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Following the confirmation of the first case of COVID-19 in KwaZulu-Natal, the Minister of Health has noted the panic and anxiety that this caused to amongst others, members of the community, parents who have school going children.

It is for this reason that Minister Mkhize together with the MECs for Health and Education in KZN will be having the following engagements today:

12:00 Meeting with Cowan House Management & Parents.

MEC for Education, Mr Kwazi Mshengu would like to extend an urgent invitation to all school representatives and parents in the area, that can make it to this meeting so they can ask questions that will allow them to make informed decisions in dealing with this situation.

Venue: Cowan House

14:00 Media Briefing

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16:00 Meeting with management and staff at Greys Hospital, Pietermaritzburg, KZN

Greys has been designated as one of the hospitals that are ready to receive patients that have tested positive for COVID-19

Venue: Greys Hospital

19:00 Meeting with Private General Practitioners including SAMA members

Venue: Greys Hospital.

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