapha a mmuso ho theha tsamaiso ya dinyewe tsa kgalemelo mabapi le maitshwaro a mabe le ho sebedisana le makala a mang a mmuso ho ahlola ba ikarabellang bobo-

Yuniti e tla lebisa dinyewe tsa bobodu ho Sehlopha sa Tshebetso se Lwantshang Bobodu mme e latele mafapha ho etsa bonnete ba hore dinyewe tsa tlolo ya molao tse kenyeletsang basebetsi ba mmuso di kenyeletswa le dinyeweng tsa kgalemelo. Ka ho sebedisana mmoho le kemedi ya Setsi se Kopanetsweng ke Ditheo tsa Diphuputso tsa Melato e Meholo, yuniti e tla thusa ho hlwaya basebetsi ba nkgang lefotha dinyeweng tsa melato e meholo tse fuputswang ke maponesa.

Yuniti e tla shebana le boitshwaro ba ditlhahlobo tsa bophelo ba basebetsi ba setjhaba. Moo mafapha a tshwayang bobodu le leruo le sa hlaloseheng, dinyewe di tla fetisetswa ho Tshebeletso ya Sepolesa sa Afrika Borwa.

Yuniti ena e ntjha e se e qadile ka mosebetsi wa yona ka mafolofolo, e thusa ho futulla basebetsi ba mmuso ba amehang dinyeweng tse amanang le dithendara COVID-19, le bobodu ba Letlole le Ikgethileng la COVID-19 le Letlole la Inshorense ya ho Fellwa ke Mosebetsi.

Dinyewe tsa basebetsi ba mmuso tse fetisitsweng ke Yuniti e Ikgethileng ya Diphuputso bakeng sa dikgato tsa kgalemo di tla lekolwa ke yuniti ho lekola hore na di a phethahatswa kapa tjhe.

Karolo e nngwe ya bohlokwa ya mosebetsi wa Yuniti e tla ba ho tiisa melao ya maitshwaro a matle le botshepehi maemong a tshebeletso ya setjhaba. Dilemong tse fetileng basebetsi ba mmalwa ba mmuso ba bile le mohopolo wa hore ho etsa le kgwebo le mmuso kapa ho una molemo o sa hlokahaleng ho tswa Mmusong ho dumeletsehile molemong wa bona, wa metswalle le wa ba malapa a bona, ha feela ho se tlolo ya molao. Re tlameha ho etsa tsohle tse matleng a rona ho fetola mohopolo ona.

Ha re ntse re sebetsa ho fedisa bobodu, ho tlameha hore ho shejwe ka ho lekana ho ruta maitshwaro a matle, hobane se ka nnang sa se ke sa ba tlolo ya molao e kanna ya ba se fosahetseng ebile se sa tshwanele mosebetsi wa

Yuniti e ntjha e tla beha mekgwa le maemo hodima maitshwaro a matle, botshepehi e boitshwaro. E tla boela e thusa mafapha mererong ya ho kgalema basebetsi ba mmuso ba fumanwang ba bile le boitshwaro bo bobe.

Selemong se fetileng basebetsi ba fetang 200 ba ile ba kwetlisetswa ho ba baofisiri ba okametseng le bathakgodi.

Ho aha naha e nang le maitshwaro a matle, le bokgoni e ntse e le sepheo sa puso ena. Jwalo ka mahlabisa-dihlong a mangata a kenyeletsang basebetsi ba mmuso ba unang

molemo o seng molaong ho tswa mmusong a bontshitse, motjha ona o tla ba boima mme o tla nka nako. Le ha ho le jwalo, re ikemiseditse ho dula temeng ya rona.

Naha e nang le bokgoni ke motheo wa phihlello ya dintho tsohle tse tlang pele setjhabeng. Ntle le ho ntlafatsa boikarabello le ho kgothaletsa boitshwaro bo botle, ha ho letho le tla fihlellwang.

Boholo ba basebetsi ba rona ba mmuso ba sebatsa ka boinehelo, ba hlompha molao ebile ba na le maitshwaro a matle.

Mosebetsi o ka pele ho rona ke ho sebetsa mmoho ho fothola ba sa ikamantsheng, le ho lokisa mohopolo o fosahetseng wa hore bohle ba hirilweng mmusong ba itjhebile bo bona kapa ba tletse

Re ipiletsa ho banna le basadi bohle ba sebeletsang naha ya rona letsatsi le leng le le leng hore ba itlame botjha boleng ba ho beha batho pele le tshebeletsong ya setjhaba, le ho hopola hore boitshwaro ba bona bo tlameha ho dula bo le molaong le boitshwarong bo botle ka dinako tsohle.

Ho thehwa ha yuniti ena ke e nngwe ya ditsela tseo re di sebedisang ho fedisa bobodu mmusong le makaleng ohle a naha ya Afrika Borwa.

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

"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
1011. To contact
the Western
Cape AGU, call 071
673 1615. To contact
the BrightSpark
Foundation, call
064 384 7360.

Netefatsa hore o na le Wili!

aeba o sena wili e nepahetseng, o ke ke wa ba le taolo ya hore na ke mang ya tla abelwa thepa ya hao ha o hlokahala. Sena se ka baka hore batho ba abelwe tjhelete kapa thepa ya hao, leha ebe o ne o sa batle hore ba di fumane.

Haeba motho a hlokahala a sa etsa wili, thepa eo a neng a ena le ona e tla ajwa ho latela Molao wa ho Aba Thepa ya Mofu ho ya ka Tlhatlhamano ya Malapa, ho batho ba tshwanetseng ka ho nepahala hore ba e fumane.

Molao ona o hlakisa melao ya hore na lefa le lokela ho ajwa jwang. Le ya pele ho ba lekolo, le teng le ya jwalo ka tlhatlhamano:

- Haeba mofu o hlokahetse a na le molekane feela, molekane e tla ba yena ya abelwang lefa lohle.
- Haeba mofu o hlokahetse a sena molekane mme a na



le bana feela, bana ba na ba tla abelwa lefa ka dikaralo tse lekanang.

- Haeba mofu o hlokahetse a na le molekane le bana, molekane o tla fumana karolo e lekanang le ya bana kapa R250 000, ho ya ka hore ke efe e kgolo, mme bana ba tla arolelana tjhelete e setseng. Ho etsa mohlala, haeba lefa le na le boleng ba R2 milione mme mofu a hlokahala a na le molekane le bana ba bararo, tjhelete ya ngwana ka mong e tla lekana le R500 000. Tabeng ena hore ho fumanwe hore karolo e lekanang le ya bana ke bokae ho arotswe boleng ba lefa ka dihlooho tse nne
- Haeba mofu o hlokahetse a

sena molekane kapa bana, empa batswadi ka bobedi ba ntse ba phela, batswadi e tla ba bona ba tla abelwa lefa ka dikarolo tse lekanang. Haeba motswadi a le mong o hlokahetse, empa bana ba hae ba sa phela, motswadi ya setseng o tla abelwa halofo ya lefa mme bana ba hae ba tla fumana halofo e nngwe.

- Haeba batswadi ba mofu ka bobedi ba hlokahetse, empa ba hlokahetse ba na le bana, lefa la mofu le tla arolelwa bana ba na ka dikarolo tse lekanang.
- Haeba mofu o hlokahetse a sena molekane, bana, batswadi kapa bana ba haabo, lefa lohle la hae le tla abelwa wa leloko ya amanang

ka madi

 Ya ho qetella, haeba mofu o hlokahetse a sena mang kapa mang wa leloko, Mmuso o tla ja thepa yohle ya lefa.

Ho tlaleletse se boletsweng ka hodima, ngwana eo batswadi ba hae ba sa nyalanang a ka kgona ho abelwa lefa hobane o amana le batswadi ba hae ka bobedi ka madi; mme ngwana wa letholwa o nkwa e le setho sa leloko sa motswadi kapa batswadi ba mo amohetseng.

Wili e nkuwa e le molaong ha e le jwang?

Wili e nkuwa e le molaong ha feela e entswe ke motho ya dilemo tse 16 ho ya hodimo, mme e tlameha ho iteanya le dipehelo tse latelang:

- E tlameha ho ngolwa, mme e saenwe qetellong ya leqephe le leng le le leng.
- E tlameha ho saenwa ke dipaki tse pedi kapa ho feta tse nang le tsebo ka se wili e buang ka sona. Motho

ofe kapa ofe ya dilemo di 14 ho ya hodimo e ka ba paki. Mojalefa e ka se be paki.

- O tlameha ho ngodisa dithepa tsa hao kaofela le hore o batla ho di siyela bomang, ho kenyeletsa mabitso le dintlha tsa bona.
- O tlameha ho kgetha motho ya tla ikarabella ho abeng lefa la hao (mophethahatsi). Motho enwa ha a tlameha ho eba moialefa.
- O tlameha o bolele se lokelang ho etsahala ka lefa la mojalefa ya tlase dilemong.
- e seng wa madi eo o mo hodisang, ngola hore o batla hore ngwana eo a sale a hodiswa ke mang.
- O tlameha ho netefatsa hore wili ya sethatho e saenweng e bolokehile, hobane khopi e ka se sebetse.

Lesedi le tswa ho Kantoro ya Ombud ya Bafani ba Ditshebeletso tsa Ditjhelete jwalo ka setho sa Komiti ya Naha ya Bareki ya Thuto ya Ditjhelete.