

MEDIA STATEMENT

WEDNESDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 2022

HELEN JOSEPH CLINICAL MANAGER PUT ON PRECAUTIONARY SUSPENSION

The Gauteng Department of Health would like to inform the public that the Clinical Manager at Helen Joseph Hospital has been placed on precautionary suspension following allegations of misconduct levelled against the employee.

Owing to the seriousness of the allegations against the clinical manager the suspension is with immediate effect as of Tuesday, 15 November 2022 pending an investigation. The suspended employee is not allowed to be at work during this period so that their presence at work does not affect the investigations.

Given that this is an employer and employee matter the Department prefers not to discuss the details of the allegations levelled against the said employee in the public domain so as to allow for a fair process.

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