

MEDIA ALERT

2 APRIL 2023

MEC METH TO TAKE HEALTH SERVICES ON WHEELS TO FLOOD-HIT PSJ

BHISHO — After the recent devastating floods that hit Port St Johns, leaving a trail of destruction and displacing more than 1,000 people, Eastern Cape Department of Health MEC Nomakhosazana Meth, will lead a team offering much-needed health services to displaced residents.

The MEC will, on Monday visit the seaside town with health teams to offer services on wheels.

Some of the services that will be offered include treatment of minor ailments, family planning, measles immunisation for children under 5-years-old and COVID-19 vaccination, among others.

MEC Meth is expected to be joined by Vodacom which will deliver food parcels to the affected residents.

The MEC and Vodacom will visit displaced residents that have been accommodated at Green Farm Youth Centre and Jungle Monkey B&B.

Monday's visit comes after President Cyril Ramaphosa and Premier Oscar Mabuyane visited the disaster area last week to assess the extent of the damage.

The media invited to cover the visit as follows:

DATE: 3 April 2023

VENUE: Green Farm Youth Centre and Jungle Monkey B&B

TIME: 10am

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