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HEALTH MEC DR PHOPHI RAMATHUBA AND MPUMALANGA HEALTH MEC MS SASEKANI MANZINI TO HOST INTERPROVINCIAL MALARIA CAMPAIGN

Limpopo Province MEC for Health Dr Phophi Ramathuba will host her counterpart from Mpumalanga Province MEC for Health Ms Sasekani Manzini to join forces in the fight against malaria. The main focus will be on increased Indoor Residual Spraying, towards ultimate Malaria elimination.

On the day, there will be activities where individuals team will enter individual houses, to conduct the spraying. All inside walls of houses will be sprayed by trained personnel with chemical that kills anopheles mosquitoes when they go sit on the walls, thus preventing them from spreading malaria.

This campaign will serve greatly to adress many challenges that the two provinces face during Malaria season and to provide a platform for exchange programs to eradicate and reduce the malaria cases. Limpopo Province has made considerable progress over the past 15 years, in reducing the incident of malaria in the province.

The event is scheduled as follows:

Date: 30 January 2020

Time: 10h00

Venue: The Willows Stadium(Mopani Distric)

Media is invited.

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