



S A Council for Social Service Professions

SACSSP

WORKSHOPS ON PROFESSIONAL ETHICS

The SACSSP presents more workshops focused on promoting minimum standards for professional ethics. This is in response to your request for ongoing workshops as well as the need identified by both the Professional Board for Social Work (PBSW) and the Health and Welfare Sector Education Training Authority (HWSETA) in promoting professional ethics amongst social workers and social auxiliary workers.

The SACSSP aims to continually ensure an ethically-competent workforce by:-

- encouraging employers to utilise these workshops to induct and orientate new social workers and social auxiliary workers (including learners) on acceptable standards of professional practice;
- supporting universities and training institutions to promote ethical practice amongst all student social workers; and
- reminding registered social workers in all spheres of practice of their ethical obligations.

The workshops will extend beyond generic ethical practices and will include:-

- Professional ethics in social work practice
- Ethical considerations in the specialised fields of social work
- Ethics and continuing professional development;
- Registration with SACSSP as an ethical compliance requirement
- Human Rights and Social Services Delivery

SACSSP has personally conducted workshops with fourth year students at universities, informing students of ethical compliance and registration requirements.

The following dates and venues have been scheduled for workshops with social workers and social auxiliary workers jointly (unless otherwise indicated):

PROVINCE	DATES	VENUES
EASTERN CAPE	Completed -August 2009 : Port Elizabeth, Umtata, East London, Alfred Nzo District; Completed: May 2009: Aliwal North	13 May 2010 - PROTEA PLACE OF SAFETY, Blackthorn Avenue, Forest Hill, Port Elizabeth
FREE STATE	Completed-September 2009: Welkom and Bloemfontein	

GAUTENG	02 November 2009	Boksburg Completed
	04 November 2009	Pretoria Completed
	06 November 2009	Krugersdorp completed
	08 April 2010	Samancor Auditorium Building 6, Hendrik Van Eck Builevard, North West University Vaal Triangle Campus, Vanderbijlpark
	09 April 2010	Reigar Park Hall,Boksburg (To be confirmed)*
	18 May 2010	Pretoria*
KWAZULU/NATAL	06 October 2009	Durban-Completed
	07 October 2009	Durban-Completed
	08 October 2009	Richards Bay/Zululand-Completed
	29 April 2010	Ladysmith Town Hall Murchison Street, Ladysmith
	30 April 2010	AF Wood Hall 539 Boom Street,Pietermaritzburg
LIMPOPO	02 December 2009	Completed
	03 December 2009	Completed
	04 December 2009	Completed
MPUMALANGA	04 February 2010	COMPLETED: Mbombela Local Municipality Hall Nelspruit
	05 February 2010	COMPLETED: Eastdene Hall,Middelburg
NORTHERN CAPE	24 February 2010	Emthanjeni Local Municipality Street 3, Nonzwakazi Loc, De Aar
	25 February 2010	Progress Civic Centre Cnr Keismoesweg and Clarkia Roads, Upington
	26 February 2010	Horseshoe Inn Conference Centre, Memorial Road, Kimberley

NORTH WEST	16 March 2010 WORLD SOCIAL WORK DAY!	Great Campus Hall, University of North West, Mafikeng Campus
	17 March 2010	Nederuits Hervormde Kerk Walter Sisulu Ave, Potchefstroom
WESTERN CAPE	29 March 2010	Worcester Town Hall, Worcester
	30 March 2010	Vrouevereniging Hall, First Floor, Neelsie Student Centre, 7 De Beer St, University of Stellenbosch (plse make own arrangements for parking)
	31 March 2010	Library Auditorium (08h00-15h30) University of Western Cape (plse make own arrangements for parking) <i>Students only:</i> School of Public Health Building, Venue 1A- Ground floor, UWC from 9h00 to 11h00.
	14 May 2010	George*

- All workshops commence at PROMPTLY at 08h30 !
- Registration is strictly between 08h00-08h30
- Venues marked with * are still to be confirmed
- See website for updates: www.sacssp.co.za
- ☺ Employers and training institutions are encouraged to contact the SACSSP for workshops to induct staff and students on ethics.
- ☺ The SACSSP is proud to announce that it has also networked with the Human Rights Directorate of the Department of Social Development in promoting acceptable ethical practices in the social services sector.

All workshops are offered free of charge by SACSSP.

Register of attendance will be taken at each workshop.

All workshops are CPD accredited. Be sure to receive your CPD certificate (with 5 CPD points) at the end of the workshop attendees registered with SACSSP.