

**Professor Sibongile Muthwa**  
Vice-Chancellor  
Nelson Mandela University

Dear Prof Muthwa

**Message of Condolence on the passing of Professor Lungile Pepeta**

It is with deep sadness that we have learnt of the untimely passing of Prof Lungile Pepeta, Executive Dean of the Faculty of Health Sciences.

Professor Pepeta's expertise, professionalism passion and leadership will be remembered and continue to inspire colleagues and students.

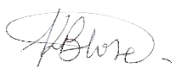
While the loss of such a revered medical specialist and academic is immense, Professor Pepeta's work and commitment in pioneering the establishment of the first Medical School at Nelson Mandela University, is and will remain his legacy.

On a personal level, he was a humble servant of the people whom we should all emulate and aspire to.

Professor Pepeta, the Alumni Association salute you!

We wish you strength, comfort and express our sincerest condolences the University during this trying time.

**Yours sincerely**



**Khwezi Blose'**  
**President**

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