



## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## Gauteng DWS conducts handwashing campaign to promote healthy lifestyles

25 June April 2019

The Gauteng Provincial Office of the Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS) in partnership with City of Tshwane will conduct a Handwashing Campaign in Kameelsdrift to educate the public about the dangers associated with unhygienic practices.

The campaign focuses attention on promoting proper handwashing and hygiene. Inadequate and unhygienic practices are ranked as one of the leading causes of deaths globally.

Children under the age of five are losing lives every day as a result of their parents not practicing hygiene and thus placing exposing them to diseases such as diarrhoea.

## The media is invited as follows:

Date: Wednesday, 26 June 2019

Venue: Kameelsdrift Clinic, City of Tshwane

Time : 10:00

For media confirmations, please contact Mr Hosia Sithole on 082 723 2442/ SitholeH2@dws.gov.za

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