

WESTERN CAPE REHABILITATION CENTRE FACILITY BOARD AND DARE CONSULT

Wheelchair service training: Information sheet 2019

Western Cape

DATES:

BASIC LEVEL	INTERMEDIATE LEVEL 1	ADVANCED LEVEL
25 February – 01 March 2019	08 – 12 April 2019 (Reserved for DOE)	18 – 22 November 2019
13 – 17 May 2019	06 – 10 May 2019	
19 – 23 August 2019	09 – 13 September 2019	
21 – 25 October 2019		

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

Basic course: Physio- and occupational therapists, orthotist/prosthetists, nursing staff and doctors. Therapy assistants and non-medical personnel can be accommodated. As the course content is specifically developed for professionals, it is recommended that they attend with professionals from their organisation who can support them during the course.

Intermediate course: Completion of basic course

Advanced course: Completion of intermediate course

PRESENTERS:

Andrea du Plessis / Dietlind Gretschel / Athene Irving / Andrea Trout-Daniels / Elsje Scheffler / Emily Mouton / Janine Botha / Sue Fry / Adri Visser / Rehan Hall / Jurgen Vöges / Liesel Els

VENUE:

Conference Room, Therapy 2, Western Cape Rehabilitation Centre, Mitchell's Plain

CONFIRMATION OF COURSE REGISTRATION:

- See separate registration form.
- Once we have received your application and proof of payment, you will receive written confirmation of your registration. If you don't hear from us, it means we have **not** received your proof of payment and/or registration. Please contact us immediately.
- We reserve the right to cancel courses with low registration numbers. All courses will be confirmed/cancelled by email at the latest **one month before** the course starts. **Only** finalise travel and accommodation arrangements **after** you received our final confirmation email. We cannot be held liable for the costs incurred for travel and accommodation.

PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION ON THE DAY OF THE COURSE

Registration starts on 7.30am on the first day of the course

TOOLS:

The following tools will be needed for the duration of the course. Please bring the tools along from day one:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Medium flat screw driver ▪ Medium Phillips (star) screwdriver ▪ Nr 10 and 13 ring / open-ended spanner ▪ Measuring tape (preferably a rigid tape) A tape with both inches and cm's will allow you to convert wheelchair sizes easily ▪ Nr 2, 3, 4 and 5 Allen keys ▪ Adjustable spanner (open to 25 mm) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Either Hacksaw blade (minimum 32 teeth per inch) or smooth non-serrated long blade kitchen knife. Do not use blade holders. You may wrap tape around one end of the hacksaw blade. ▪ Stanley knife/scissors to cut upholstery, webbing, etc. ▪ Black marker ▪ White marker / Tippex
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DRESS CODE:

The courses are practical in nature. You will:

- Practice assessments, measurements, hand simulation etc. on each other.
- Make modifications to wheelchairs and cushions and work with the wheelchair, tools, glue, etc.
- Work clinically with patients

Please ensure that you dress appropriately for these activities

BREAKS AND MEALS:

Tea, coffee and snacks will be provided during morning tea breaks. Tea and coffee will be provided at lunch time. Please bring your own lunch. Full and light meals, salads, pies, sandwiches and snacks can be purchased at the WCRC cafeteria during lunch times.

CPD:

30 CPD points for each of the Intermediate and Advanced courses.

Basic course: 29 General and 1 Ethics point.

Lost your certificate? Reprints can be ordered via wheelchairs@dareconsult.co.za at R200.00 per certificate. Send proof of payment with your request. Banking details as for registration.

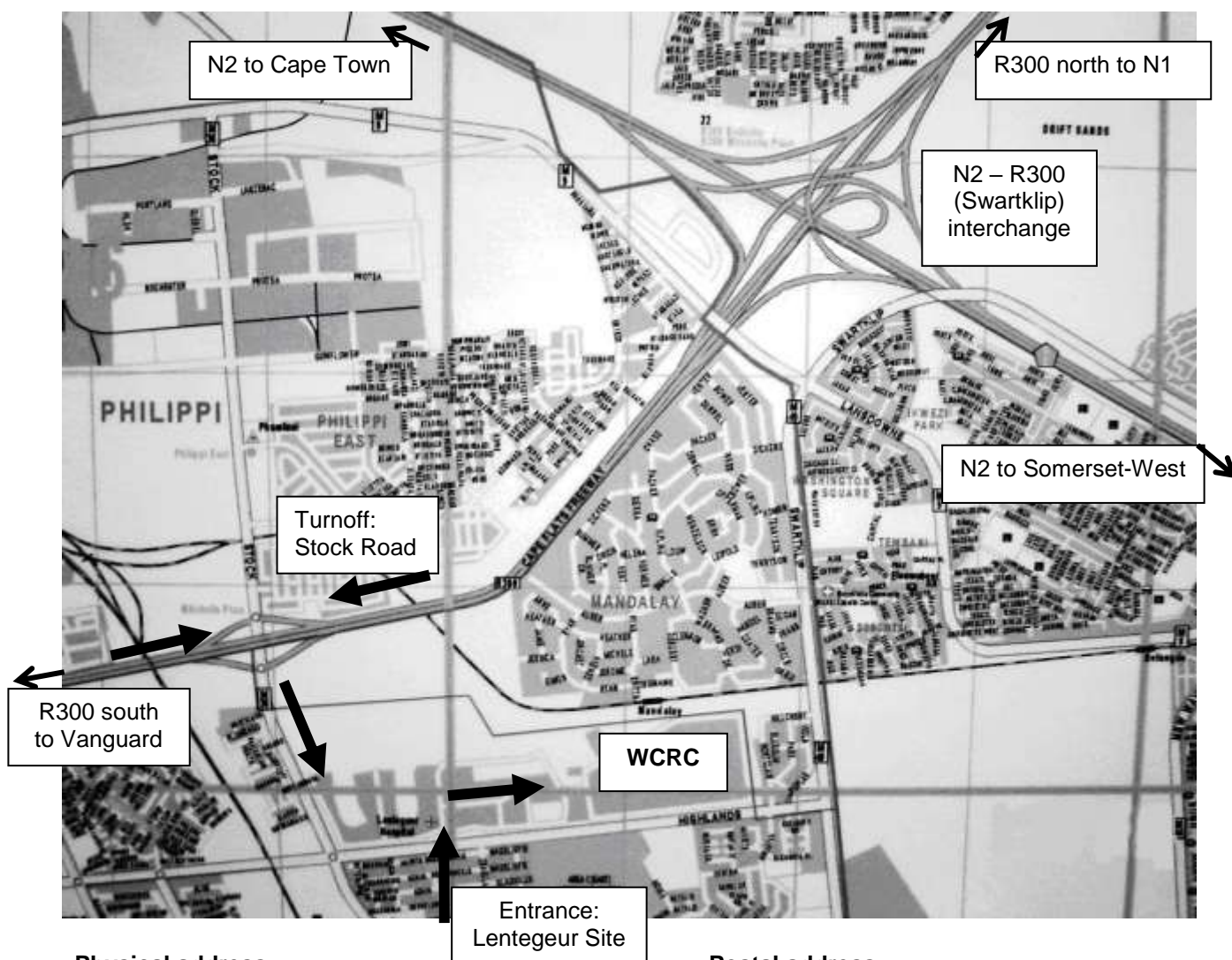
ACCOMMODATION:

- The venue is in Mitchell's Plain, plus minus 10 min from the airport.
- Contact the Cape Town Information Bureau for recommended accommodation in the airport area. Contact +27 21 487 6800
- Road Lodge Hotel situated close to Cape Town International Airport, and 11km from WCRC, is the closest accommodation. Taxis/ubers are available from the hotel. We recommend that you book your transport needs in advance when you make your reservations at the hotel.
Contact + 27 21 934 7303

GENERAL ENQUIRIES:

Karin van Niekerk at The Office: +27(0) 83 232 7275

DIRECTIONS TO: WESTERN CAPE REHABILITATION CENTRE



Physical address
103 Highlands Road
Mitchell's Plain

Postal address
Private Bag X19
Mitchell's Plain, 7789

FROM THE N1:

Take R300 south
Go past the N2
First turn off once past the N2: Stock Road (Stock Road becomes AZ Berman)
Left into Highlands Drive
Approximately 400m to the entrance of the Lentegeur Hospital site.

FROM THE N2:

Take R300 south (Mitchell's Plain turnoff)
First turn off: Stock Road (Stock Road becomes AZ Berman)
Left into Highlands Drive
Approximately 400m to the entrance of the Lentegeur Hospital site.

Once at entrance of Lentegeur Hospital, follow the directional boards to WCRC entrance (white boards with 4 orange balls).

PARKING: Security at the gate will direct you to the closest parking.

LOST? Call tel. (021) 370 2300