



ORGANISATIONAL **PORTFOLIO**

Founded in 1994 in response to the burgeoning prevalence of substance-abuse in the Greater Knysna and Plettenberg Bay region. Knysna Alcohol and Drug Centre (KADC), over the past twenty-eight years, provide a professional service in these regions with life changing and impactful programs to service users of substance abuse.

Our vision is to strive towards substance abuse free communities, through awareness programmes, early intervention and prevention, re-integration and aftercare.



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WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT KADC

Substance abuse in South Africa has become an enormous social problem, as thousands of South Africans become sceptical to the misuse of alcohol and drugs due to the increase unemployment rate. But never mind how hopeless the situation seems, there should always be hope for those who reach out for help.

Knysna Alcohol and Drug Centre (KADC) with its main office situated in Knysna, have been operative for 28 years, providing a service to assist service users and the community focusing on awareness programmes, early intervention and prevention, as well as re-integration and aftercare.

KADC prides itself with guiding principles that became the PILLARS upon which this organisation is built and to grant people back their FREEDOM, DIGNITY and HONOUR within our society.

These KEY VALUES are:



FAMILY ORIENTATED



RESPECT



EMPOWERMENT THROUGH
EDUCATION



EXCELLENCE THROUGH
COMPETENCE



DIGNITY AND SELF
DEVELOPMENT



OPPORTUNITY AND PARTICIPATION



MAINTAIN AND FACILITATE
REINTEGRATION

KADC's main object is to REACH out to people at risk to addiction disorders, which may be the result of many factors.

This registered Non-Profitable Organisation's (NPO) specialised target focused programs offered to the public is the only of its kind within the Knysna and Plettenberg Bay region. Covering different communities such as:

Sedgefield, Karatara, Rheenendal, Knysna CBD (Hornlee, Dam se Bos, Joodse Kamp, White Location, Concordia, Khayaletu), Kranshoek, Plettenberg Bay CBD, New Horizon, Kwanonkuthula, The Craggs, and Native Shelters for Homeless.

We understand that there is no success recipe for substance abuse and that relapse is very common, but more strongly belief with ongoing counselling and therapy, family and support groups, it encourages service users to overcome this disorder and illness.

As KADC, we committed ourselves to this life-long process to make our communities substance abuse free communities.

ABOUT

Marshall Laminie

Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

A passionate individual driven to help his community. A family orientated father who seeks to support challenged youth to overcome the problem of drugs and alcohol.

Marshall Laminie hails from Hornlee, Knysna and matriculated in 1994 from Knysna Secondary School, whereafter he pursued his passion for community upliftment and development projects.

His lifelong experience includes Community Development and worked for organisations such as Serenity Care Centre, an inpatient treatment centre for persons with drug addictions and ODAG (Outeniqua Drug Action Group), which later became an independent organisation today known as Knysna Alcohol and Drug Centre (KADC).

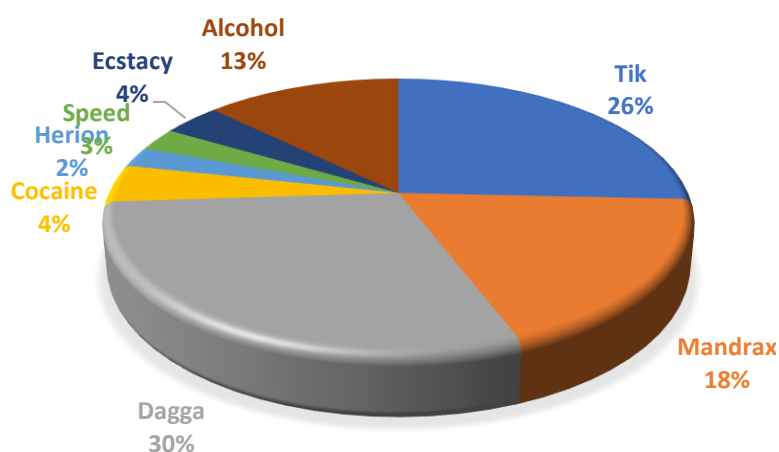
Marshall was appointed as the Office Manager of KADC in 2000 and assisted other private rehabilitation centres within the region. He quickly developed relationships with different stakeholders in the Eden District and became the “go to” person for early prevention and after care users.

Today, as the Chief Executive Officer of KADC, Marshall remains a positive individual with a purpose driven life, humble, trustworthy and integral when dealing with his staff, board, stakeholders, service users and their families.



WHY US?

KADC creates intense therapy sessions and education in a holistic and inclusive manner, to service users, atleast one family member to motivate the service user and develop support group sessions.



Our services are result driven and pride ourselves with a 90% success rate. Winning back service users, and restoring them back to their families and communities, drug free.

KADC have helped 67,6% Males and 33,4% Females in the 2019-2020 financial year period only.

The increasing abuse of alcohol, marijuana (dagga), cocaine, tik and heroin are some of the most frequently used substances we deal with in the different communities. In the period 2019 – 2020 we serviced, Sedgefield, Karatara, Rheenendal, Knysna CBD (Hornlee, Dam se Bos, Joodse Kamp, White Location, Concordia, Khayaletu), Kranshoek + Plettenberg Bay (New Horizon, Kwanokuthula), The Crags and the Native Shelter for Homeless. Through our intervention program 640 service users were treated only in this period. That is 8% Black, 27% white, 2% foreign nationals and 63% coloureds.

KADC therefore serve individuals, schools, communities, welfare organizations, hospitals, rehabilitation facilities, SAPS, and any other institution or government department. Our personal believe is, together we can turn our communities into drug free neighborhoods.

OUR SERVICES



THERAPY SESSIONS

We interact with the service user, his or her family, through intense education and intervention and prevention programs; information and awareness sessions, which also include life skills. This is all done in a controlled self-help support environment.



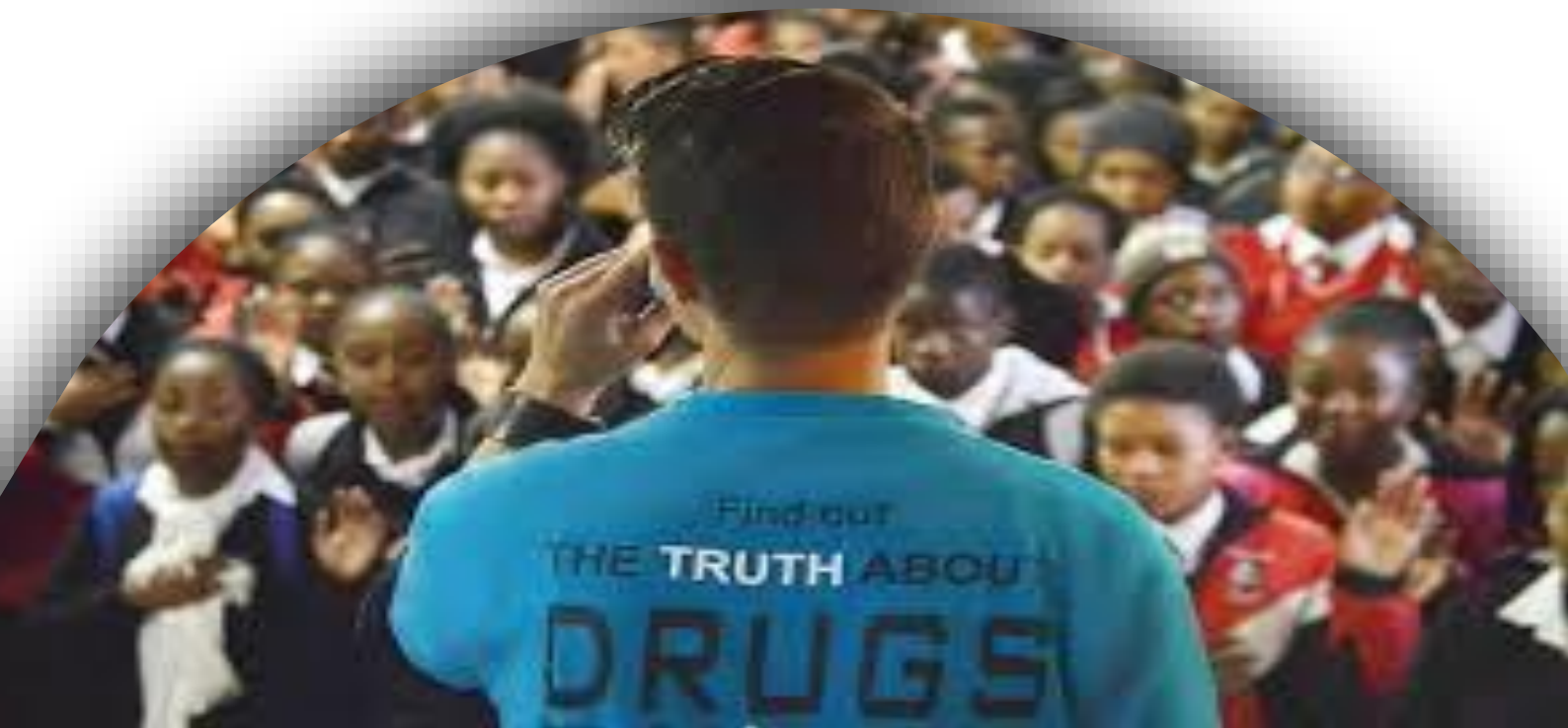
SCREENING

KADC provides a comprehensive screening, assessment and referred to therapeutic intervention with KADC social workers, which includes individual and family counselling, group therapy and where necessary referral for inpatient treatment.



SUPPORT GROUPS

We monitor service users progress through weekly support groups, community collaboration and controlled after-care. Service users are randomly drug tested and continuously engaged for other risky behaviour.



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