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## **MEDIA STATEMENT**

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**ATT: News Editors, Health Reporters**

**For immediate release**

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### **STRETFORD CHC ATTENDING TO NOMINI PRIMARY SCHOOL LEARNERS**

Gauteng Health can confirm that today, 17 October 2019, around 300 learners from Nomini Primary School are being attended at Stretford Community Healthcare Centre after presenting symptoms of stomach cramps and vomiting.

It is suspected that the learners fell sick as a result of consuming the same type of sweets from a local hawker.

Five learners have been transferred to Chris Hani Baragwanath Academic Hospital for further treatment.

A school health team has been sent to the school to conduct an investigation. More information will be shared with the public as it becomes available.

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