

# Disability Rights Awareness Month

3 November 2017 - 3 December 2017

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## DRAM2017

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| 01 November    | MP       | Provide information on available services to parents and care-givers of children with disabilities  | DSD Emakhazeni Local Municipality, Waterval Boven     | Ms ZP Shongwe<br>013-257 0313<br>072 238 6251   |
| 01 November    | MP       | Promote South African Sign Language and share information on Deaf Culture   | Emalahleni Local Municipality, Council chamber        | Trudy Xhala<br>0728963841   |
| 01 November    | MP       | Dialogue  | Victor Khanye: Delmas Botleng Ext 3 Library           | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773   |
| 01 November    | MP       | Disability Educational Talk   | Thembalukuphila clinic                                | S. M Makuwa-063 085 2217<br>N.N Gule-017 753 9904<br>N.L Mkhali-072 993 2619  |
| 01-02 November | NW       | Provincial Disability Rights Forum Meeting (10H00)<br>The Provincial Leadership of the Disability Rights Sector will convene in Plenary session to finalise preparations for DRAM 2017 & Provincial Machinery Summit. | Klerksdorp Matlosana                                  | OSPD<br>Thapelo Motlogi<br>082 324 3145   |
| 02 November    | WC       | Disability Entrepreneur empowerment road show   | Central Karoo District Municipality – Beaufort West   | Ellen.Hlatywayo@dpw.gov.za  |
| 02 November    | MP       | Awareness campaign on rights and responsibility for people living with disability.  | Simile community hall                                 | Tebogo & Florence<br>0766871214   |
| 02 November    | MP       | Outdoor trip for persons with disabilities  | Skukuza Kruger National Park                          | Vinkey M Sibuyi<br>0797433770   |
| 03 November    | KZN      | National Launch of Disability Rights Awareness Month  | KZN,eThekweni Chesterville Extension 3 Community Hall | Ms Boni Malefahlo<br><a href="mailto:Bonim@dsd.gov.za">Bonim@dsd.gov.za</a><br><a href="mailto:DisabilityRights@dsd.gov.za">DisabilityRights@dsd.gov.za</a><br>012 312 7586 |
| 03 November    | NC       | Disability Rights Awareness Month Launch- Media Briefing  | Kimberley   | Office of the Premier: OSPD<br>Ms Kenosi Sebico<br>053 838 2492   |
| 03 November    | FS       | Provincial Launch of DRAM2017 – Dialogue on the White   | Mangaung Metro, Free                                  | Office of the Premier   |

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|             |          | Paper on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities   | State                                 | Florence Letsoalo<br>landline (+27) 051 403 3971<br>fax (+27) 051 405 4021<br><a href="mailto:florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za">florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za</a>   |
| 03 November |          | Sensitize employees on the reasonable accommodation draft policy- Information session on reasonable accommodation draft policy   | COGHSTA Boardroom                     | COGHSTA<br>Nandipha Julingalo<br>Wilma Isaacs<br>072 537 3645  |
| 03 November | GP       | Consultation Workshop For Entrepreneurs with Disability  | Mamelodi, Pretoria, Chamber Boardroom | Ms Tears Mihloti Maluleke<br>Department of Small Business Development<br>The dti Campus: Pretoria<br>Tel: 012 394 5729 Fax: 012 394 6729 E-mail:<br><a href="mailto:TMaluleke@dsbd.gov.za">TMaluleke@dsbd.gov.za</a> |
| 03 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa- Sports day  | Dullstroom                            | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396   |
| 04 November | GP       | Nappy Run<br>A fun and interactive way to support the cause of children with disabilities and make a public stand for this most exposed and vulnerable group of people in our country. Come join the fun and run/walk/wheel or stroll for children with disabilities on Saturday 4 November at the Johannesburg Zoo at 09h00. Registration opens at 07h00, but you can register online by clicking on the banner above. Entrance fee is R90 for adults and R45 for children under the age of 12. Remember to wear a CLOTH nappy in any way you choose and if you can, please come with a pack of nappies to donate. All sizes are welcome, but the biggest need is for children large and adult small sizes. | Johannesburg Zoo                      | <a href="http://www.nappyrun.org.za/">http://www.nappyrun.org.za/</a><br><br>The National Council of and for Persons with Disabilities<br>NCPD   |
| 04 November | LP       | Children's day celebration and launch of disability month  | Modimolle                             | Maluta Mulibana  |

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|             |          |  |   | 0826124886  |
| 04 November | MP       | Managing Disability in the Workplace   | Ehlanzeni North District Office(Tonga environmental centre) | Mr KV Nkwalase<br>013-7666471 or 0826845159   |
| 04 November | KZN      | Making Inclusive Health a Reality for Children and Adults of All Abilities- Clinical Director training | Glenwood (Durban), Kwa-Zulu Natal.                          | Ms Ancilla Smith<br>Tel: +27 11 706 3323<br>Fax: +27 11 706 6145<br>Mobile: +27 76 536 7297<br>Email:<br>ancilla@specialolympics.org.za |
| 04 November | NC       | National Children's Day- Workshop  | Pixley ka Seme, De Aar                                      | Office of the Premier: ORC<br>Ms Nomfundiso Mandabane<br>053 838 2776   |
| 06 November | GP       | Information sharing on services offered by the Department of Water & Sanitation                        | Department of Water & Sanitation Office                     | S Makgaloa<br>T Magagula  |
| 06 November | MP       | Disability Awareness campaign  | Hambani primary School                                      | S. M Makuwa-063 085 2217<br>N.N Gule-017 753 9904<br>N.L Mkhalihi-072 993 2619  |
| 06 November | MP       | Epilepsy Awareness   | Kwa Mhlanga Hospital  | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773   |
| 07 November | MP       | Disability Awareness campaign  | Daggakraal primary School                                   | S. M Makuwa-063 085 2217<br>N.N Gule-017 753 9904<br>N.L Mkhalihi-072 993 2619  |
| 07 November | LP       | Economic empowerment workshop for people with disabilities   | Jane Furse  | Maluta Mulibana<br>082612 4886  |
| 07 November | MP       | Reviewal and Administration of Social grants for the residents   | Epilepsy SA and SASSA Waterval                              | Mpati and Busi<br>078 1338001   |
| 07 November | MP       | Empowering of family for people living disability and epilepsy.  | Graskop & Pilgrim Rest                                      | Tebogo & Florence<br>0766871214   |

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| 07 November      | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa-Epilepsy Talk   | Wonderfontein Clinic  | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 07 November      | KZN      | Graduation Ceremony for Class of 2017 Athena Interactive Training Network 2017 Learners with Disabilities who have completed the Business Administrative Services NQF2 National Certificate, funded by TETA | Hlanganani Hall<br>Esikhawini<br>Richards Bay   | <a href="mailto:Info@athena.co.za">Info@athena.co.za</a><br>For Attention: Ms S Masikane<br>031 459 0942<br><a href="http://www.athena.co.za">www.athena.co.za</a>  |
| 07 – 08 November | GP       | 5th Annual Disability Rights Conference<br>'Domesticating the CRPD in the African region: A focus on access to justice and legal capacity'  | Saint George Hotel,<br>58 Goede Hoop Avenue,<br>Doornkloof, Pretoria, 0132,<br>South Africa | Linda Yotamu<br>The Centre for Human Rights at the Faculty of Law, University of Pretoria<br><a href="mailto:disabilityrightsconference@gmail.com">disabilityrightsconference@gmail.com</a><br>Jehoshaphat Njau<br>Project Coordinator, Disability Rights Unit<br>Tel +27 (0)12 420 6345<br>Fax +27 (0)86 580 5743<br>jehoshaphat.njau@up.ac.za<br>www.chr.up.ac.za |
| 08 November      | NW       | Training for SASL Interpreters (09h00)<br>Training on Ethics and Deaf Culture for Interpreters with intentions of creating a Provincial Framework for SASL  | Vryburg<br>Naledi LM  | Dept Culture, Arts & Traditional Affairs<br>Petite Sebetlele<br>084 452 8136  |
| 08 November      | NW       | Community Outreach (10H00)<br>Awareness sessions on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities   | Re ka Dira Thata Disability Centre- Koster<br>Kgetleng-Rivier LM                            | Dept Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 08 November      | MP       | Awareness campaign on the prevention of ritual killing and the loss of life for Persons with disabilities   | DSD, Health. SAPS and SASSA<br>Thembelihle centre   | H Mathebula<br>017-6483253  |

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| 08 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa-Support group  | Dullstroom                                      | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 08 November | MP       | Disability Empowerment Campaign  | Islington Tribal Hall                           | Vinkey M Sibuyi<br>0797433770   |
| 08 November | FS       | Dialogue on the White Paper on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities                                   | Fezile Dabi Municipality                        | Office of the Premier<br>Florence Letsoalo<br>landline (+27) 051 403 3971<br>fax (+27) 051 405 4021<br><a href="mailto:florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za">florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za</a> |
| 09 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa-Epilepsy Talk  | Mngwenya Clinic & Vulinqondo Stimulation centre | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 09 November | MP       | Awareness raising on Assistive devices to Short-sighted and Blind people                                 | DSD Emakhazeni Local Municipality<br>Belfast    | 013 25403130<br>72 238 6251   |
| 09 November | MP       | Managing Disability in the workplace   | Ehlanzeni North district Office (Thulamashe)    | Mr KV Nkwalase<br>013-7666471 or 0826845159   |
| 09 November | MP       | Disability Awareness for Day Care centres  | Mental Health and Epilepsy SA; Siyabuswa        | Mpati and Busi<br>0781338001  |
| 09 November | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers | Ga-Matlaba Hall<br>Ikageng<br>J.B Marks LM      | PDF & OSPD<br>Coach Matlawe<br>083 715 6149   |
| 09 November | NC       | 10th Anniversary debate on INDS and CRPD- Debate on Rights of Persons with Disabilities                  | De Aar  | Office of the Premier: OSPD<br>Ms Kenosi Sebico<br>053 838 2492   |
| 09 November | LP       | District Build-up Recognition Awards for Persons with Disability in Agriculture and Rural Development    | Vhembe  | Ms. Silidi T<br>Tel: 015-9632006/7<br>Mr Mokone M.M<br>Cell:072 184 8016  |

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| 10 November | WC       | Golf day at Worcester Golf Club – promoting and advocating the rights of persons with disabilities with a slide show at and during the awards ceremony.                  | Worcester  | Deonie Basson<br>www.bvapd.org.za<br>Marketing Manager * M: 083 638 2221 * T: 023 347 2002 * F: 023 347 2178   |
| 10 November | GP       | Information sharing on accessibility of services to the general public   | Department of Water & Sanitation Office                        | S Makgaloa<br>T Magagula   |
| 10 November | NW       | Local Launch (14h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers   | Klerksdorp Banquet Hall<br>Matlosana LM                        | PDF & OSPD<br>Moagi Kodisang<br>082 863 7496   |
| 10 November | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers   | Wolmarransstad Town Hall<br>Maquassie-Hills LM                 | PDF & OSPD<br>Mantwa Kopung<br>078 421 7564  |
| 10 November | NC       | Motivate and encourage Persons with Disabilities- My confidence workshop in collaboration with the VEP program   | Kimberley  | Dep. of Social Development<br>Ms C.Meyer<br>Ms.L.Mattheus<br>027 712 2054  |
| 10 November | NC       | Raising awareness on the rights of Persons with Disabilities   | Phokwane<br>Jan Kempdorp                                       | Ms M.T.Kote<br>J. Magade<br>053 872 3544   |
| 11 November | WC       | Launch of “Mastering the Art of Self-Motivation” by Musa E. Zulu<br>18:30  | Cape Medical Museum<br>Old City Hospital Complex<br>GreenPoint | Valhalla Arts & Western Cape<br>Department of Arts and Culture<br>RSVP: Ms Kholiwe Dabula<br><a href="mailto:capemedicalmuseum@gmail.com">capemedicalmuseum@gmail.com</a><br>TEL: 021 418 5663 |
| 11 November | GP       | The launch of Sheri Brynard’s book – ‘ <i>Just the Way I am</i> ’<br>Sheri Brynard is an International ambassador and activist for people with intellectual disabilities | Johannesburg,  | Dr. Susette Brynard<br>Lecturer: School of Education<br>Studies<br>PO Box / Posbus 339, Bloemfontein<br>9300,  |

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|                     |          |   |  | 051 4013654/ 27834150459<br><a href="mailto:brynards@ufs.ac.za">brynards@ufs.ac.za</a> |
| 12 November         | LP       | Celebrating the legacy of the late Lazarus Kgagodi, the musician  | Mohlaletse, Fetakgomo<br>Greater Tubatse<br>Municipality | Maluta Mulibana 0826124886   |
| 12 November         | NW       | Cleaning Campaign (09h00)<br>To educate Persons with Disabilities about their Rights and Responsibilities                           | Obakeng Disability Centre<br>Greater Taung               | Dept Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558                    |
| 13 November         | NW       | Local Launch (11h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers                            | Mmabatho Civic Centre<br>Mahikeng LM                     | PDF & OSPD<br>M. Moncho<br>078 451 0064  |
| 13 November         | NW       | Community Outreach (09h00)<br>Community Outreach Program on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities                                 | Ipelegeng<br>Mamusa LM                                   | Dept Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558                    |
| 13 November         | NC       | Training on Disability Disaggregation of Data- Workshop   | Kimberley  | OSPD & DENC<br>Rev. Mark Makhele<br>072 278 3418                                       |
| 13 November         | MP       | Epilepsy Awareness  | Bernice Samuel Hospital                                  | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773  |
| 13 – 14<br>November | NC       | Awareness creation on inclusive education- Recruitment for enrolment of children of school going age for children with disabilities | Kimberley<br>Kuruman                                     | Dep. of Education<br>Ms Claudi Wood: 053 839 6598<br>Ms Tshidi Mayeng: 053 839 6935    |
| 14 November         | NC       | Legacy of OR Tambo and honouring the Provincial Stalwarts- Lecture  | Kimberley  | Office of the Premier: OSPD<br>Ms Kenosi Sebico<br>053 838 2492                        |
| 14 November         | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers                            | Madibogo Community Hall<br>Ratlou LM                     | PDF & OSPD<br>Tshepiso Moshoeu<br>076 712 9745   |
| 14 November         | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers                            | Wolmarransstad Town Hall<br>Maquassie-Hills LM           | PDF & OSPD<br>Mantwa Kopung  |



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| 14 November | NW       | Community Outreach (09h00)<br>Information sharing session on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities     | Nkukise Disability Centre-<br>Mabaalstad<br>Moses Kotane LM           | Dept Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558 |
| 14 November | LP       | Economic empowerment workshop for people with disabilities   | Giyani  | Maluta Mulibana<br>082612 4886                                      |
| 14 November | MP       | Disability picnic and beauty pageant   | Health, Tonga Hospital  | Ms CN Manzini<br>082 441 5192                                       |
| 14 November | MP       | Awareness camping on the Cause of disability due to Foetal Alcohol Syndrome                              | DSD Emakhazeni Local Municipality;<br>Emthonjeni                      | MS ZP Shongwe<br>013-2570313  |
| 14 November | MP       | Managing Disability in the workplace   | Nkangala District Municipality<br>Nkangala district office            | Mr KV Nkwalase<br>013-7666471 or 0826845159                         |
| 14 November | MP       | Disability Campaigns   | DSD Siyabuswa<br>Kameelrevier   | NCB Gamede<br>013-9733927   |
| 14 November | MP       | Renovation of a disability Centre and handing over of donations  | Department of Human Settlements<br>Thembisile Hani Local Municipality | Ms Shabangu<br>013-766 6049<br>072 361 2050                         |
| 14 November | MP       | School programme admission for learners with disabilities  | Epilepsy SA and Isibindi<br>Maganagobuswa,<br>Siyabuswa               | Mpati and Busi<br>0781338001  |
| 14 November | MP       | Children and youth with epilepsy in schools  | Local school around Sabie and Graskop                                 | Tebogo & Florence<br>0766871214                                     |
| 14 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa-Epilepsy Talk concentrating on Campi story for children with epilepsy              | Hambanathi & Mpilonhle P School                                       | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 14 - 16     | GP       | SAHRC Hearings into Mental Health  | Johannesburg  | afitzgerald@sahrc.org.za  |

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| November       |          |   |  |   |
| 15-16 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa- Provincial Special Olympics Advanced Games   | Embalenhle   | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 15 November    | LP       | Transport Indaba  | Polokwane  | Department of Transport   |
| 15 November    | NW       | Awareness programme to protect the lives of persons with Disabilities at risk of compounded marginalisation | Department of Community Safety, Security and Liaison<br>Sun City (Kwathando Care Centre) | Mr Msiza<br>073 397 4101  |
| 15 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers    | Delareyville Town Hall<br>Tswaing LM   | PDF & OSPD<br>Tshepiso Moshoeu<br>076 712 9745  |
| 15 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers    | Lichtenburg Town Hall<br>Ditsobotla LM   | PDF & OSPD<br>Thabiso Monyebodi<br>082 701 2455   |
| 15 November    | FS       | Dialogue on the White Paper on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities                                      | Lejwe Le Putswa Municipality   | Office of the Premier<br>Florence Letsoalo<br>landline (+27) 051 403 3971<br>fax (+27) 051 405 4021<br><a href="mailto:florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za">florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za</a> |
| 16 November    | MP       | Workshop on Disability Rights   | Health, Barberton Hospital   | Ms CN Manzini<br>082 441 5192   |
| 16 November    | LP       | District Build-up Recognition Awards for Persons with Disability in Agriculture and Rural Development       | Waterberg  | Ms Kgobe C.A<br>014-717 4949<br>Mr Mosima P.P<br>Cell:072 647 8607  |
| 16 November    | MP       | Dialogue  | Botleng Ext 3 Hall<br>Victor Khanye LM   | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773   |
| 16 November    | NW       | Community Dialogue (10h00)  | Welgeval   | Dept of Social Development  |

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|                |          | Community Dialogue on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities   | Moses Kotane LM   | Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 16 November    | NW       | Community Dialogue (09h00)<br>Community Dialogue led by Parents of Children with Disabilities on their Rights                           | Bloemhof<br>Lekwa-Teemane LM  | Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 16 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers                                | Zeerust Town Hall<br>Ramotshere-Moiloa  | PDF & OSPD<br>Tshepiso Moshoeu<br>076 712 9745   |
| 16 November    | NW       | Community Outreach (09h00)<br>Community Outreach & Story-Telling Program for Children with Disabilities                                 | We Can Educare Centre-<br>Jouberton<br>Matlosana LM   | Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 16-17 November | MP       | Economic Disability summit 2017   | DPSA<br>Midway Inn Hotel, Steve<br>Local Municipality   | Emely Ntuli<br>013-7941711   |
| 17 November    | LP       | Limpopo Disability Parliament   | Provincial legislature  | Maphishane Molepo:<br>0824186282   |
| 17 November    | NC       | Awareness raising on disability- Session  | Kimberley   | Dep. of Health<br>Ms M. Loots<br>053 830 0565<br>060 983 1269  |
| 17 November    | GP       | Enforcement of by-law against illegal parking on disability parking bays in Soshanguve  | The motorcade will start at<br>Thorntree Mall Plaza<br>(Soshanguve), drive around<br>the mall and end at the<br>mall. | Thabang M. Malapela<br>Director: Disability Directorate<br>Tel: 012 358 7531   Cell: 082 867<br>3854  <br><a href="mailto:Thabangm@Tshwane.gov.za">Thabangm@Tshwane.gov.za</a> |
| 17 November    | GP       | Career Development Services Information - promoting Career Development Services for people with disabilities to access the PSET system. | The Department of Higher<br>Education and Training,<br>No. 123 Frances Baard<br>Street.<br>Room 300: Career           | Abigail Baloyi<br>Assistant Director: Career<br>Development & Open Learning<br>Tel: 012 312 5913<br>Email: baloyi.am@dhet.gov.za   |

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|             |          |  | Development Services at 10:30-11:30.                         |  |
| 17 November | MP       | Disability Consultative platforms and support for self-representation  | Sinethemba community hall                                    | Charmaine Kubeka<br>013-6651271  |
| 17 November | MP       | Disability Sport Day   | Health and Nkangala District<br>Dullstroom                   | Marjan Middeljans<br>072 263 7918                                      |
| 17 November | MP       | Provision of Care and support to Blind people  | Sediswising and Epilepsy SA<br>Kameelrivier                  | Mpati and Busi<br>0781338001 &<br>0791727381                           |
| 17 November | MP       | Epilepsy Awareness Awareness campaign  | Amasi Centre for children with disabilities<br>Bushbuckridge | Vinkey M Sibuyi<br>0797433770  |
| 17 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa- Road Block  | Dullstroom   | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396   |
| 17 November | NW       | Community Dialogues (09h00)<br>Community dialogue on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities   | Reatlegile Community Centre<br>Maquassie-Hills LM            | Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558 |
| 17 November | NW       | Door to Door (10h00)<br>Awareness Campaign for Parents of Children with Disabilities and Care-Givers   | Itsoseng<br>Ditsobotla LM                                    | Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558 |
| 17 November | NW       | Community Outreach (09h00)<br>Information-sharing sessions with Parents of Children with Disabilities on Educational Needs   | Mareetsane<br>Ratlou LM                                      | Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558 |
| 17 November | NW       | Community Outreach (09h00)<br>Information-sharing sessions with Parents of Children with Disabilities on Educational Needs   | Matloding<br>Ratlou LM                                       | Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558 |
| 17 November | NW       | Disability Rights Sectoral Parliament (10h00)<br>Public Participation Program (interaction between MPL's and the Disability Sector) & Celebrations of the 20 Years | North West Provincial Legislature<br>Mahikeng LM             | Provincial Legislature<br>Rev Tshepo Lekoma                            |

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| 18 November    | MP       | Workshop on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities(WPRPD)   | Department of Community Safety, Security and Liaison<br>Mpumalanga Province<br>Traffic Training College | Ms U Ferris<br>072 606 8199<br>Ms D Mpenyani<br>082 335 5666           |
| 18 November    | NW       | Disability Rights Music Festival (13h00)<br>Music Festival organized by SAMDA to profile Artists from the sector and mobilize for talent search program.                       | Potchefstroom Town Hall<br>J.B Marks LM   | S.A. Disabled Musicians Association<br>Coach Matlawe<br>083 715 6149   |
| 20 November    | MP       | Conduct Gender, disability and age sensitive based violence workshop   | Department of Community Safety, Security and Liaison<br>Ermelo  | Mr V Thungwane<br>072 633 6807   |
| 20 November    | NC       | Awareness raising on disability- Awareness on Blindness  | Phokwane-Pampierstad  | Dep. of Social Development<br>Ms.M.T.Kote; J.Magade<br>053 872 3544    |
| 20 November    | LP       | Economic empowerment workshop for people with disabilities   | Thohoyandou   | Maluta Mulibana<br>082612 4886   |
| 20 November    | MP       | Epilepsy Awareness   | Botleng Proper Clinic<br>Victor Khanye LM   | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773  |
| 20 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers   | Vryburg Banquet Hall<br>Naledi LM   | PDF & OSPD<br>Thapelo Motlogi<br>082 324 3145                          |
| 20 November    | NW       | Awareness Campaign (09h00)<br>Community Awareness Campaign on generic definition of Disability, types of Disabilities and possible reasonable accommodation measures for each. | Southey<br>Kagisano-Molopo LM   | Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558 |
| 20-29 November | NC       | Training of parents and caregivers of children with disabilities   | Frances Baard<br>Ritchie  | Dep. of Social Development<br>Ms MT Kote ; J Magade                    |

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|             |                       |  |   | 053 874 3544   |
| 21 November | GP<br>WC<br>EC<br>KZN | <p>HSRC Seminar Series: Language and Literacy Acquisition and Development among Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing Learners: No More Compromising!</p> <p><b>Presenters:</b><br/>Prof Claudine Storbeck, Director of Hi Hopes* , and the Centre for Deaf Studies, University of the Witwatersrand (WITS) and Ms Lynette Diederichs, Co-founder of Cued Speech South Africa**, certified Cued Speech Facilitator, and Head Teacher, Quest Model School (near Durban</p> <p>The seminar intends expanding critical engagement on the role of South African Sign Language, English and Cued Speech within a bi/multilingual educational context. Key challenges in daily teaching and learning along with teacher training and research priorities will also be addressed.</p> <p>There will be a South African Sign Language interpreter at the presentation, which will be visible at all centres.</p> <p><b>RSVP</b> by 20 November 2017</p> | <p><b>Time:</b> 12h30 – 14h00</p> <p><b>Pretoria:</b> HSRC Video Conference, 1st floor HSRC Library Human Sciences Research Council, 134 Pretorius Street, Pretoria.</p> <p><b>Cape Town:</b> HSRC, Merchant House 116-118 Buitengracht Street Cape Town, Cape Town.</p> <p><b>Durban:</b> The Atrium, 5th Floor, 430 Peter Mokaba Ridge, Berea, 4001 ,</p> <p><b>Sweetwaters:</b> Old Bus Depot, Mbubu Road, Sweetwaters</p> | <p>Contact Arlene Grossberg, Tel: (012) 302 2811, e-mail: <a href="mailto:acgrossberg@hsrc.ac.za">acgrossberg@hsrc.ac.za</a></p> <p>Contact: Jean Witten, Tel (021) 4668004 or <a href="mailto:JWitten@hsrc.ac.za">JWitten@hsrc.ac.za</a> or Carmen August at <a href="mailto:caugust@hsrc.ac.za">caugust@hsrc.ac.za</a></p> <p>Contact Ridhwaan Khan, Tel (031) 242 5400, cell: 083 788 2786 or <a href="mailto:RKhan@hsrc.ac.za">RKhan@hsrc.ac.za</a> , or Hlengiwe Zulu at e-mail <a href="mailto:HZulu@hsrc.ac.za">HZulu@hsrc.ac.za</a></p> <p>Tel: 033-324 5000</p> |
| 21 November | NC                    | Gender and Disability mainstreaming in the workplace- Organizational disability survey   | IK Nkoane Education House, Kimberley  | Dep. of Education<br>Ms Claudi Wood<br>053 839 6598<br>Ms Tshidi Mayeng<br>053 839 6935  |
| 21 November | MP                    | Disability Dialogue With Care Givers to enhance Disability Rights access.  | DSD, Health, SAPS and SASSA<br>Rietspruit   | Mr H Matsebula<br>017-6483253  |
| 21 November | MP                    | Disability Awareness programme   | DPSA and Epilepsy SA  | Mpati and Busi   |

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|             |          |  | Siyabuswa   | 0781338001<br>& 0810007805  |
| 21 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa- Epilepsy Talk   | Siyathuthuka Clinic & Vera Stimulation centre                             | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 21 November | NW       | Departmental Workshop (10h00)<br>Workshop on Reasonable Accommodation Policy.                            | Brits Hospital Boardroom<br>Madibeng LM                                   | NW Dept of Health<br>Lucy Tladi<br>072 891 9058   |
| 21 November | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers | Bloemhof Town Hall<br>Lekwa-Teemane LM                                    | PDF & OSPD<br>Karel Lehloo<br>073 230 6819  |
| 21 November | NW       | Local Launch (14h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers | Ipelegeng Community Hall<br>Mamusa LM                                     | PDF & OSPD<br>Thapelo Motlogi<br>082 324 3145   |
| 22 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa- Fashion show by residents with disabilities                                       | Emakazeni<br>Dullstroom   | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 22 November | MP       | Workshop on the Implementation of White Paper on the Rights for Persons with Disabilities                | Steve-Tshwete Local Forum for persons with disabilities<br>Adelaide Tambo | Dladla AM ; Malaza TL<br>0789115209   |
| 22 November | NC       | The Role of Department of Health in Rehabilitation and Assistive devices- Round table discussion         | Kimberley   | Dep. of Health<br>Ms M. Loots<br>053 830 0565 / 060 983 1269  |
| 22 November | MP       | Contribution of substance abuse to disability  | Local schools and clinics<br>Thaba Chweu (Sabie)                          | 0766871214  |
| 22 November | FS       | Dialogue on the White Paper on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities                                   | Xhariep Municipality  | Office of the Premier<br>Florence Letsoalo<br>landline (+27) 051 403 3971<br>fax (+27) 051 405 4021<br><a href="mailto:florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za">florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za</a> |
| 22 November | NW       | Awareness Campaign (10h00)<br>Community Awareness session on the Rights of Persons                       | Mmadinonyane<br>Kagisano-Molopo LM  | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele   |

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|             |          | with Disabilities  |   | 082 922 2558  |
| 22 November | NW       | Community Dialogues (09h00)<br>Community dialogue on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities   | Emang Disability Centre<br>Maquassie-Hills LM | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 22 November | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers   | Papercity Conference Hall<br>Greater Taung LM | PDF & OSPD<br>Thapelo Motlogi<br>082 324 3145   |
| 23 November | MP       | Epilepsy South Africa- Epilepsy Talk   | Emthonjeni Clinic                             | Sonto Maseko<br>0721595396  |
| 23 November | NC       | Mental Health- Information session   | Head office                                   | Boitumelo Majoro<br>073 568 0389<br>Maditsietsi Motlou<br>Dep. of Health  |
| 23 November | KZN      | Mikondzo Ministerial Outreach - follow up to the work done as part of Project Izingane kuQala  | Ndwedwe, KZN                                  | Mathuto Motumi (Ms)<br>Head: Office of the Dep Minister<br>Department of Social Development<br>Tel: +27 12 312 7571<br>Cell : +27 82 558 4164<br>Email : MathutoM@dss.gov.za  |
| 23 November | LP       | Provincial Recognition Awards for Persons with Disability in Agriculture and Rural Development   | TBT   | Mr Chabangu NRA<br>015-294 3187<br>Cell:079 526 9135  |
| 23 November | LP       | Disability Awareness Workshop  | Seshego government garage                     | Suzan Letoka<br>7461799 082   |
| 23 November | GP       | ArcelorMittal South Africa Health and Lifestyle Awareness Day<br>The focus of this year's campaign is young people living with disabilities especially in previously disadvantaged communities around Vanderbijlpark. The topics will focus on health and wellness issues that young people with | Echoes of Love Disability<br>Sharpeville      | Nolundi Luthuli   GIT – BBBEE<br>Transformation CoE<br>ArcelorMittal South Africa<br>CSI   Corporate Office<br>T +27 [0]16 018 0169   F +27<br>[0]867204415   M +27 [0]82 085 |



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|                |          | disabilities encounter.  |  | 7530<br>Skype: nolundi.seluleko.luthuli  <br>Twitter: @NolundiL<br><a href="mailto:nolundi.luthuli@arcelormittal.com">nolundi.luthuli@arcelormittal.com</a> |
| 23 November    | NW       | Door to Door Campaign (09h00)<br>Door to Door work with Members of the Rorisang Centre for the Blind to create awareness on the Rights of Persons with Visual Impairment | Rorisang Centre for the Blind- Kanana Matlosana LM                 | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 23 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers   | Ganyesa Community Hall<br>Kagisano-Molopo LM                       | PDF & OSPD<br>Thapelo Motlogi<br>082 324 3145   |
| 23 November    | NW       | Awareness Campaign (08h00)<br>Public awareness on the needs of Persons with Albinism and Distribution of 100 Sunscreen Cream for Persons with Albinism                   | Christiana School for the Blind<br>Lekwa-Teemane LM                | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 23-24 November | NW       | Departmental Workshop (10h00)<br>Awareness Raising & Capacity Building on Policy Framework for Employees with Disabilities   | Mafikeng<br>Mahikeng LM  | Office of the Premier<br>Auchalie Mothupi<br>082 359 0340   |
| 23-24 November | LP       | Economic empowerment summit  | Polokwane  | Makgato Selaelo<br>0826134517   |
| 24 November    | MP       | Disability Rights programme  | Isibindi, Sediswiswing,<br>Mental Health/ Epilepsy SA<br>Machiding | Mpati, Nomvula, Busi and Siphon<br>0781338001   |
| 24 November    | GP       | Information sharing on progress made towards achieving employment equity target  | Department of Water & Sanitation Office                            | S Makgaloa<br>T Magagula  |
| 24 November    | LP       | Construction Health and Safety   | Mussina Municipality   | Digomo RH<br>072249260<br>015 294 2179<br><a href="mailto:Digomorh@coghsta.limpopo.gov.za">Digomorh@coghsta.limpopo.gov.za</a>                              |
| 24 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election   | Koster/Reagile Town Hall<br>Kgetleng-Rivier LM                     | PDF & OSPD<br>Kabelo Phetwe   |

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|             |          | of new Office-Bearers   |   | 072 286 6303  |
| 24 November | NW       | Awareness Campaign (10h00)<br>Community Awareness session on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities  | Morokweng<br>Kagisano-Molopo LM                 | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 24 November | NW       | Local Launch (13h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers  | Rustenburg Town Hall<br>Rustenburg LM           | PDF & OSPD<br>Lawrence Lenyora<br>072 842 9142  |
| 24 November | NW       | Departmental Workshop (09h00)<br>Advocacy session on Rights of Persons with Disabilities employed by the Department as well as services provided to such employees                    | Klerksdorp<br>Matlosana LM                      | NW Dept of Community Safety & Transport Management<br>Gloria Tshepe<br>083 557 7696   |
| 24 November | NW       | Community Dialogues (09h00)<br>Community dialogue on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities  | Lebaleng Community Centre<br>Maquassie-Hills LM | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 24 November | NW       | Departmental Disability Rights Seminar (10h00)<br>Disability Rights Awareness session targeting all Departmental employees  | Mafikeng<br>Mahikeng LM                         | NW Dept of Economy & Enterprise Development<br>Isabel Mogodi<br>082 788 0902  |
| 24 November | NW       | Training Workshop (10h00)<br>To conduct Training on Norms & Standards and popularize the Welfare Paper on Disability.   | Letsopa<br>Tswaing LM                           | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 24 November | NW       | Departmental Seminar (09h00)<br>Healthy Living Seminar for Departmental employees with Disabilities   | Big-5 Boardroom<br>Mafikeng<br>Mahikeng LM      | NW Dept of Health<br>Lucy Tladi<br>072 891 9058   |
| 25 November | GP       | Wheelchair race for the public (08:00)<br>2,5km FunRoll event to raise awareness of people with disabilities and promote community integration<br><br>R20 per person registration fee | Tshwane Rehabilitation Hospital                 | Kekgaotseng Mokgokong<br>Tshwane Rehabilitation Hospital:<br>Clinical Executive<br>Specialized Interprofessional<br>Physical Rehabilitation |

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|                |          |  |   | Tel :012 354 6745 Fax: 012 354 6799<br>Cell: 082 440 9866<br><a href="mailto:Faith.Mokgokong@gauteng.gov.za">Faith.Mokgokong@gauteng.gov.za</a><br><a href="mailto:Tumelo.Mengwai@gauteng.gov.za">Tumelo.Mengwai@gauteng.gov.za</a> |
| 25 November    | GP       | Fun/sports day organised by Ekurhuleni Metro, DSD Gauteng and Epilepsy SA (GP)                           | Vaal University of Technology                 | Disebo Mtsweni<br>082 043 0837  |
| 26-29 November | NC       | Integrated Youth Programmes- National Pre-Camp   | Kimberley<br>3SAI                             | Dep. of Social Development<br>A Solomon<br>053 802 7700   |
| 27 November    | LP       | Launch of Disability committee for H/O & Districts   | Polokwane                                     | Machavi SB & Makhubele DT   |
| 27 November    | LP       | Accessibility workshop   | Capricorn District PWR&I OFFICE               | Maluta Mulibana<br>0826124886   |
| 27 November    | LP       | Report back on previous years demands  | Capricorn district                            | Maluta Mulibana<br>0826124886   |
| 27 November    | GP       | Place suggestion and feedback boxes at reception   | Department of Water & Sanitation Office       | S Makgaloa<br>T Magagula  |
| 27 November    | MP       | Epilepsy Awareness   | Botleng Exr 3 Clinic                          | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773   |
| 27 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers | Makapanstad Municipal Hall<br>Moretele LM     | PDF & OSPD<br>Lawrence Lenyora<br>072 842 9142  |
| 27 November    | NW       | Local Launch (14h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers | Brits Town White Hall<br>Madibeng LM          | PDF & OSPD<br>Kabelo Phetwe<br>072 286 6303   |
| 28 November    | NW       | Local Launch (10h00)<br>Reconstitution of Local Disability Rights Forum & election of new Office-Bearers | Mogwase Indoor-Sports Hall<br>Moses Kotane LM | PDF & OSPD<br>Kabelo Phetwe<br>072 286 6303   |
| 28 November    | NW       | Provincial Reporting Session (08h00-17h00)<br>Presentation of WPRPD Annual reports to OSPD by            | OSPD Boardroom<br>Mahikeng LM                 | OSPD<br>Thapelo Motlogi   |

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|                           |          | Departments and Municipalities   |  | 082 324 3145   |
| 28 November               | MP       | Disability month celebration   | Simon Gondwe Sports Center                 | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773  |
| 28 November               | MP       | Managing Disability in the Workplace   | Gert Sibande District (Nooitgedecht farm ) | Mr KV Nkwalase<br>013-7666470<br>7379781371 or 0826845159  |
| 28 November               | MP       | Vukunzezele disability outreach programme  | Robisidale Lekwa Local Municipality        | Mr Doctor Mayisela<br>Gert Sibande DM<br><a href="mailto:Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za">Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za</a><br>0714611973 / 0761969659   |
| 28 November               | MP       | Disability Rights Event (10h00)  | Swallow nest<br>Chief Albert Luthuli LM    | Mr Doctor Mayisela<br>Gert Sibande DM<br><a href="mailto:Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za">Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za</a><br>0714611973 / 0761969659   |
| 28 November               | NC       | To create awareness on Autism- Awareness/ Advocacy session on Autism   | IK Nkoane Education House, Kimberley       | NC Dept. of Education<br>Ms Claudi Wood<br>053 839 6598<br>Ms Tshidi Mayeng<br>053 839 6935  |
| 28 November               | MP       | Awareness campaign on rights and responsibility for people living with disability.   | Brondal clinics and schools                | Tebogo & Florence<br>0766871214  |
| 28 November – 02 December | WC       | ArtsAbility Festival 2017<br><br>HIGHLIGHTS -<br><b><u>28<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER: “ARTSABILITY”</u></b><br>Launch @ 17h30 – 19h00 Main Theatre Foyer (Invited guests only)<br>Tordre Performance @ 19h30 – 20h30<br><br><b><u>29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER: “ACCESS ME”</u></b><br><b><u>Morning Programme - Tordre Workshop @ 10h00 – 12h00 in RR301</u></b> | ArtsCape<br>Cape Town                      | Themba Mzondi<br><a href="mailto:themba@sceproductions.co.za">themba@sceproductions.co.za</a><br><br><a href="http://www.artscape.co.za/event/unmute-artsability-festival/">http://www.artscape.co.za/event/unmute-artsability-festival/</a><br><br><a href="https://www.facebook.com/events/144624122824867/">https://www.facebook.com/events/144624122824867/</a><br><br>Tickets available through CompuTicket |

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|             |          | <p><b><u>Evening Programme</u></b> - @19h30 – 20h30 Main Theatre<br/> <b>Access Me</b> (Performed by Yaseen Manuel, Nadine Mckenzie, Rae' Classen &amp; Andile Vellem; Choreographed by the company members of Unmute Dance Company)</p> <p>Unmute ArtsAbility Festival is South Africa`s premier Integrated Arts Platform that presents a display of collaborative artistic works by artists with mixed-abilities (With and without disabilities) and from mixed genres (Music, Dance, Drama, Visual Art etc.) running from the 28th of November to the 3rd of December during the International Week of Persons with Disability.</p> <p>The festival`s theme is ABILITY and it is the end product of residencies and workshops that are occurring during the months of October and November. Professional artists and/or art &amp; culture organizations (Dancers, Actors, Musicians, Visual Artists, Photographers, film-makers) in collaboration with people and/or artists with various disabilities (blind, deaf, intellectual, physical and unseen disability) will research and investigate in rehearsal studios `what ability means?` for people who are stereotypically perceived as `unable`.</p> <p>This 7 days festival is inclusive of theatre performances, public/street performances, site-specific performances, artistic installations, exhibitions, film screenings, seminars, disability walks and art-markets featuring local, national and international artists.</p> |           |   |
| 29 November | NC       | Disability in the workplace- Round table discussion  | Kimberley | Dep. of Health<br>Ms M. Loots<br>053 830 0565<br>060 983 1269 |
| 29-30       | NC       | Disseminate the Concluding Observations of United  |           | Office of the Premier: ORC                                    |

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| November    |          | Nations Committee on the Rights of the Child- Workshop   |   | Ms Nomfundiso Mandabane<br>053 838 2776   |
| 29 November | MP       | Vukunzezele disability outreach programme  | Platorand area Albert<br>Luthuli Local Municipality | Mr Doctor Mayisela<br>Gert Sibande DM<br><a href="mailto:Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za">Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za</a><br>0714611973 / 0761969659  |
| 29 November | MP       | Disability Rights Event (10h00)  | Lekwa Community Town<br>Hall                        | Mr Doctor Mayisela<br>Gert Sibande DM<br><a href="mailto:Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za">Doctor.Mayisela@gsibande.gov.za</a><br>0714611973 / 0761969659  |
| 29 November | EC       | Fun Run<br>Categories: Blind, wheelchair users, Deaf, using crutches<br>and limping  | 8 Bath Street, Walmer<br>Location, PE.              | Mr Lucky Nonimba<br>Siyaphambili Disabled Community<br>Project<br>0835230510  |
| 29 November | FS       | Dialogue on the White Paper on the Rights of Persons<br>with Disabilities  | Thabo Mofutsanyane<br>Municipality                  | Office of the Premier<br>Florence Letsoalo<br>landline (+27) 051 403 3971<br>fax (+27) 051 405 4021<br><a href="mailto:florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za">florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za</a> |
| 29 November | NW       | Community Dialogue (10h00)<br>Community Dialogue on Restoring the Dignity of Persons<br>with Disabilities and Promoting and Protecting their<br>Rights | Mokgalwaneng<br>Moses Kotane LM                     | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 29 November | NW       | Autism Commemoration (09h00)<br>Play Therapy, Public Education and Parents<br>Empowerment on Autism to about 200 people                                | Montshioa<br>Mahikeng LM                            | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |
| 30 November | KZN      | "GBV on women with disabilities is not perpetuated by<br>men" narratives from KZN communities. Developing an<br>integrated solution to abuse           | Durban City Hall<br>Ethwini Metro                   | UNISA<br>Tshidi- <a href="mailto:motseme@unisa.ac.za">motseme@unisa.ac.za</a><br>Sindile-0610476586   |
| 30 November | NW       | Disability Sports (08h00)<br>Disability Sports Talent show   | Ikageng Stadium<br>J.B. Marks LM                    | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558   |

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| 30 November          | NW       | Departmental Workshop (10h00)<br>To sensitise all Departmental employees on Disability Rights and managing reasonable accommodation in the workplace. | Mafikeng<br>Mahikeng LM                                | NW Dept of Local Government & Human Settlements<br>Irish Aobeng<br>078 889 9915                       |
| 30 November          | NW       | Community Campaign (09h00)<br>Cleaning Campaign involving the community and Persons with Disabilities   | Mmachipa Home- Hebron<br>Madibeng LM                   | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558                             |
| 30 November          | MP       | Disability Rights Awareness programme focusing on Women with Disabilities   | Emalahleni Local Municipality<br>Banguet Hall          | Ms Trudy Xhala –Mavimbela<br>0728963841/50  |
| 30 November – 3 Dec. | WC       | Deaf Sport Championship (Deaf Sport South Africa)   | Cape Town  | Vuyani Nomvalo<br>0794794197 (WhatsApp)<br><a href="mailto:nomvalov@gmail.com">nomvalov@gmail.com</a> |
| 01 December          | NC       | World Aids Day  |  | Office of the Premier: PCA<br>Ms K. Makatesi<br>053 838 2468  |
| 01 December          | KZN      | UNISA International Day of Disability Commemoration- Focus on Youth with Disabilities   | Unisa Regional Learning Centre<br>Durban               | Gugu<br>Email: <a href="mailto:Zikhali-zikhacq@unisa.ac.za">Zikhali-zikhacq@unisa.ac.za</a>           |
| 01 December          | MP       | Disability Sport Day  | DSD Emalahleni Local Municipality<br>Lynnville Stadium | Pertunia Sibambo<br>013-6584100   |
| 01 December          | MP       | Disability month celebration  | Thando Care Centre                                     | Sipho Nkwanyane<br>0794542773   |
| 01 December          | NW       | Entrepreneurial Workshop (10h00)<br>Economic Empowerment session for Persons with Disabilities who have an interest in Business                       | Rustenburg Civic Centre<br>Rustenburg LM               | NW Dept of Social Development<br>Peggy Mhlongo-Kgaboesele<br>082 922 2558                             |
| 01 December          | NW       | Provincial Disability Rights Summit (10h00)<br>Disability Rights Sectoral Parliament- Morning Training session on how Parliament works and a Mock     | Christiana All Seasons Hotel<br>Lekwa-Teemane LM       | NWPL & PDF<br>Rev Tshepo Lekoma<br>079 879 1419   |

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|                     |          | Parliamentary sitting (afternoon)   |  |  |
| 01 – 02<br>December | KZN      | KwaZulu-Natal Disability Parliament   | Mpumalanga Stadium,<br>Hammarisdale<br>Ethekewini Municipality                                   | Provincial Legislature<br>QOL Committee Coordinator<br><b>Ext No:</b> 7478<br><b>Speed Dial:</b> 6642<br><b>Cell No:</b> 073 001 4022<br><b>E-mail:</b> <a href="mailto:ZONDILM@kznleg.gov.za">ZONDILM@kznleg.gov.za</a> |
| 02 December         | GP       | Sport Against Obesity, Fun Day<br>(Deaf Sport South Africa)   | Pilditch Stadium<br>Pretoria   | Princess Ndlebe<br>0844353296 (WhatsApp)<br><a href="mailto:info@deafsportsa.org">info@deafsportsa.org</a>   |
| 02 December         | NW       | Provincial Disability Rights Summit (09h00)<br>Provincial Disability Rights Machinery Meeting- Tabling of<br>Provisional Annual (2017) Progress reports from<br>Departments and Municipalities on implementation of<br>WPRPD. Panel Discussions for each Pillar of WPRPD.                           | Christiana All Seasons<br>Hotel<br>Lekwa-Teemane LM  | OSPD & PDF<br>Smuts Matshe<br>083 282 0666   |
| 03 December         | NW       | Provincial Disability Rights Summit (09h00)<br>Provincial Disability Rights Machinery Meeting- Tabling of<br>Provisional Annual (2017) Progress reports from<br>Departments and Municipalities on implementation of<br>WPRPD. Panel Discussions on 2017 Theme and<br>presentation of IDPD messages. | Christiana All Seasons<br>Hotel<br>Lekwa-Teemane LM  | OSPD & PDF<br>Smuts Matshe<br>083 282 0666   |
| 02 December         | MP       | Disability Rights Awareness for Farm Dwellers<br>(DSD: Emakhazeni Local Municipality)   | Hemlock, Airlie<br>& Saragossa farm  | Ms ZP Shongwe<br>013-25703130/ 072 238 6251  |
| 02 December         | WC       | Walking with Disabilities – creating awareness on 3<br>December and the theme.  | Breedevallei   | Deonie Basson<br><a href="http://www.bvapd.org.za">www.bvapd.org.za</a><br>Marketing Manager * M: 083 638<br>2221 * T: 023 347 2002 * F: 023 347<br>2178   |
| 01-08<br>December   | NC       | National Youth Camp   | 3 South African Infantry<br>Batallion Military Base,<br>Roodepan, Barkly West<br>Road, Kimberley | Ms Boni Malefahlo<br><a href="mailto:Bonim@dsd.gov.za">Bonim@dsd.gov.za</a><br><a href="mailto:DisabilityRights@dsd.gov.za">DisabilityRights@dsd.gov.za</a><br>012 312 7586  |
| 02 December         | NC       | An Evening Reflecting on the Lighter Moments of the   | Kimberley  | <a href="mailto:DisabilityRights@dsd.gov.za">DisabilityRights@dsd.gov.za</a>   |



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|                            |          | Disability Rights Struggle Years which brought us to the Adoption of the UNCRPD  |   |   |
| 03 December                | NC       | National Celebrations of the National Day of Persons with Disabilities (integral part of the National Youth Camp)  | Kimberley   | DisabilityRights@dsd.gov.za   |
| 02-05 December             | FS       | Provincial Report Back Disability Rights Conference  | Phillip Saunders Resort, Bloemfontein                     | Office of the Premier<br>Florence Letsoalo<br>landline (+27) 051 403 3971<br>fax (+27) 051 405 4021<br><a href="mailto:florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za">florence.letsoalo@fspremier.gov.za</a> |
| 03 December                | KZN      | Provincial International Day of Persons with Disabilities  | Mpumalanga Stadium, Hammarsdale<br>EThekweni Municipality | Office of the Premier<br>Mandy Van Rhyn<br>Tel: 033 395 3543<br>Fax: 033 395 4185<br>E-mail:<br><a href="mailto:mandy.vanrhyn@kznpremier.gov.za">mandy.vanrhyn@kznpremier.gov.za</a>              |
| 03 December                | WC       | Church service with key note address by the Honorary Ambassador for Persons with Disabilities of the Cape Winelands District Municipality.   |   | Deonie Basson<br><a href="http://www.bvapg.org.za">www.bvapg.org.za</a><br>Marketing Manager * M: 083 638 2221 * T: 023 347 2002 * F: 023 347 2178  |
| 03 December                | GP       | Awareness creation   | Department of Water & Sanitation Office                   | S Makgaloa<br>T Magagula  |
| TBC                        | LP       | Disability Entrepreneur empowerment road show  | Vhembe District   | <a href="mailto:Ellen.Hlatywayo@dpw.gov.za">Ellen.Hlatywayo@dpw.gov.za</a>  |
| TBC                        | GP       | DPW Disability Council Indaba  | TBC   | <a href="mailto:Ellen.Hlatywayo@dpw.gov.za">Ellen.Hlatywayo@dpw.gov.za</a>  |
| November and December 2017 | GP       | Curbing illegal parking on parking bays for persons with disabilities (in the inner city)<br>The Executive Mayor/relevant MMC provides the leadership and launches this programme together with the Metro Police at identified City buildings in the Inner City of Tshwane | City of Tshwane   | Thabang M. Malapela<br>Director: Disability Directorate<br>Tel: 012 358 7531   Cell: 082 867 3854  <br><a href="mailto:Thabangm@Tshwane.gov.za">Thabangm@Tshwane.gov.za</a>                       |

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| November and December 2017 | GP       | Review of Tshwane Disability Policy |       | Thabang M. Malapela<br>Director: Disability Directorate<br>Thabangm@Tshwane.gov.za |

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