

TRAININGS CONDUCTED

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HEALTH



NATIONAL DEPT OF HEALTH TASK TEAM

- **DIRECTORATES**
- **GENDER DESK**
- **WOMEN'S HEALTH AND GENETICS**
- ✓ **Women's Health unit**
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- **MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE**
- **FORENSIC SERVICES**
- ✓ **Clinical Forensic Medicine**

NATIONAL HEALTH

- UNSTRUCTURED TRAINING
- Women' health unit supports training on sexual assault care in provinces
 - Target Group : Sexual Assault service providers in districts and sub-districts
 - Training curriculum for sexual assaults not developed as yet.(23rd May 07) for all stakeholders.
 - Unit is planning tri provincial debriefing W/S

Clinical Forensic Medicine

- Newly established unit (2006)
- Supports CFM training by Universities and Nursing colleges
- No National Curriculum on CFM exists
- Developed regulations and policy regarding CFM services (2006)
- National training guidelines on CFM is being developed by a CFM task team.

Diploma in Forensic Medicine Clinical (SA)

- **STRUCTURED TRAINING**
- **The University of Witwatersrand
in conjunction with the College
of Medicine.& UVS (4yrs)**
 - **Practical training & Log
books completion.(WITS)**

Diploma in Forensic ...

➤ TARGET GROUP

- Medical Practitioners with not less than 6 months qualification (WITS)
- Registrars in M Med Fam (UVS)

WITS & UVS

- **TOPICS COVERED :**
 - **Law and Ethics**
 - **Drunken driving examination;**
 - **Rape & sexual assaults examination;**
 - **Child & Elder abuse cases**
 - **Non-accidental injury in children**
 - **Alcohol, drugs of dependance & abuse**
 - **Forensic toxicology and poisoning**

Free State Province ...

- **STRUCTURED TRAINING**

- iCAM Training

- Five one hour training (Training video available from iCAM). Training Registers are kept.

- Target group:

- Community Service Doctors & Forensic Nurses

Free State Province ...

- TOPICS COVERED:
 - Examination, Management of sexual assault patients & Prophylaxis
 - Terminology and J88 Form.
 - Legal aspects.
 - STI's and sexual abused children
 - Role of human sexual response in S.A.
 - Examinations of Detainees
 - Alcohol and expert witness in court.

Free State province...

- Diploma in Forensic Nursing (School of nursing supported by prov. CFM & FPS)
- Duration : One year + One month practical at an accredited victim support centre.
- Target group:
 - Doctors, nurses in SA as well as from Lesotho attend the course.

Free State Province....

- **TOPICS COVERED :**
 - National guidelines
 - Video of examination of sexual assault Victims
 - Management of sexual assault victim
 - Alcohol and drunken driving
 - Substance facilitated rape

Free State Province...

- **UNSTRUCTURED TRAINING**

- Intersectoral training (Health, SAPS, Justice, DSD, Child welfare and NICRO personnel)

- **TARGET GROUP: Forensic Nurses & Dr's**

- **TOPICS COVERED:**

- Highlights of medical forensic examination
- The value of the medical examination
- Documentation (J88)
- Prophylaxis

Gauteng Province

- **UNSTRUCTURED TRAINING**
- **Multi disciplinary team : NPA, Health, Social Development, SAPS, NGO's SAHRC.**
- **TARGET GROUP: Nurses & Dr.**
- **Duration: 10 days theory + 5 days practicals**
- **TOPICS COVERED**
 - **All aspects of sexual assault**
 - **Drugs and General trauma**

CONCLUSIONS

- All other 8 provinces are conducting training on sexual assault for their nurses
- There is no other training conducted for other aspects of CFM.
- Sexual assault training curriculum to be developed and it will included the service charter for victims of crime.
- All other training curriculum for CFM will include the service charter for victims of violence

THANK YOU

