

Congratulations North West Champion

DDD champion



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Tsepho was first introduced to the DDD Programme in April 2016. In May 2016, he was selected to participate in the Train the Trainer programme, following which he was responsible for training fellow department officials on the use of the DDD Dashboard. Tsepho is an active user of the Dashboard and a valuable participant in the User Acceptance Testing cycle of new Dashboard features.



Reducing workload duplication:

DDD was introduced at a time when Tsepho was preparing the Annual School Surveys. He immediately saw the opportunity to reduce the unnecessary duplication of work by using the reports readily available on the Dashboard. "As they introduced the training I was so excited to see the future of our government moving towards an electronic government with consolidated data, reducing the duplication of work". The information that Tsepho required for reporting was available from one single source. "Dashboard made it much easier for me to give feedback to the circuit manager, the area manager about what is happening in the area and circuits."



A management tool for all levels within the Department:

Following Train-the-Trainer training, Tsepho was assigned the role of training the department officials such as subject specialists, area and circuit managers and curriculum co-ordinators on the DDD Dashboard. It was evident to Tsepho that the Dashboard is a tool that can benefit all levels within the department. "Not only at school level, circuit managers had to have a summary of attendance, performance of schools, number of learner enrolment versus number of teachers to check if schools are assigned an equal number of teachers. Such information was highly important to our circuit managers, area managers as it goes up to the district and provincial office. With Dashboard, life was now becoming easier... that information is consolidated and a report is fully and easily accessible."



Top Tester:

Tsepho has been a valuable contributor in the DDD User Acceptance Testing cycle where participants are asked to explore the new release functionality on a Dashboard testing site. Tsepho has been recognised by the DDD Programme for his contribution and collaborative efforts to enhance the Dashboard. "I put my recommendations to Dashboard, I took time to check the changes and for every change they made I provided feedback." Tsepho even went to the level of verifying the data represented on the Dashboard with SA-SAMS databases. His thorough investigation of reports, feedback, testing and exploration of the new features has been invaluable to the advancement of the Dashboard.