

ADVANCED HEALTH MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

Dr. Paula Diab

Paula is the Acting Medical Manager at the Eshowe Provincial Hospital.

After completing the AHMP course, Paula's response to the question on how the course has benefitted her and her career was: "With no previous formal training in management, I found I benefitted tremendously from all aspects of the course. I have been able to successfully procure donations of computer hardware to our ARV clinic as well as been awarded a Discovery Foundation award to enable part-time specialists to visit Eshowe Hospital as a result of being able to write well-resourced donor applications. Our VCT program has been improved through a quality improvement project done as part of the course. And the benefits of good human resource management and strong leadership on the part of a manager, learnt in theory during the course, were also recently made evident in a team-building event I arranged at the hospital which greatly improved staff morale and motivation."



"FPD is proving to be a pivotal role-player in health care in South Africa and is the driving force behind many new projects being implemented. Their leadership and strategies to improve health care education and service delivery are greatly appreciated. The FPD cannot be faulted on their service delivery and excellent organisation of all their courses and programs."

