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The recruitment process ensures fair representation and diversity, including:

- 60% Female participants
- 40% Male participants
- 2% Persons with Disabilities (PWDs)
- 100% Historically Disadvantaged Individuals (HDIs)

Eligibility Criteria for National Youth Service (NYS) EPWP Programme

To qualify for this opportunity, applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Age Requirement: Youth between 18 to 33 years (participants must not exceed 35 years during the 24-month contract period)
- Educational Qualification: Minimum Grade 10 pass or higher
- Citizenship: Must possess a valid South African Identity Document (ID)
- Availability: Candidates should be available for the full duration of the programme and be willing to sign a contract
- Residency: This programme is exclusively for youth residing within Gauteng Province across the five key corridors:
 - City of Johannesburg
 - City of Tshwane
 - City of Ekurhuleni
 - Sedibeng District
 - West Rand District
- Proximity to Work Site: Applicants must reside close to the project site for accessibility and convenience
- Clean Criminal Record: Candidates must not have a criminal record

Available Work Experience Opportunities under NYS EPWP

Participants will be placed in different skills development categories to gain valuable workplace experience and industry-relevant expertise. The available NYS job opportunities include:

1. Technical Trades – Ref No: 2025/01

Ideal for candidates seeking practical and hands-on skills in **technical and trade industries**:

- Electrical Services
- Plumbing & Pipefitting
- Carpentry & Woodwork
- Boiler Assistants
- Fitting and Turning
- Mechanical Engineering Support
- Building and Construction
- Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Maintenance
- Welding & Fabrication
- General Handyman Services
- Painting & Coating Techniques

2. Administration – Ref No: 2025/02

For individuals interested in office administration, data management, and clerical roles, opportunities include:

- Data Capturing & Records Management
- Financial Administration & Accounting Support
- Human Resource (HR) Management
- Procurement & Supply Chain Management
- Asset Management & Inventory Control
- Pharmacy Assistants & Healthcare Support
- Information Technology (IT) & Systems Support
- Graphic Design & Digital Media
- Receptionist & Front Desk Management
- Secretarial & Executive Support Services

3. General Workers – Ref No: 2025/03

For individuals seeking general employment roles in various operational departments, vacancies include:

- Cleaning & Housekeeping Services
- Gardening & Landscaping Maintenance
- Queue Marshalling & Public Assistance
- Porters & Patient Transportation Services
- Laundry Operations & Garment Care
- Food Service Aid & Catering Support

Why Join the National Youth Service (NYS) EPWP Programme?

The NYS programme is designed to **empower unemployed youth** by providing **practical skills**, **work experience**, **and professional training**. Participants will benefit from:

- Hands-on training in diverse fields
- Workplace readiness and career development
- Exposure to various industries and potential career pathways
- Opportunities for further employment and upskilling

This structured youth employment initiative not only enhances economic empowerment but also contributes to the growth and development of communities across Gauteng.

Application Process & Deadline

Interested candidates should ensure they meet the eligibility criteria and submit their applications before the closing date. Stay updated with the official Gauteng Department of Infrastructure Development (DID) announcements for details on the application process, selection criteria, and recruitment dates.

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