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BOARD NOTICE 114 OF 2017**HEALTH PROFESSIONS COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA****HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT, 1974 (ACT NO. 56 OF 1974)****NOTICE OF NOMINATIONS****NOMINATIONS OF MEMBERS OF THE PROFESSIONAL BOARDS OF
THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS COUNCIL OF SOUTH AFRICA**

- (1) Notice is hereby given in terms of the provisions of the Regulations relating to the nominations and appointments of members of a professional board as published under Government Notice R1257 in *Government Gazette* 31633 of 28 November 2008 ("the nomination and appointment regulations"), calling upon all persons registered with the HPCSA to submit nominations of members of their professional board to be appointed by the Honourable Minister of Health, Dr Aaron Motsoaledi to serve on the respective professional boards for the term ending on 30 June 2020.
- (2) The nomination and appointment process of members to the Professional Boards will be guided by the nomination and appointment regulations", outlining the procedure of nomination and appointment.
- (3) Any person whose name appears on the relevant register or registers kept under section 18 of the Health Professions Act, 1974 (Act No. 56 of 1974) ("the Act")-
 - (a) who has not entered into a composition with the creditors of his or her estate, or whose estate has been sequestrated;
 - (b) who is not disqualified under the Act from practicing his or her profession;
 - (c) who is registered with the HPCSA under the Act;
 - (d) who is a South African citizen and is permanently resident in South Africa;
 - (e) who is not a patient as defined in section 1 of the Mental Health Act, 1973 (Act No. 18 of 1973);

- (f) who has not been found guilty of improper or disgraceful conduct at an inquiry held under Chapter IV of the Act;
 - (g) who has not been convicted of an offence in respect whereof he or she was sentenced to imprisonment without the option of a fine or in the case of fraud, a fine or imprisonment;
 - (h) who is not a member of a municipal council, provincial legislature or parliament; or
 - (i) who is not a provincial or national office bearer or employee of any party, organization or body of a political nature,
- is eligible for nomination.
- (4) Each nominee must be nominated on a separate nomination form, and any person entitled to nominate in the nomination process shall only nominate and sign up to three nomination forms for any number of nominees to be appointed.
- (5) Each nomination form must -
- (a) state the first names and the surname of the person nominated;
 - (b) state the nominee's registered profession and professional category, if any;
 - (c) state the other details of the nominee as required in the nomination form, including a brief curriculum vitae of the nominee and a written motivation by the nominee outlining his or her vision for the profession, contribution he or she made to the profession and future contribution he or she intends to make towards the development of the profession, including his or her actual or potential leadership qualities and the ability to assume the responsibilities and functions entrusted under the Act;
 - (d) be signed by two persons whose names appear in the register or registers referred to in paragraph (3) above; and
 - (e) be signed by the nominee confirming that he or she consents to his or her nomination, while also declaring under oath, that he or she will execute the functions of the professional board and ensure adherence to the Act and any other applicable prescript if appointed.

- (6) If the person nominated is unable to sign the nomination form, he or she may inform the returning officer by letter or facsimile transmission that he or she consents to his or her nomination and attach the required declaration under oath.
- (7) Formal Notices with specific categories of persons eligible for nomination in each professional board and nomination forms may be obtained from the Returning Officer at the physical address given below and may also be downloaded from www.hpcs.co.za from the date of publication of this notice.
- (8) Every nomination form must reach the Returning Officer at the addresses, fax number or email address given below not later than **16H30 on 31 July 2017**.
- (9) Every nomination form in respect of which any of the requirements as stipulated above has not been complied with, or which is not received by the aforesaid date and time at the address, fax number or email address given below, will be invalid.

Returning Officer: The Registrar: Health Professions Council of South Africa.

Street address: 553 Madiba Street
Arcadia
Pretoria
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Postal address: P O Box 205
Pretoria
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Website address: www.hpcs.co.za


Email address: nominations@hpcs.co.za

Fax Number: 012 324 1594

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PROFESSIONAL BOARDS AND CATEGORIES FOR NOMINATION			
Nominations	Demographics Requirements	Nominations	Demographics Requirements
<p>(a) The Professional Board for Emergency Care Practitioners:</p> <p>One Basic Ambulance Assistant.</p>	<p>Preferably African female</p>	<p>(f) The Professional Board for Occupational Therapy, Medical Orthotics/Prosthetics and Arts Therapy:</p> <p>i. Two occupational therapists;</p> <p>ii. One medical orthotists and prosthetists;</p> <p>iii. One assistant medical orthotist and prosthetist, leatherworker, orthopaedic footwear technician or orthopaedic technical assistant.</p>	<p>Preferably African male and African female</p> <p>Preferably African male</p> <p>Preferably African male</p>
<p>(b) The Medical and Dental Professions Board:</p> <p>One dentist.</p>	<p>Preferably African female</p>	<p>(g) Professional Board for Speech, Language and Hearing Professions:</p> <p>i. One person to represent the Universities South Africa; and</p> <p>ii. One Audiometrician, community speech and hearing worker, speech and hearing correctionist, or speech and hearing assistant</p>	<p>Preferably African female</p> <p>Preferably white female</p>
<p>(c) The Professional Board for Environmental Health Practitioners:</p> <p>i. One environmental health practitioner. (Representing the South African Institute for Environmental Health)</p>		<p>(h) The Professional Board for Radiography and Clinical Technology:</p> <p>i. Two radiographers;</p> <p>ii. Two Graduate clinical technologists</p>	<p>Preferably one African male, and one Indian female</p> <p>Preferably one African male, and one Indian female</p>

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<p>(d) The Professional Board for Physiotherapy, Podiatry and Biokinetics:</p> <p>One Biokineticist.</p>	<p>Preferably African male</p>	<p>(i) The Professional Board for Psychology:</p> <p>Two educational psychologists.</p>	<p>Preferably white females</p>
<p>(e) The Professional Board for Medical Technology:</p> <p>One medical technologist.</p>	<p>Preferably white female</p>		



DR MUNYADZIWA KWINDA

RETURNING OFFICER (ACTING)

DATE: 01/06/2017