

# MATTERS 2016

February 2016

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<b>Dr L Qhogwana</b> <b>MP 0733237/15214932</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during January 2015, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you failed/neglected to assess the patient before you transferred the patient to another facility.	The Respondent accepted reprimand without appearing at the inquiry.	Eastern Cape
<b>Mr S Marais</b> <b>ANA 0022063/609118</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that between October 2010 and July 2013 you contravened Rule 20 of the Ethical Rules of Conduct for registered practitioners in that you failed and/or neglected to respond to Councils communication in which you were requested to provide an explanation to a complaint by a patient.	The Respondent paid an amount of R10 000 without appearing at the inquiry.	Cape Town
<b>Mr E Maphunye</b> <b>OP0050644/4289728</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about the year 2014, or portions thereof, you and your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with Rule 4(f) of Annexure 8 of the Ethical Rules of conduct in that you conducted a mobile practice whilst such practice was not registered with the board.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient and/or the patients dependent, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and glasses allegedly dispensed by yourself and/or your practice on or about February , whilst:</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of two counts of medical aid fraud and was sentenced as follows:</p> <p>a) Count 1: Twenty thousand rand (R20 000.00) fine;</p> <p>b) Count 2: Three years suspension from practice which is wholly suspended for a period of five (5) years on condition that he is not found guilty of a similar offence during the period of suspension.</p>	Johannesburg

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	<p>a) One or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) You were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>c) The said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>d) The said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient and/or the patients dependent, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and glasses allegedly dispensed by yourself and/or your practice on or about February 2014 , whilst:</p> <p>a) One or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) You were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>c) The said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>d) The said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient and/or the patients dependent, an</p>		

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	<p>account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and glasses allegedly dispensed by yourself and/or your practice on or about February 2014 , whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) One or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you ; and/or</li> <li>b) You were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>c) The said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>d) The said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 5</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient and/or the patients dependent an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and glasses allegedly dispensed by yourself and/or your practice on or about February 2014 , whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) One or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you ; and/or</li> <li>b) You were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>c) The said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>d) The said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 6</u></b></p>		

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	<p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about the period between July 2014 and May 2015 or portions thereof you failed or neglected to respond to Council's correspondence. (Contravention of ethical rule 20(a) contempt of council).</p>		
<p><b>Dr TF Mothobela</b> <b>DP0072966/1652706</b></p>	<p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during August 2011, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you failed to provide proper care and treatment to your patient by not honouring appointments for follow up treatment or failed to ensure that your patient was attended by another practitioner in your absence.</p>	<p>Fined R10 000. R5 000 suspended for three (3) years on condition the Respondent is not convicted of a similar offence committed during the period of suspension. R5 000 to be paid within 90 days.</p>	
<p><b>Mr C Moloi</b> <b>TT0008761/11113552</b></p>	<p><b><u>Count 1</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about August 2014, whilst –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) none of the professional services was rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you were not entitled to payment of any of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>c) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient and/or the medical aid scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Count 2</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of dependant an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted</p>	<p>The Professional Conduct Committee found the Respondent guilty of unprofessional conduct on both counts of the attached charge-sheet. As a penalty, with both counts taken together, the Committee resolved that the Respondent be suspended from practising his profession for a period of 12 months but that the operation thereof be suspended for 3 years on condition that he was not found guilty of unprofessional conduct on a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>

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	<p>to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about August 2014, whilst –</p> <p>a) none of the professional services was rendered by you; and/or  b) you were not entitled to payment of any of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or  c) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or  d) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient and/or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p>		
<p><b>Dr F Patel</b>  <b>MP 0430021/10844944</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about June 2014, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you rendered a substandard care to your patient.</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted reprimand without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<p><b>Mr C Schutte</b>  <b>PS0030600/3442200</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on November 2013, you conducted yourself in a manner that brought your profession into disrepute in that you communicated with “your patient” in unprofessional manner.</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted caution without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<p><b>Mr LS Tigedi</b>  <b>PT 0072346/2105946</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about March 2009, whilst –</p> <p>a) none of the professional services were rendered by you; and/or  b) you were not entitled to payment of any of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R20 000.</p>	<p>Bloemfontein</p>

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	c) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect.		
<b>Dr D Thabethe</b> <b>MP0482129/5473152</b>	<p><b><u>COUNTS 1 - 10</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period mentioned you and/or your practice rendered statements of account to a Medical Aid Scheme, in respect of persons mentioned for professional services rendered whilst you knew and/or ought to have known that, no professional services were rendered to persons mentioned by you and/or your practice.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 11</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that, you failed and/or neglected to preserve medical records of patients, mentioned in for the required period of time before destroying such.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty on both counts and the following sanctions were imposed:</p> <p>In respect of count 1: Ten thousand rands (R10 000) fine and furthermore, he was suspended from the register for a period of five (5) years, wholly suspended for five years, on condition that the Respondent is not found guilty of a similar offence during the period of suspension;</p> <p>In respect of Count 2: fined ten thousand rands (R10 000).</p>	Pretoria
<b>Ms CA Human</b> <b>PS0064246/10867348</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about March 2013 till November 2013 you entered into a clinical relationship with two of your patients which falls outside your scope as a research psychologist.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that in a report dated May 2014 you divulged confidential information about your client, without his consent.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you mislead the public by failing to specify your category of registration on your stationary and thereby contravened Rule 4 of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct on Count 1 and 3.</p> <p>As far as Count 1 is concerned the Committee as penalty imposed a fine of R2 500.</p> <p>With reference to Count 3 the Committee as penalty resolved that the Respondent be suspended from practising the profession for a period of one year but that the operation thereof be suspended for three years on condition that she was not found guilty of unprofessional conduct for practising outside the scope of a registered research psychologist during the period of suspension.</p>	Johannesburg

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that in compiling and issuing your report dated May 2014 on your client, you entered into a forensic relationship with your client whilst already consulting with him in therapy since March 2013 and thereby you contravened Rule 18 on multiple relationships as contained in Annexure 12 "Rules of conduct pertaining specifically to the profession of psychology" of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974.</p>		

## March 2016

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<b>Dr TS Mpotoane</b> <b>MP 0396664/1918/2009</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to profession is unprofessional in that upon or about May 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you performed a procedure on your patient and you failed and/or neglected to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. obtain your patient's informed consent before performing the procedure and/or failed to provide evidence of such consent;</li> <li>2. inform your patient of the potential risks and complications associated with the procedure; and/or</li> <li>3. recognise a nerve root dysfunction and to treat it accordingly.</li> </ol>	<p>Guilty on Counts 1 and 2. 1 Year suspension from the register, penalty wholly suspended for 12 months on condition the Respondent is not convicted of a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<b>Dr MY Coovadia</b> <b>DP 0056529/2221906</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period February 2010 – March 2010, you and/or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 you and/or your practice employed an oral hygienist, who posed as a dentist and claimed for professional services under your practice number; and/or</li> <li>1.2 you and/or your practice failed and/or neglected to check and/or verify the category under which your oral hygienist was registered.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was suspended from the register for three years (3). Penalty wholly suspended for 3(three) years on condition that he is not convicted of a similar offence during the period of suspension. A fine of R15 000 to be paid within 14 days from the date of the case</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<b>Dr N Zangqa</b> <b>MP 0506737/599808</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period July 2009 to December 2009, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty and the following sanction was imposed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ten thousand rands (R10 000) fine.</li> </ul>	<p>Durban</p>



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	<p>1.1. you practiced as a <i>locum</i>, whilst you had a limited registration.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on the following dates: July 2010, November 2010, March 2011, May 2011, July 2011 and September 2011 you contravened Ethical Rule 20 in that you refused to respond to council's correspondence.</p>		
<p><b>Dr Du Plessis</b> <b>DP 0031488/3967630</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about the year 2010/11 and/or portions thereof, in respect of your client, you failed and/or neglected to obtain his informed consent prior to commencing with treatment.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty and suspended for 3 years on condition that the Respondent is not found guilty of a similar offence. Suspended 3 years wholly period suspended for 5 year.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<p><b>Dr M Abdullah</b> <b>DP 0086916/1684416</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and medication dispensed and/or crowns and/or dentures fitted allegedly by yourself and/or your practice on or about September 2010, whilst:</p> <p>1.1 in truth and in fact none of the professional services were rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>1.2 you were not entitled to payment of any of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>1.3 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate and/or incorrect and/or</p> <p>1.4 the said account was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme</p>	<p>The Respondent is guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of regulations 4 (9) of the Health Professions Act of 1974. The Sanction is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Count 1 - R25 000</li> <li>• Count 2 – R25 000</li> <li>• Count 3 – R25 000</li> <li>• Count 4 - R25 000</li> <li>• Count 5 – R25 000</li> </ul> <p>The total amount is R125 000. Suspended for 3 years, whole period suspended for 5 years.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>

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	<p>concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and medication dispensed and/or crowns and/or dentures fitted allegedly by yourself and/or your practice on or about April 2010, whilst:</p> <p>2.1 one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>2.2 you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>2.3 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate and/or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>2.4 the said account was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and medication dispensed and/or crowns and/or dentures fitted allegedly by yourself and/or your practice on or about April 2010, whilst:</p> <p>3.1 one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>3.2 you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>3.3 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate and/or incorrect; and/or</p>		

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	<p>3.4 the said account was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and medication dispensed and/or crowns and/or dentures fitted allegedly by yourself and/or your practice on or about March 2010, whilst:</p> <p>4.1 one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>4.2 you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>4.3 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate and/or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>4.4 the said account was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 5</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services rendered and medication dispensed and/or crowns and/or dentures fitted allegedly by yourself and/or your practice on or about August 2010, whilst:</p> <p>5.1 in truth and in fact none of the professional services were rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>5.2 you were not entitled to payment of any of the amounts specified</p>		

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	<p>5.3 in the said account/statement; and/or the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate and/or incorrect and/or</p> <p>5.4 the said account was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p>		
<p><b>Dr A Du Plessis</b> <b>DP 0031488/3967630</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that February 2013 and/or portions thereof, in respect of patient your practice charged and collected an upfront payment of R2 185 whilst services were not rendered.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty and fined R5 000 suspended for 3 years on condition that respondent is found not guilty of similar offence. Suspended 3 years wholly period suspended for 5 years.</p>	<p>Bloemfontein</p>
<p><b>Dr MF Kleinhans</b> <b>MP 0574546/10437146</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you guilty off unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that in June 2013, in respect your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you terminated the Doctor – Patient relationship that existed between you and the complainant’s baby whilst you failed to personally communicate your decision to the complainant.</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an amount of R5 000 without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>

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<p><b>Ms Y Hannah</b> <b>DT 0030651/7803558</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about January 2013, in respect your patient you and/or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <p>1.1 you rendered a statement of account to the medical aid for professional services rendered, when in fact and in truth no such professional services were rendered;</p> <p>Alternatively:</p> <p>1.2 you inappropriately billed your patient for an appointment that she did not make and/or consent to.</p>		Cape Town
<p><b>Dr N Biyana</b> <b>MP0463841/8251010</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period October 2010 and February 2014, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <p>1.1. you practised your medical profession without registration.</p>	<p>The Professional Conduct Committee found the Respondent guilty on the strength of his plea of guilty and imposed the following sanction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Twenty thousand rands (R20 000) fine ten thousand rands (R10 000) of which is payable on or before 30 June 2016</li> <li>• Ten thousand rands (R10 000) suspended for five (5) years on condition that he is not found guilty of a similar offence.</li> </ul>	Port Elizabeth

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<b>Dr WM Mogaila</b> <b>MP 0497525/1259760</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about February 2015 you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <p>1.1 you were found guilty at the Johannesburg Magistrate Court and sentenced to pay a fine of R20 000.00, for operating an illegal abortion clinic;</p> <p>1.2 you employed unregistered persons.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty and the following sanctions were imposed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Five (5) years suspension, wholly suspended for three (3) years and the following conditions:</li> </ul> <p>That the Respondent is not found guilty of a similar offence.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<b>Dr JGM Smit</b> <b>MP0599417/13672770</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about December 2014, at a hospital, following a procedure of cauterization of a lesion on the back of your patient, during which procedure the hibitane caught alight, you failed and/or neglected to determine the severity of the wounds.</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R7 500.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>

## May 2016

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<b>Dr M van Staden</b> <b>DR 0111023/19091340</b>	THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during June 2015 you contravened the ethical rules of your profession in that you employed an unregistered person to take X-ray images thus exposing patients to danger.	The Respondent paid an amount of R20 000 without appearing at the inquiry	Johannesburg
<b>Mr S van Heerden</b> <b>GAK 0001570/1652738</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period May 2010, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you and/or your practice rendered and/or caused and/or permitted to be rendered on your behalf, an account/invoice, wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amount specified in the said account/invoice in respect of services allegedly rendered by you and/or your practice whilst:</p> <p>1.1 the aforesaid service/s was/were not rendered by you and/or your practice; and/or</p> <p>1.2 you were not entitled to payment of the amount specified in the said account/invoice; and/or</p> <p>1.3 the said account/invoice was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential prejudice to your patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period August 2011, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you and/or your practice rendered and/or caused and/or permitted to be rendered on your behalf, an account/invoice, wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct and was sentenced as follows:</p> <p>(a) Six (6) months direct suspension from practising his profession effective from 23 May 2016</p> <p>(b) Seventy thousand Rand (R70 000) fine payable in full on 7 June 2016.</p>	Pretoria

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	<p>the amount specified in the said account/invoice in respect of services allegedly rendered by you and/or your practice whilst:</p> <p>2.1 the aforesaid service/s was/were not rendered by you and/or your practice; and/or</p> <p>2.2 you were not entitled to payment of the amount specified in the said account/invoice; and/or</p> <p>2.3 the said account/invoice was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential prejudice to your patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the periods May 2010 and June 2010, in respect “your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you failed and/or neglected obtain informed consent from your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period August 2011, in respect of “your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you failed and/or neglected obtain informed consent from your patient.</p>		
<p><b>Dr AA Moolman</b> <b>MP0130818/16054834</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period from 2008 to 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you dispensed medication without a dispensing license.</p>	<p>The Prelim Committee of the Medical and Dental Professions Board resolved that the Respondent is guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(9) of the regulations relating to the conduct of inquiries under the Health Professions Act, 1974 and to impose as penalty a fine of R5 000.</p>	<p>Cape Town</p>



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<p><b>Dr MR Desai</b> <b>MP 0397210/2619812</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover amounts in respect of medication allegedly dispensed by you on or about March 2012, whilst –</p> <p>1.1 none of the aforesaid medication was dispensed by you; and/or</p> <p>1.2 you were not entitled to payment of any of the aforesaid amounts; and/or</p> <p>1.3 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>1.4 the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><u>Count 2:</u></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover amounts in respect of medication allegedly dispensed by you on or about March 2012, whilst –</p> <p>2.1 none of the aforesaid medication was dispensed by you; and/or</p> <p>2.2 you were not entitled to payment of any of the aforesaid amounts; and/or</p> <p>2.4 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p>	<p>The Professional Conduct Committee of the Medical and Dental Professions Board found the Respondent guilty of unprofessional conduct on each of the four counts of the attached chargesheet.</p> <p>As a penalty the Committee resolved a fine of R10 000 be imposed on each of the four counts but that the implementation of R20 000 thereof be suspended for 3 years on condition that Dr Desai was not found guilty of a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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	<p>2.4 the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover amounts in respect of medication allegedly dispensed by you on or about March 2012, whilst –</p> <p>3.1 the aforesaid medication was not dispensed by you; and/or</p> <p>3.2 you were not entitled to payment of the amount; and/or</p> <p>3.3 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>3.4 the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to the medical aid scheme concerned</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged ad/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement for a consultation allegedly undertaken and medication allegedly dispensed by you on or about March 2012, whilst –</p> <p>4.1 you did not undertake the consultation or dispensed any of the mentioned medication; and/or</p> <p>4.2 you were not entitled to payment of any of the mentioned amounts; and/or</p>		

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	<p>4.3 the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>4.4 the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to the medical aid scheme concerned.</p>		
<p><b>Dr O Adeyemo</b> <b>MP0450480/8133740</b> <b>Dr OF Omotoboro</b> <b>MP0645621/3929756</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about April 2013 at your private practice, you or your practice instructed and/or allowed practitioner with registration “Medical Practitioners: Public Service” to render service to a patient.</p>	<p>The Professional Conduct Committee of the Medical and Dental Professions Board found the two practitioners not guilty of unprofessional conduct on the attached charge-sheet. The Committee was of the opinion that the practitioner consulted with the patient in emergency circumstances.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<p><b>Dr B Nzewanga</b> <b>MP0501425/4098116</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about November 2012, in respect of your patient, who was admitted for treatment at a given Hospital, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1. failed and/or neglected to assess the patient on admission; and/or</li> <li>1.2. failed and/or neglected to assess the patient when you were told that there are complications; and/or</li> <li>1.3. failed and/or neglected to listen to the foetal heart in theatre; and/or</li> <li>1.4. you used/performed an inappropriate mode of delivery.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty as charged and suspended for 6 months from practice which is wholly suspended for 3 years and a fine of R40 000 which is payable in 3 instalments from the end of June 2016.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<p><b>Dr M Bosama</b> <b>MP0359530/1551846</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during May 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you:</p>	<p>Guilty on Count 1. Not guilty on other counts. (The Committee was of the opinion that the respondent’s defence that the practice was closed at the time of the inspection was reasonably possibly true.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>

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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. employed an unregistered person as a <i>locum tenes</i> in your practice, alternatively failed or neglected to ensure that your locum was properly registered, and/or</li> <li>2. dispensed medicines to your patients whilst you did not hold a valid dispensing licence; and/or</li> <li>3. failed or neglected to provide security for the drugs stored in your practice; and/or</li> <li>4. failed or neglected to provide security for your scripts and medical certificates; and/or</li> <li>5. failed to keep adequate records of your patients; and/or</li> <li>6. practiced your profession in conditions that were unhygienic; and/or</li> <li>7. risked your patient's lives by not ensuring that the equipment in your practice was kept in a sterile environment; and/or</li> <li>8. displayed your qualifications in your professional stationary in a manner that contravened Rule 4 of the Ethical Rules of Conduct.</li> </ol>		
<b>Dr D Matjekane</b> <b>MP0575305/4107508</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that August 2013, in respect of the complainant, you acted in a manner that contravened the ethical rules of your profession in that you employed a locum in your practice whilst the said locum is not registered with the HPCSA.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty and fined for R10 000 to be paid in two instalments. A further 1 year suspended for 5 (five) years on condition the Respondent is not convicted of a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Cape Town</p>
<b>Dr N Saragas</b> <b>MP0262439/582122</b>	<p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during the period September 2008 to October 2008, in respect of your patient, you treated and/or managed your patient inappropriately and/or in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) failed and/or neglected to timeously provide your patient with appropriate treatment to her wound whilst you were aware that your patient had developed distal wound breakdown with surrounding cellulites; and /or</li> <li>b) failed and/or neglected to timeously remove the 6/7 acutrak screw used to repair the fracture in your patients foot.</li> </ol>	<p>The Committee found the Respondent guilty on both counts. The Respondent was reprimanded as this matter has been hanging for a period of 8 years.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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<b>Dr T Coetzer</b> <b>MP0257680/19269996</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that July 2015, in respect of your patient, you contravened Ethical Rule 16 of Ethical Rules of Conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974.</p>	<p>The Practitioner was cautioned and accepted the caution.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<b>Drs X Ntshangase &amp; N Nkosi</b> <b>MP0596132&amp;</b> <b>MP0583316/2354066</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about July 2011, you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient, by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>1.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about July 2011, you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient, by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>2.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about July 2011, you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient, by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p>	<p>Both Respondents were found guilty on all 13 counts. A fine of R100 000 each, R20 000 to be paid within the next 30 days. R80 000 is wholly suspended for a period of 5 years on condition that they are not again found guilty of a similar offence.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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	<p>3.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about July 2011, you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient, by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>4.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 5</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about July 2011, you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient, by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>5.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 6</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about August 2011 you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated</p>		

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	<p>6.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 7</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about August 2011, you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient, by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>7.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 8</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about August 2011, you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>8.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 9</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about August 2011 you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p>		

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	<p>9.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 10</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about September 2011 you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>10.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 11</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about October 2011 you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>11.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 12</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about 24 October 2011 you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p>		



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	<p>12.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 13</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about December 2011 to January 2012 you acted in a manner that is unacceptable and not in accordance with the Ethical consideration of your profession in respect of your patient by over-servicing in that you dispensed or administered or prescribed drugs which are not the standard of care for the nature of the condition being treated.</p> <p>13.1 you failed to provide sufficient proof of purchase or administration of to your patient.</p>		

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<b>Dr AM Pitsoe</b> <b>MP0170569/2009310</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you in respect of your patient acted in a manner that was improper and/or negligent in that you performed a caesarean section on your patient on April 2010 whilst you:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. performed such a procedure without an assistant, and/or</li> <li>2. failed or neglected to keep comprehensive intra-operative notes, and/or</li> <li>3. performed the operation in a manner that was negligent and incompetent.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty on all charges. A fine of R50 000 (payable in two instalments of R25 000 each within 2 months) to be paid. A further 1 year suspension wholly suspended for three (3) years on condition he is not convicted of a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<b>Dr N Pillay</b> <b>MP0608025/15229936</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during February 2015, in respect of your patient you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1. you failed and/or neglected to furnish the patient's family practitioner with a report.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty in terms of Regulations 4(9) of the applicable regulations. The Respondent has elected to pay a fine of R2 000.</p>	<p>Gauteng</p>
<b>Dr M Fael</b> <b>DP0044016/9350140</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about March 2014, you and/or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1. you charged your patient using the wrong code; and</li> <li>1.2. you overcharged your patient.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty in terms of Regulations 4(9) of the applicable regulations. The Respondent elected to pay a fine of R15 000.</p>	<p>Cape Town</p>

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<b>Dr AJB Fourie</b> <b>MP0167711/19244370</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about November 2014 at a Health Facility, Queenstown you failed and/or neglected to keep proper clinical notes of your patient.	The Respondent paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R10 000.	Pretoria
<b>Dr L Badul</b> <b>MP0332585/13297770</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional, in that on or about December 2014 at your practice you responded to pressure from the family of your patient, to render treatment and thereby failed to ensure that your patient was hospitalised timeously.	The Respondent accepted a penalty of a caution and reprimand.	Pretoria
	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you failed and/or neglected to timeously register as a medical practitioner in the category Public Service Medical Practitioner Community Service after commencing in such capacity on or about 1 May 2014.	The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(9) and imposed as a penalty a fine of R5 000.	Cape Town
<b>Dr Z Karani</b> <b>MP0381705/1686572</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during February 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during February 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct on all 10 counts and sentenced as follows:</p> <p>R15 000 on each of the 10 counts, half of which is wholly suspended for 5 years. In total R150 000 (one hundred and fifty thousand rand) of which half (R75 000) is payable to the HPCSA within 90 days from date of sentence and R75 000 is wholly suspended for 5 years on condition that the Respondent is not convicted of unprofessional conduct involving billing errors or billing irregularities committed during the period of suspension.</p>	Cape Town

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 3:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period from March 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period from October 2009 to November 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 5:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during February 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 6:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during March 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 7:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during October 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you</p>		

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	<p>overcharged him and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 8:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during June 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the patient her and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 9:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during May 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p> <p><b><u>Count 10:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during September 2009, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you overcharged the patient and/or the Medical Aid.</p>		
<p><b>Mr M Bux</b> <b>ANA0050490/8539942</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about 9 October 2011, you failed and/or neglected to undertake a transfer of a high risk patient, a three day old baby from Medical Towers to Mahatma Gandhi Hospital.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct on Count 1 of the charges and not guilty and discharged on Count 2 due to insufficient evidence and was sentenced as follows:</p> <p>Twelve (12) months suspension from practice which is wholly suspended for a period five (5) years on condition that the Respondent is not found guilty of a similar offence during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 2:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the periods March 2013, February 2014, July 2014 and July 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you failed to respond to Council's correspondence and thereby contravened Ethical Rule 20(a) of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974, (a copy of the Ethical rule is annexed hereto, marked "A").</p>		
<p><b>Dr S Selomane</b> <b>MP0409774/4480118</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct and conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period September 2013, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you claimed for services not rendered in that you consulted with a non-member, and claimed against the main member.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty as charged and was Cautioned and Reprimanded.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<p><b>Dr E Fredericks</b> <b>MP0348716/17236818</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period between November 2014 and March 2015, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you and/or your practice failed and/or neglected to give sufficient care to your patient in that you did not follow-up and provide results to your patient who had a known pathology which required treatment.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(9) of the regulations relating to the conduct of inquiries under the Health Professions Act, 1974 and imposed a fine of R10 000. The Respondent elected to pay the admission of guilt fine in the amount of R10 000.</p>	<p>Port Elizabeth</p>
<p><b>Dr HC Webb</b> <b>MP0773891/17906022</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you failed and/or neglected to timeously register as a medical practitioner in the category Public Service Medical Practitioner Community Service after commencing in such capacity on or about May 2014.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(9) and imposed as penalty a fine of R5 000.</p>	<p>Cape Town</p>

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<b>Dr DV Kolnick</b> <b>DP 0019410/10631190</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about March 2014 you performed two gingivectomy procedures on your patient without his consent.	This matter was finalised in July 2016. The Respondent has recently paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R5 000.	Port Elizabeth
<b>Prof R Behari</b> <b>MP0177652/19226548</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on a medical certificate dated in June you divulged information regarding your patient, without her express consent and thereby contravened Rule 13(2)(a) of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act 1974.	The matter was finalised in July 2016 and the Respondent paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R20 000 on the attached charge-sheet.	Port Elizabeth
<b>Dr C Agbazue</b> <b>MP0438839/8044338</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about January 2014 and in respect of your patient, who had been admitted to undergo an ankle arthroscopy and debridement you: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) commenced surgery without adequate preparation in that –               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) you failed and/or neglected to ensure the availability of equipment required; and/or</li> <li>(ii) you failed and/or neglected to ensure functionality of available equipment; and/or</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) failed and/or neglected to comply with the standard of safe care by not adhering to the guidelines laid down by the Safe Surgery Checklist.</li> </ul>	The matter was heard in July 2016 and the Respondent was discharged in terms of Regulation 9(7) of the regulations relating to the conduct of inquiries into alleged unprofessional conduct under the Health Professions Act, 1974.	Johannesburg
<b>Dr O Adetiba</b> <b>MP0426768/17020622</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that upon or about February 2015, in respect of your patient, you acted in manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you gave an injection to your patient whilst you knew or ought to have known that your patient was allergic to the injection as a result you exposed your patient to danger.	The Respondent paid an amount of R5 000 without appearing at the inquiry.	Durban

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<b>Dr S Govender</b> <b>DP0099570/16054838</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that in September 2013, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you performed an extraction whilst:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. failed and/or neglected to close an oro antral communication that has developed during the extraction, and/or</li> <li>2. failed and/or neglected to provide proper treatment to your patient.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent paid an amount of R10 000 without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>



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<b>Dr SB Bilankulu</b> <b>MP0521930/12594174</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during November 2014, and/or portions thereof, and in respect of your patient you and/or your practice charged and received fees for services not personally rendered by you and you required payment upfront prior to services being rendered thereby contravening Ethical Rule 7(5) of the Ethical Rules of Conduct Practitioner registered under the Health Profession Act, 1974.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty as charged and sentenced to pay a fine of R10 000 whereof is wholly suspended for a period of three years on condition that the Respondent is not found guilty of an offence with like elements during the period of suspension.</p>	Johannesburg
<b>Mr C Shabane</b> <b>ANA0007250/4720308</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period June 1999 to June 2013, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you practised your profession whilst not registered.</p>	<p>The Respondent pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined R25 000, R10 000 payable over a period of 10 months. Remainder wholly suspended for five years on condition that the Respondent is not found guilty of an offence with similar elements found guilty upon.</p>	Mpumalanga
<b>Dr A Harillal</b> <b>MP0368598/4115126</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about April 2013, you and/or practice rendered a statement of account to the Medical Aid Scheme, in respect of professional services rendered to your patient whilst, you knew and/or ought to have known that the medication claimed for, were different from what was dispensed to your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about 20 April 2013, you and/or practice rendered a statement of account (to the Medical Aid Scheme, in respect of professional services rendered to your patient whilst, you knew and/or ought to have known that no professional services were rendered to your patient.</p>	<p>The Respondent pleaded guilty on the three counts against him. He was found guilty on all three counts. He was sentenced to pay a fine of R20 000, R10 000 payment whereof is suspended for a period of 3 years on condition that the Respondent is not found guilty on an offence with similar elements found guilty upon.</p>	Durban

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about April 2013, you and/or practice rendered a statement of account to the Medical Aid Scheme, in respect of professional services rendered to your patient whilst, you knew and/or ought to have known that the medication claimed for, were different from what was dispensed to your patient.</p>		
<p><b>Dr R Mierzwinski</b> <b>MP0385760/11658756</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about September 2014 you superseded or took over a patient, without taking reasonable steps to inform the doctor that you have taken over the patient at the patient's request and without establishing from the doctor what treatment the patient previously received, especially what medication, if any, was prescribed to the patient and thereby contravened Rule 10 of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974.</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted the penalty of a reprimand.</p>	<p>Durban</p>
<p><b>Dr Zandile Thabe</b> <b>KT0004944/1686598</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect your patient, an account / statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account / statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on the March 2010, whilst:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account / statement; and/or</li> <li>2. the said account / statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty as charged and fined R15 000.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<p><b>Dr CPM Zithkalala</b> <b>MP0358290/1864818</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you guilty off unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that in that in October 2014, in respect of your patient, you conducted yourself in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you:</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted caution and reprimand without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>

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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Exposed your patient to harm by examining her in a non-sterile environment; and/or</li> <li>2. Failed to adhere to infection control measures during the examination.</li> </ol>		
<b>Ms M Lawrence</b> <b>PS 0110248/12486356</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you guilty off unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that in June 2013, in respect of the complainant, you acted in a manner that is not in line with the norms and ethics of your profession in that you compile a report in which you alleged that the complainant was abusing a minor whilst you failed and/or neglected to obtain sufficient collateral information to back up your report.</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted caution without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Cape Town</p>
<b>Dr M Mistry</b> <b>MP0203734/11270176</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during the period November 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, accounts/statements wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said accounts/statements; and/or</li> <li>d) the said accounts/statements were drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said accounts/statements were drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ol> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during the period November 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty on all charges of fraudulent billing practice. He was sentenced to a fine of R70 000 of which R50 000 is suspended for 5 years on condition that the Respondent is not found guilty of a similar offence. R20 000 to be paid in a period of 4 months.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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	<p>or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect your patient, accounts/statements wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said accounts/statements; and/or</li> <li>d) the said accounts/statements were drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said accounts/statements were drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on about November 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, accounts/statements wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said accounts/statements; and/or</li> <li>d) the said accounts/statements were drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said accounts/statements were drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul>		

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about March 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, accounts/statements wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said accounts/statements; and/or</li> <li>d) the said accounts/statements were drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said accounts/statements were drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 5</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about April 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, accounts/statements wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said accounts/statements; and/or</li> <li>d) the said accounts/statements were drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> </ul>		

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	<p>e) the said accounts/statements were drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 6</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about April 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 7</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your</p>		

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	<p>patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 8</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of our patient, accounts/statements wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said accounts/statements; and/or</p> <p>d) the said accounts/statements were drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said accounts/statements were drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 9</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on about March 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, accounts/statements wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p>		

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	<p>to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 12</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about April 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf of and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul>		

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 13</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 14</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about July 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b. you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c. you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d. the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> </ul>		

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	<p>e. the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 15</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about July 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whist:</p> <p>a. one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b. you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p> <p>c. you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d. the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e. the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 16</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whist:</p> <p>a. one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b. you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p>		

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	<p>c. you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d. the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e. the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 17</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about March 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 18</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about March 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p>		

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	<p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 19</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 20</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2012 to February 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of</p>		

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	<p>your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 21</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about February 2012 to March 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul>		

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 22</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> <li>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>COUNT 22</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about February 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</li> <li>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</li> <li>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</li> </ul>		

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	<p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 23</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about February 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 24</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about December 2012 to February 2013, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact conduct any consult with your patient; and/or</p>		



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	<p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 25</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January 2012 to January 2012, you and/or your practice rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of Wiseman your patient, an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover one or more or all of the amounts specified therein for professional services rendered whilst:</p> <p>a) one or more or all of the aforesaid professional services was/were not rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>b) you did not in truth and in fact dispense any of the medication to your patient; and/or</p> <p>c) you were not entitled to payment of one or more or all of the amounts specified in the said account/statement; and/or</p> <p>d) the said account/statement was drafted in a manner that was inaccurate or incorrect; and/or</p> <p>e) the said account/statement was drafted in such a manner as to cause financial or potential prejudice to the Medical Aid Scheme concerned.</p>		
<p><b>Dr N Dweba</b> <b>MP0676527/7380784</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period October 2013, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you fraudulently issued a false medical certificate to a patient.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty as per the charge sheet of unprofessional conduct and was sentenced to the Removal from the Roll of Medical Practitioners (struck of the roll) which is wholly suspended for a period of two (2) years on condition that she is not found guilty of a similar</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>

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	<p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period September 2013, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you forged the particulars of your fellow colleague and issued a fraudulent medical certificate to yourself.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period September 2013, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you misused the hospital stationary/property when you wrote false reports about the medical condition of yourself.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period October 2013, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you misused the hospital stationary/property when you wrote false reports about the medical condition of a patient.</p>	<p>transgression during the period of suspension.</p>	
<p><b>Dr S Shaboodien DP0059781/2332418</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period between April 2009 and April 2011, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you failed and/or neglected to provide sufficient care to you patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when</p>	<p>The Respondent was given a fine of R10 000 (ten thousand rand), half of which is suspended for a period of three years on condition that he is not found guilty of a similar offence committed during the period of suspension. R5 000 (five thousand rand) is payable within one month from the hearing.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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	<p>regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period between April 2009 and April 2011, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you practised out of scope in that the implant procedure and subsequent treatment performed on a patient that appeared to be a failure.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period between April 2009 and April 2011, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you failed and/or neglected to respond to Council correspondence (Contempt of Council).</p>		

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<p><b>Mr B Hlongwa</b> <b>DR0074217/4480922</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during period November 2011, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you provided examinations/treatment to patient(s) without referral(s) from Medical Practitioner(s).</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during period March 2012, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you provided examinations/treatment to patient(s) without referral(s) from Medical Practitioner(s).</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during period November 2012, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you provided examinations/treatment to patient(s) without referral(s) from Medical Practitioner(s).</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during period April 2013, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your</p>	<p>The Prelim Committee of the Professional Board for Radiography and Clinical Technology resolved that Mr Hlongwa is guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(9) of the regulations relating to the conduct of inquiries under the Health Professions Act, 1974 and imposed as penalty a fine of R15 000 of which the Respondent elected to pay the admission of guilt fine.</p>	<p>Bloemfontein</p>

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	<p>profession, in that you provided examinations/treatment to patient(s) without referral(s) from Medical Practitioner(s).</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 5</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during period June 2013, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you provided examinations/treatment to patient(s) without referral(s) from Medical Practitioner(s).</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 6</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during period September 2012, in respect of your patient", you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you provided examinations/treatment to patient(s) without referral(s) from Medical Practitioner(s).</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 7</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during period June 2013, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession, in that you provided examinations/treatment to patient(s) without referral(s) from Medical Practitioner(s).</p>		
<p><b>Mr S van Heerden</b>  <b>GAK0001570/19279620/</b>  <b>3950718/1072742/</b>  <b>11959746</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional, in that during 2012, in respect of the complainant you or your practice acted in a manner that was not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you charged the complainant an amount of</p> <p>R9 400.00 in respect of alleged repairs done on her hearing aids whilst:</p>	<p>The Professional Conduct Committee found the Respondent guilty of unprofessional conduct and sentenced him as follows:</p> <p>Count 1, that the Respondent be removed from the Hearing Aid Acoustician Register".</p> <p>Count 2, the 1<sup>st</sup> Respondent be sentenced to a R10 000 fine. The</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>

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	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. no repairs or services were done on the hearing aids; and/or</li> <li>2. the complainant was made to pay a portion of the fees upfront before any service could be rendered and/or overcharged your patient;</li> <li>3. your actions caused the complainant to suffer financial prejudice and/or potential financial prejudice as she paid for services that were not rendered; and/or</li> <li>4. encouraged the patient to claim from the medical aid under the new hearing aid code, even though it was a repair.</li> </ol> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional, in that during November 2013, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) overcharged your patient for hearing aids; and/or</li> <li>b) supplied a hearing aid that was not custom made for your patient; and/or</li> <li>c) informed your patient that the hearing aid was an upgrade when it was not.</li> </ol>	<p>count relating to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Respondent, a fine of R10 000 be imposed for advertising and a fine of R50 000 is also imposed, the count relating to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Respondent a fine of R50 000 is imposed, the count relating to the 4<sup>th</sup> Respondent a fine of R10 000 is imposed.</p>	
<p><b>Dr P Rantso</b> <b>DP0077674/2620850</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during November 2012 and/or portions thereof, and in respect of your patient, you provided insufficient care to your patient in that you permanently cemented a crown that is aesthetically unacceptable.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct and a fine of R5 000 was imposed.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>

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<b>Mr D Dennison</b> <b>ANT0001856/12796172</b>	<p><b><u>Count 1:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about August 2012, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you interfered with the provision of medical treatment of your patient who is deceased.</p> <p><b><u>Count 2:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about August 2012, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you treated paramedic(s) patient and/or bystanders in a manner that is rude and abusive.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct as per the charge-sheet and was sentenced as follows:</p> <p>Caution and Reprimand</p>	<p>Polokwane</p>
<b>Mr J Molebatsi</b> <b>ECT0006580/8837738</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that during or about February 2007, in respect of a patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you delayed and/or failed to attend to a patient after having been notified of the patient's situation.</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted the caution/reprimand.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<b>Dr D Bhika</b> <b>MP0178438/12085946</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that during or about September 2014, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you:</p> <p>1.1) contravened Ethical Rule 16 in that you issued in respect of your patient a medical certificate which does not comply with the provisions of the said Ethical Rules; and/or</p> <p>1.2) issued a Medical Certificate in respect of your patient without examining her.</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted the reprimand.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>

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<b>Dr S Koranteng</b> <b>MP0340391/2638230</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about the year 2012, or portions thereof, in respect of your patient, you:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.) provided poor ante-natal care to your patient; and/or</li> <li>2.) failed and/or neglected to determine and/or establish foetal weight during the ultrasound examination; and/or</li> <li>3.) failed and/or neglected and/or omitted to appreciate that your patient was a high risk patient; and/or</li> <li>4.) failed and/or neglected and/or omitted to appreciate that your patient had a bad/or poor obstetric history, previous miscarriage; and/or</li> <li>5.) failed and/or neglected and/or omitted to consider and/or appreciate that the foetus was a meconium baby.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct and that a fine of R50 000 be imposed which was paid in five instalments.</p>	<p>Durban</p>
<b>Mr R Stark</b> <b>PS0110604/19361522</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about October 2015 and/or portions thereof and in respect of a minor child, you failed to provide a report within a reasonable period.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct and imposed a penalty or caution and reprimand.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<b>Dr A van der Merwe</b> <b>BK0007633/19440604</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about September to December 2015 you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the ethical considerations of your profession, in that you practised outside the scope of your registered profession in terms of the Regulations Defining the Scope of the Profession of Biokinetics as published under government gazette R1746 on the 14 October 1994.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of regulations 4 (9) of the Regulations relating to the conduct inquiries under the Health Professions Act of 1974, and imposed a fine of R5 000 for practicing beyond scope of practice.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<b>Ms L Holmes</b> <b>PS0098442/16983218</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during the period January 2015, or portions thereof, you entered into a multiple relationship with your patient, and thereby contravened Rule 18 of the</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an admission of guilt fine of R20 000 without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>



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	<p>rules of conduct pertaining specifically to the profession of psychology, as contained in Annexure 12 of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act 56 of 1974 as published under Government Notice R717 in Government Gazette 29079 of 4 August 2006.</p>		
<p><b>Dr T Mngewu</b> <b>MP0491535/222238</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during November 2011, in respect of the complainant, you or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you or your practice:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Submitted a claim to Discovery Health Medical Scheme in respect of alleged professional services rendered by you or your practice whilst you or your practice did not render such services; (copy of the electronic claim attached marked "A")</li> <li>2. Colluded with pharmacist to enable a member of the medical aid scheme to use the membership card to purchase items not covered by the scheme.</li> </ol> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p>THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during November 2011, in respect of the complainant, you or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you or your practice:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Submitted a claim to Discovery Health Medical Scheme in respect of alleged professional services rendered by you or your practice whilst you or your practice did not render such services; (copy of the electronic claim attached marked "B")</li> <li>2. Colluded with pharmacist to enable a member of the medical aid scheme to use the membership card to purchase items not covered by the scheme.</li> <li>3.</li> </ol>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty on both counts. A fine of R30 000 of which R20 000 is suspended for 24 months on condition that the Respondent is not again found guilty of a similar offence, R10 000 is payable to HPCSA by October 2016.</p> <p>A further suspension from practice for 12 months of which the period of suspension is wholly suspended for a period of 24 months on condition that the respondent is not again found guilty of a similar offence.</p>	<p>East London</p>

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<b>Dr C van Heyningen</b> <b>MP0152781/1617552</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about March and April 2011 and in respect of a subtotal hysterectomy performed by you on your patient, at a Medi-Clinic, you failed and/or neglected to take precautions to identify the ureter.</p>	<p>The Professional Conduct Committee of the Medical and Dental Professions Board found the Respondent guilty of unprofessional conduct. As penalty the Committee resolved that a penalty of R20 000 be imposed but that R10 000 thereof be suspended for a period of 3 years on condition that the Respondent was not found guilty of unprofessional conduct on a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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<b>Ms N van der Westhuizen BK0017271/19272686</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that upon or about September 2015 you placed a misleading advertisement of your services on the electronic social media and thereby contravened Rule 3(1) of the Ethical Rule of conduct read with Section 35(3) of the Health Professions Act No 56 of 1974 (as amended).	The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct and a penalty of R2500 was imposed.	Pretoria
<b>Mr S Ramadisha BAA0145491/19757150</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that during or about February 2007, in respect of a patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you delayed and/or failed to attend to a patient after having been notified of the patient's situation.	The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct and imposed as penalty a caution/reprimand.	Pretoria
<b>Dr R Schackis MP0315990/11421148</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct, or conduct which, when regard to your profession, is unprofessional, in that upon or about January 2014 to July 2014 in respect of your patient you acted in a manner that is not in accordance to the norms and standard of your profession in that:  (a) you failed to refer your patient to a foetomaternal specialist in the presence of a positive blood test suggesting a neural tube defect.	The Respondent was found guilty as charged. A fine of R40 000 of which half is suspended for a period of 3 years on condition that he is not found guilty of a similar offence. The fine to be paid within 30 days. Further order is that the Respondent goes for ultra sound training level 2, by 2017.	Johannesburg
<b>Dr A Hajimarkos MP0469084/13333170</b>	THAT you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on about December 2014 in respect of your patient you acted in a manner that is unacceptable in that:  a) you and/or your practice signed the Medical Aid ID on behalf of your patient without obtaining the necessary consent; b) you and/or your practice admitted to signing the Medical Aid ID on behalf of more than one patient.	A fine of R10 000 be paid.	Johannesburg

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<b>Dr S Khan</b> <b>DP0062804/15714978</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during September 2013 to January 2015, you and/or your practice authorised/allowed Oral Hygienists to charge fees using a billing coded 8101 whilst you knew or ought to have known that Oral Hygienists are not allowed to bill for that code.	The Respondent accepted caution without appearing at the inquiry.	Pretoria
<b>Dr JP Myburgh</b> <b>MP0123609/19237734</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about June 2015, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you misdiagnosed your patient.	The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4 (9) of the regulations relating to the conduct of inquiries under the Health Professions Act, 1974 and to impose as penalty a fine of R10 000. The Respondent elected to pay the fine of R10 000.	Pretoria
<b>Ms M Greyling</b> <b>BK0022071/19277126</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period October 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you posted a misleading advertisement on your facebook page by advertising yourself and/or your business practice as a physical therapist in contravention of Ethical Rule 3(1) of the Ethical Rules of Conduct for Practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974 read in conjunction with Section 35(3) of the Health Professions Act 56 of 1974.	The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4 (9) of the regulations relating to the conduct of inquiries under the Health Professions Act, 1974 and to impose as penalty a fine of R2 500. The Respondent elected to pay the admission of guilt fine in the amount of R2 500.	Pretoria
<b>Ms T Coetzee</b> <b>PS0066907/3948522</b>	<u><b>COUNT 1</b></u>  <b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period May 2012 to June 2012, in respect of your patients, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:  1.5. your recommendations were based on informal assessment and/or insufficient informal assessment; and 1.6. you failed and/or neglected to obtain sufficient collateral to compile a report.	The Respondent was found guilty in terms of Regulations 4(9) of the applicable regulations. The Respondent elected to pay a fine of R5 000.	Johannesburg

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<b>Dr G Foster</b> <b>MP0679097/9598536</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about May 2014, in respect of your patient you and/or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <p>1.2. you failed and/or neglected to appropriately to treat the fracture of your patient in that you did not apply back slab.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty in terms of Regulations 4 (9) of the applicable regulations. The Respondent elected to pay a fine of R10 000.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<b>Mr L Mphatsoe</b> <b>PS0112526/4805712</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the year 2012, in respect of your appellant you and/or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <p>1.3. you failed and/or neglected to follow a correct procedure to obtain an informed consent; and</p> <p>1.4. you failed and/or neglected to keep proper clinical records of your patient.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty in terms of Regulations 4 (9) of the applicable regulations. The Respondent elected to pay the fine of R 7 500.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<b>Mr R du Plessis</b> <b>PRC0002119/19252338</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during the period June 2015, in respect of your patient you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you administered tests which are outside the scope of practice for registered counsellors.</p>	<p>The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(9) of the regulations relating to the conduct of inquiries under the Health Professions Act, 1974 and to impose as penalty a Caution.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>
<b>Mr M Becker</b> <b>BK0024058/19277288</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during or about the period October 2014, you and/or your practice acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the ethical considerations of your profession in that you:</p> <p>1.1 Contravened Ethical Rule 3 of the Ethical Rules of Conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an amount of R2 500 without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Cape Town</p>

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	<p>read with section 35(3) of the Health Professions Act 1974, in that you Solicited and/or attempted to solicit patients to your practice under the guise of physical Therapist without being in possession of the relevant qualification and registration as a physiotherapist/physical therapist, which conduct amounts to canvassing and/or touting.</p>		
<p><b>Ms A Scheepers</b> <b>PS0028932/17540418</b></p>	<p><b><u>Count 1:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about 2011 to 2015 and in respect of your client, a minor, you failed and/or neglected to manage your professional boundaries by attending social events with your client.</p> <p><b><u>Count 2:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that whilst in a therapy relationship with your client, minor, you, during or about October 2011, also entered into a forensic relationship with your client and thereby contravened Rule 18 on multiple relationships as contained in Annexure 12: "Rules of conduct pertaining specifically to the profession of psychology attached to the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974.</p>	<p>The Respondent accepted the penalty of caution and reprimand.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<p><b>Dr V Govender</b> <b>MP0613355/10195846</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that following a total abdominal hysterectomy and vault suspension performed on or about January 2014 at a hospital, you rendered insufficient care to your patient, in that you –</p> <p>(a) failed and/or neglected to react to an abnormal CT scan taken of your patient on or about January 2014 depicting abnormalities that required further investigations; and</p> <p>post-operatively, having regard to your patient's symptoms, you failed and/or neglected to exclude a urinary tract injury with a high index of suspicion.</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R15 000.</p>	<p>Durban</p>

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<b>Mr G Achmat</b> <b>BK0019968/19272672</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about 2012 till 2016, in your capacity as a registered biokineticist, you hold yourself out in the social media for rendering physical therapy care and thereby contravened Rule 3 of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, read with Section 35(3) of the said Act.	The Respondent paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R2 500.	Cape Town

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<p><b>Mr A Paladin</b> <b>BK0012068/19277200</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during on or about October 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the ethical considerations of your profession in that you:</p> <p>1.1 Contravened Ethical Rule 3(1) of the Ethical Rules of Conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act 1974, read with section 35(3) of the Health Professions act 56 of 1974 in that you misrepresented yourself as physiotherapist whilst you are registered as a Biokinetics, which conduct is perceived as unprofessional or untrue or deceptive, or misleading and can cause unwarranted anxiety.</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an amount of R2 500 without appearing at the inquiry</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<p><b>Ms SM Heard</b> <b>BK0020974/1927782</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during or about the period October 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the ethical considerations of your profession in that you:</p> <p>1.1 Contravened Ethical Rule 3(1) of the Ethical Rules of Conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act 1974, read with section 35(3) of the Health Professions Act 56 of 1974 in that you misrepresented yourself as physiotherapist whilst Biokinetics, which conduct is perceived as unprofessional or untrue or deceptive or misleading and can cause unwarranted anxiety.</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an amount of R2 500 without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Johannesburg</p>
<p><b>Dr A Klopper</b> <b>DP0037176/19286960</b></p>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct, which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about October 2015 in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession or that you:</p>	<p>The Respondent paid an amount of R2 500 without appearing at the inquiry.</p>	<p>Durban</p>



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	1. Provided treatment without your patients consent.		
<b>Dr P van der Walt</b> <b>0233714/19237668</b>  <b>Dr M Heunes</b> <b>MP0259187/19237654</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> both are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about 2015, both acted in a manner that was not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that a Medical Technologist was employed, whilst you knew that the latter is not registered as a medical technologist with the Health Professions Council of South Africa and thereby contravened Rule 9(1) of the Ethical Rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act 56 of 1974.</p>	<p>i) Both the Respondents were found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of regulations 4(9) of the regulations relating to the conduct inquiries under the Health Professions Act 1974;</p> <p>ii) to impose as a penalty a fine of R10 000 each in terms of section 42(1) (d) of the Act</p>	Pretoria
<b>Ms H Hoogenboezem</b> <b>PMT0032689/659940</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that upon or about 6 February 2010, in respect of your patient, you negligently acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you used an out dated psychometric test on your patient.</p>	The Respondent was found not guilty.	Pretoria
<b>Mr P Powis</b> <b>PS0016560/1561770</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that during or about August 2014, or portions thereof, in respect of the father of minor children you prepared and compiled a written report whilst you:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. failed and/or neglected to ensure that statement made in your report were based on sufficient information to substantiate your findings and/or</li> <li>2. compiled a report with or based on sufficient collateral information; and/or</li> <li>3. wrote a report for psycho-legal report with recommendations based on therapy as opposed to a comprehensive assessment; and/or</li> <li>4. made assumptions about a person(s) you had not</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That Mr Powis is guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of regulations 4(9) of the regulations relating to the conduct inquiries under the Health Professions Act 1974</li> <li>2. to impose a caution/penalty in terms of Section 42 (1) (d) of the Act for a psychological decision based on insufficient facts.</li> </ol>	Pretoria

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	interviewed and/or consulted.		
<b>Dr N Mashabela</b> <b>MP0459860/2351394</b>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that on or about January to February 2012, and/or portions thereof, and in respect of your patient you and/or your practice failed and/or neglected to obtain informed consent from your patient with regard to your fees.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that upon or about 2012 to 2015 and/or portion thereof, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your practice in that you contravened Rule 20 of the Ethical Rules of Conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974, in that you failed and/or neglected to respond to Council's correspondence relating to a complaint lodged against you by your patient.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that upon or about July 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your practice in that you contravened Rule 20 of the Ethical Rules of Conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974, in that you failed and/or neglected to attend the consultation with Council.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That Dr Mashabela is guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(3) of the Regulations relating to the Conduct Inquiries under the Health Professions Act 1974, and</li> <li>2. To impose as a penalty a fine of R5 000 in terms of Section 42(1) (d) of the Act for contempt of Council for failure to furnish Council the explanation by due dated since 2012.</li> <li>3. That Dr Mashabela is guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(5) of the Regulations Relating to the Conduct Inquiries under the Health Professions Act 1974; and</li> <li>4. To impose as a penalty a fine of R5 000 in terms of Section 42(1)(d) of the Act for contempt of Council for failure to attend the consultation in July 2015.</li> <li>5. That Dr Mashabela is guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulation 4(9) of the Regulations relating to the Conduct Inquiries under the Health Professions Act 1974, and</li> <li>6. To impose as a penalty a fine of R5 000 in terms of Section 42(1)(d) of the Act for failure to obtain informed billing consent for fees charged.</li> </ol>	Johannesburg

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<b>Dr G Breytenbach</b> <b>MP0485497/16715418</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during March 2015, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that you and/or your practice issued a medical certificate to your patient, while the certificate did not comply with the provisions of Rule 16 of the Ethical Rules of Conduct in that you:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. failed to consult with the patient; and/or</li> <li>2. failed to indicate the time of treatment.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulations 4(9) of the Regulations Relating to the conduct inquiries under the Health Professions Act of 1974; and</li> <li>2. To impose a fine of R5 000 in terms of Section 42(1) (a) of the Act for unprofessional conduct relating to issuing a medical certificate in contravention of Rule 16 (e).</li> </ol>	Pretoria
<b>Dr M Manzi</b> <b>MP0409219/17687218</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional, in that upon or about March 2015 you issued a medical certificate in respect of your patient without having consulted with and/or examined the patient and/or without having personal knowledge of his medical condition.</p>	<p>The Respondent pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to R10 000 half thereof suspended for three years, on condition that he is not found guilty during the period of suspension of an offence with like elements.</p>	Durban
<b>Dr A Bosman</b> <b>MP0188204/19756758</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which when regard is had to your profession is unprofessional in that during or about February 2016, in respect of your patient, you acted in a manner that is not in accordance with the norms and standards of your profession in that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1) your management of the patient was poor;</li> <li>1.2) you failed to take blood pressure; and</li> <li>1.3) you failed to check the patients glucose levels.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Dr Bosman was found guilty of unprofessional conduct in terms of Regulations 4(9) of the Regulations Relating to the conduct inquiries under the Health Professions Act of 1974; and</li> <li>2. As a penalty a fine of R10 000 was imposed for insufficient care failure to take blood.</li> </ol>	Cape Town
<b>Ms D van Pletzen</b> <b>BK0010359/19760234</b>	<p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that</p>	<p>Ms van Pletzen paid an admission of guilt fine in the amount of R2 500</p>	Cape Town

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	<p>during or about 2012 till 2016, in your capacity as a registered biokineticist, you hold yourself out in the social media for rendering physical therapy care and thereby contravened Rule 3 of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, read with Section 35(3) of the said Act.</p>		
<p><b>Ms VG Mathoho</b> <b>PT0097012/2491176</b></p>	<p><b><u>COUNT 1:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about June 2010, July 2011 and August 2011, whilst:</p> <p>1.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>1.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified dates; and/or</p> <p>1.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 2:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about March 2009, June 2010, November 2010 and July 2011, whilst:</p> <p>2.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p>	<p>Count 12 was withdrawn from the charge sheet.</p> <p>The Professional Conduct Committee of the Professional Board for Physiotherapy, Podiatry and Biokinetics found Ms Mathoho guilty of unprofessional conduct on the remaining 11 counts of the charge sheet.</p> <p>As penalty the Committee resolved that she be suspended from practising her profession for a period of one year but that the operation thereof be suspended for 3 years on condition that she was not found guilty of a similar offence during the period of suspension.</p>	<p>Pretoria</p>

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	<p>2.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified dates; and/or</p> <p>2.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to Mrs Mathebula or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 3:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about January 2011, whilst:</p> <p>3.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>3.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified date; and/or</p> <p>3.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 4:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about November 2010 and August 2011, whilst:</p> <p>4.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p>		

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	<p>4.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified dates; and/or</p> <p>4.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 5:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patients dependant's 01 and 02 an account/ wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about January 2011 and July 2011, whilst:</p> <p>5.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>5.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified dates; and/or</p> <p>5.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 6:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about November 2009 and June 2010, whilst:</p>		

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	<p>6.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>6.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified dates; and/or</p> <p>6.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 7:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about April 2010 and January 2011; whilst:</p> <p>7.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>7.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified dates; and/or</p> <p>7.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 8:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about June 2010; whilst:</p>		

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	<p>8.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>8.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified date; and/or</p> <p>8.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 9:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patients dependant 03 an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about August 2011; whilst:</p> <p>9.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>9.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified date; and/or</p> <p>9.3 the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 10:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patient an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services</p>		



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	<p>allegedly rendered by you on or about June 2010, whilst:</p> <p>10.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>10.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified date; and/or</p> <p>the said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 11:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that you rendered or caused or permitted to be rendered on your behalf and in respect of your patients dependant 01 an account/statement wherein you charged and/or attempted to recover the amounts specified in the said account/statement in respect of professional services allegedly rendered by you on or about June 2010, whilst:</p> <p>11.1 none of the services was rendered by you; and/or</p> <p>11.2 you were not entitled to any amounts specified in the said account/statement relating to the specified date; and/or</p> <p>11.3 he said account/statement was rendered in such a manner as to cause financial prejudice or potential financial prejudice to your patient or the medical aid scheme concerned.</p> <p><b><u>COUNT 12:</u></b></p> <p><b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about July 2012 till March 2015 you failed and/or neglected to respond to correspondence from an official of the</p>		

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	Health Professions Council of South Africa and thereby contravened Ethical Rule 20(a) of the ethical rules of conduct for practitioners registered under the Health Professions Act, 1974.		
<b>Mr BA Tshabalala GT0030848/2169718</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during or about two nights in November 2011 at a hospital in Vereeniging you documented results on the result report system for nine patient gram stain samples and four Cryptosporidium patient samples whilst, in fact, you did not do any of the procedures to obtain any of the results and reported these falsely fabricated results to numerous healthcare providers.	The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct. As penalty the Committee resolved that Mr Tshabalala be suspended from practising his profession for a period of 3 years but that the operation thereof be suspended for a period of 5 years on condition that he was not found guilty of unprofessional conduct on a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.	Johannesburg
<b>Dr OA Adeyemi MP0423769/1886/2009</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that during your employment as a locum tenens during August 2009 in the private practice of another practitioner you used prescription forms for that practitioner without consent.	The Respondent was found guilty of unprofessional conduct.  As penalty the Committee resolved that he be suspended from practising his profession for a period of 12 months but that the operation thereof be suspended for 3 years on condition that he was not found guilty of a similar offence committed during the period of suspension.	East London
<b>Mr BK Ledwaba ECP 000336/19238270</b>	<b>THAT</b> you are guilty of unprofessional conduct or conduct which, when regard is had to your profession, is unprofessional in that on or about July 2015 at a venue in Sandton, you engaged in a verbal altercation with the claimant, who had been attending to a patient, in the presence of the patient as well as other emergency care personnel and thereby brought the profession in disrepute.	The Respondent paid an amount of R5 000 as an admission of guilt fine.	Johannesburg