

Academic Programme

Saturday, 19th July 2025

CPD

HPCSA Accredited

CEU points: 10 | Ethics points: 5

08h00 – 08h45	Registration & Arrival Tea/Coffee		Speakers
	PLENARY SESSION 1		Chair: Gerhard Grundling
Venue	Ekurhuleni 1 & 2		
08h45 - 09h10	Welcome		Gerhard Grundling
09h10 - 09h40	Obesity as a psychiatric illness		Frans Korb
09h40 - 10h10	Cancer & mental health		Elize Wethmar
10h10 - 10h40	GLP-1 RA and mood disorders - not just a diabetic drug?		Kuven Naidu
10h40 - 11h15	Insulin & the brain		Kobus Roux
11h15 – 11h45	Refreshment Break Ekurhuleni 4 & 5		
WORKSHOPS			
Venue	Ekurhuleni 1 & 2		Duduza
11h45 - 13h15	Workshop 1		Workshop 2
	Speaker: Eugene Allers	Chairs: Dimpho Molise Nikhil Nowbath	Speakers: Neil Amoore Cassie Chambers Nicolene van Niekerk
	Schizophrenia update		The vital role of support groups
	Session Sponsor: Johnson&Johnson		
13h15 - 14h00	Lunch Break Ekurhuleni 4 & 5		
14h00 - 15h30	Workshop 3		Workshop 4
	Speakers: Anersha Pillay Karishma Lowton Prinesh Miseer	Chair: Yashna Mohangi	Speakers: Nonhle Dube Androula Ladikos
	Neuropsychiatry cognitive disorders		The MDT in childhood & adolescent learning & behaviour difficulties: When to refer to whom
	Session Sponsors: Dr.Reddy's		SUN PHARMA
15h30 - 16h00	Refreshment Break Ekurhuleni 4 & 5		
16h00 - 17h30	Workshop 5		Workshop 6
	Speakers: Sean Chetty Pauline du Plessis	Chair: Rina Hyams	Speakers: Daniel Greenslade Samantha Holle Hayley Meduric
	Addressing the bio-psycho-social needs in chronic pain patients		“Sex in your office” The MDT approach to dealing with intimacy
	Session Sponsor: VIATRIS		
17h30	Close		
18h30	Speakers’ Dinner		

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07h00 – 08h00	Registration & Arrival Tea/Coffee	
Venue	Private Dining (upstairs)	Duduza
07h30 - 08h15	Breakfast Symposium 1	Breakfast Symposium 2
	Newer Therapies in the management of psychotic disorders	TBC
	Speaker: Eugene Allers	Speaker: Tracy Nelwamondo
	Sponsor: Johnson&Johnson	Sponsor: novo nordisk
	PLENARY SESSION 2	
Venue	Ekurhuleni 1 & 2	
08h30 - 09h00	Through the looking glass: Building brilliance in an upside-down world	
09h00 - 09h30	The secrets your handwriting holds	
09h30 - 10h00	Obesity in mind: The growing role of obesity in psychiatry	
10h00 - 10h30	Ethics: Consent & shared decision-making in geriatric patients	
10h30 - 11h00	Refreshment Break	
	PLENARY SESSION 3 - ETHICS	
Venue	Ekurhuleni 1 & 2	
11h00 - 11h30	What should you do when you are reported to the HPCSA - Ethical & legal considerations	
11h30 - 12h00	Fitness to practice	
12h00 - 12h30	Social media in the addiction space	
12h30	Close	

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