



## FHS announces the passing of Professor Bongani Mayosi

Dear staff and students

It is with intense sadness and shock that we write to you about the sudden and untimely passing of our Dean, Professor Bongani Mayosi earlier today.

You would by now have received this tragic news from Vice-Chancellor Prof Phakeng.

We are all in deep shock and profoundly sad, and cannot express how deeply his death is being felt. His passing is a huge loss for us as a Faculty but also our country and the academic world, his friends and most importantly, his family.

We think with much love and warmth of his wife, Nonhlanhla, and daughters S'vuyile and Camagu during this time of deep grief and sorrow, and send our deepest sympathies to them.

Our management, with support from the Vice-Chancellor's office, will arrange a gathering of the Faculty community to share our sorrow, and celebrate and honour Prof Mayosi as soon as possible.

We will be making counselling services available to those who feel that this will assist them with the trauma of this news. In the meantime, our toll-free line 0800 32 33 23 can be used should it be necessary.

Please keep the Mayosi family, friends and colleagues in your prayers, thoughts and meditations over the next few weeks.

The Deanery