

PROVINCIAL INTEGRATED

Early Childhood Development

STRATEGY FRAMEWORK



**MPUMALANGA
PROVINCIAL
GOVERNMENT**



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OUTLINE

- Vision
- Situation Analysis
- Strategic Objective
- Transformation Pillars
- Model of Early Childhood Implementation Reform
- Proposed Annual Plan 2008-2009
- The contextualization of ECD landscape in the Mpumalanga Province
- The response to the Mpumalanga Province challenges in terms of ECD provisioning
- Acceleration and expansion of integrated delivery for Grade R and Pre-Grade R
- Extended Benefits of a Transversal Strategy



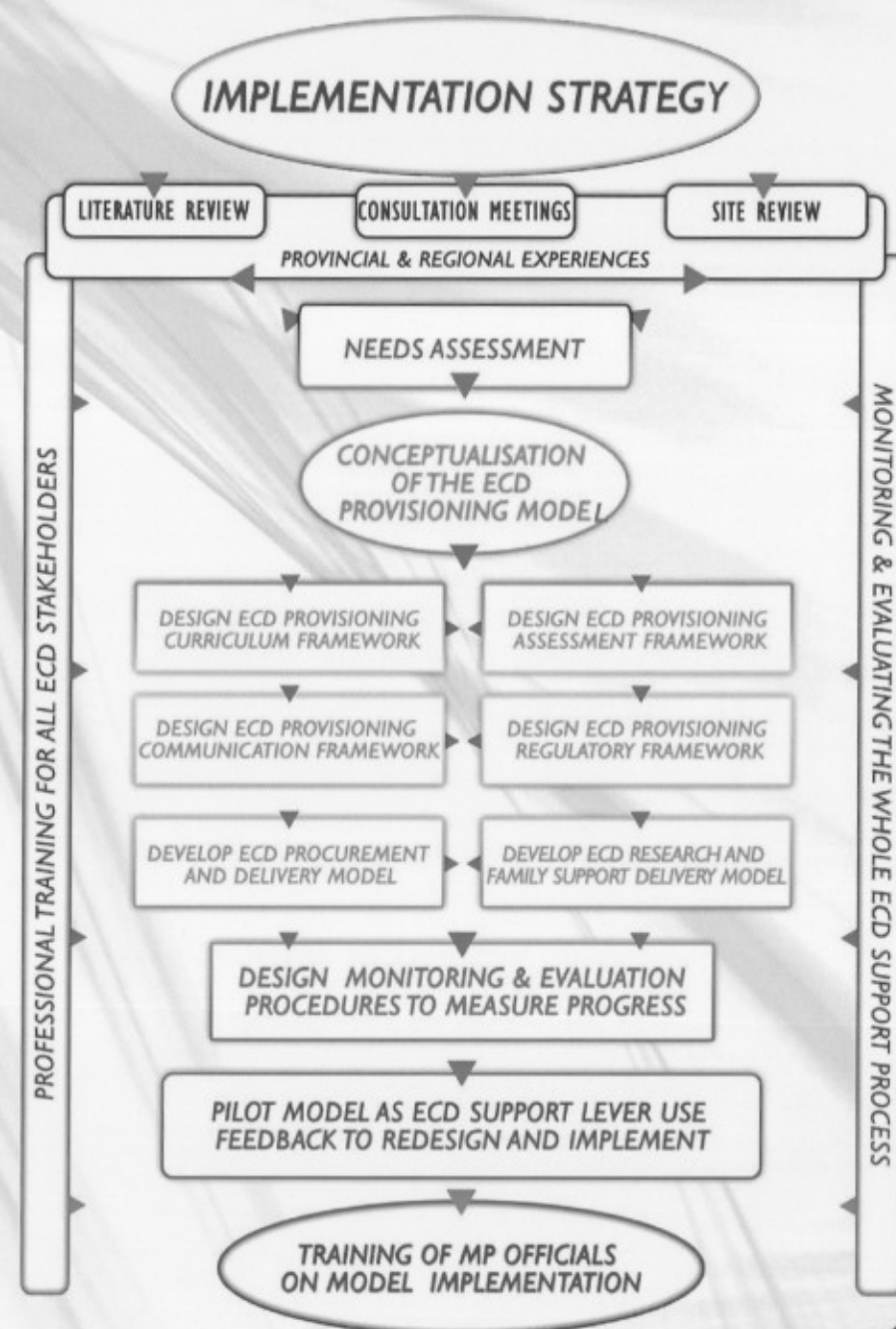
Vision

- ***“The Mpumalanga Provincial Integrated Early Childhood Development Strategy framework will enable quality, mass, relevant and effective ECD provisioning”***



Transformation Pillars

- Vision;
- Infrastructure;
- Financial planning;
- Ongoing research;
- Family support;
- Early Education and Integrated Support System;
- Public access to information, job creation, training development and support;
- Monitoring and evaluation, quality assurance and risk management; as well as
- Responsive Special innovations to the Mpumalanga Provincial ECD needs.





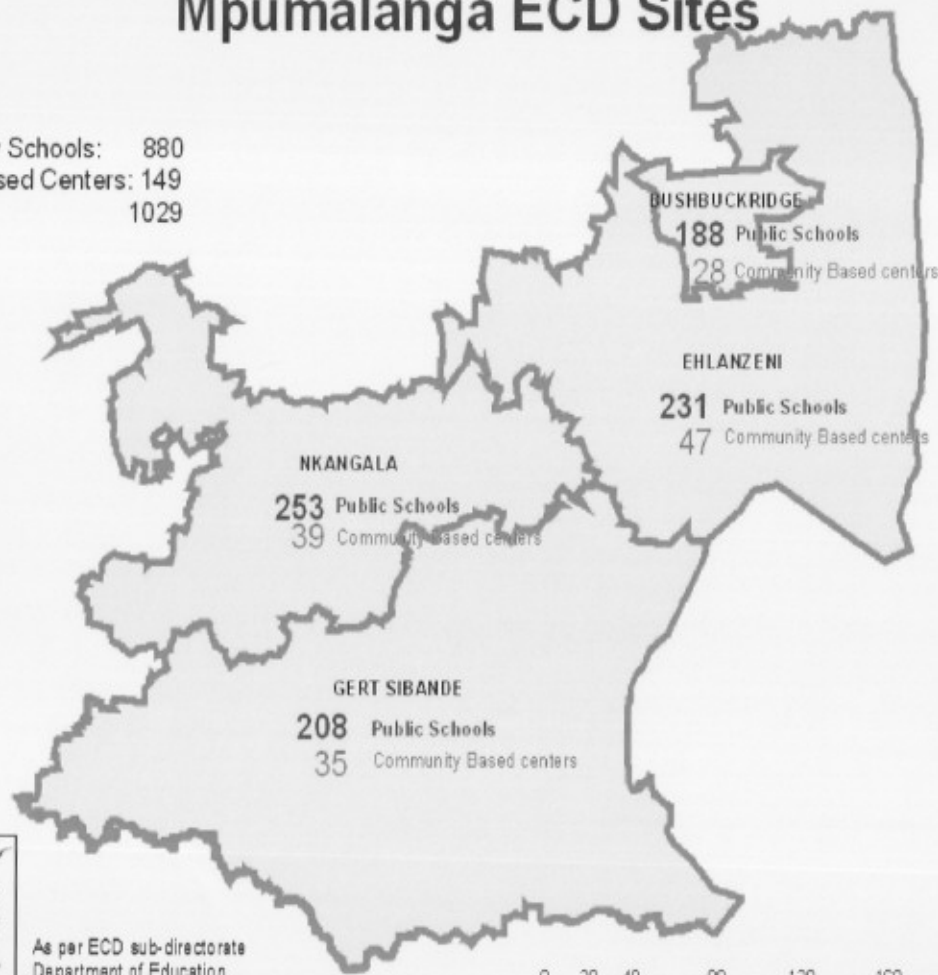
Mpumalanga ECD Sites

Public Ordinary Schools: 880
Community Based Centers: 149
TOTAL: 1029

 Regions



As per ECD sub-directorate
Department of Education
Created 11 June 2008

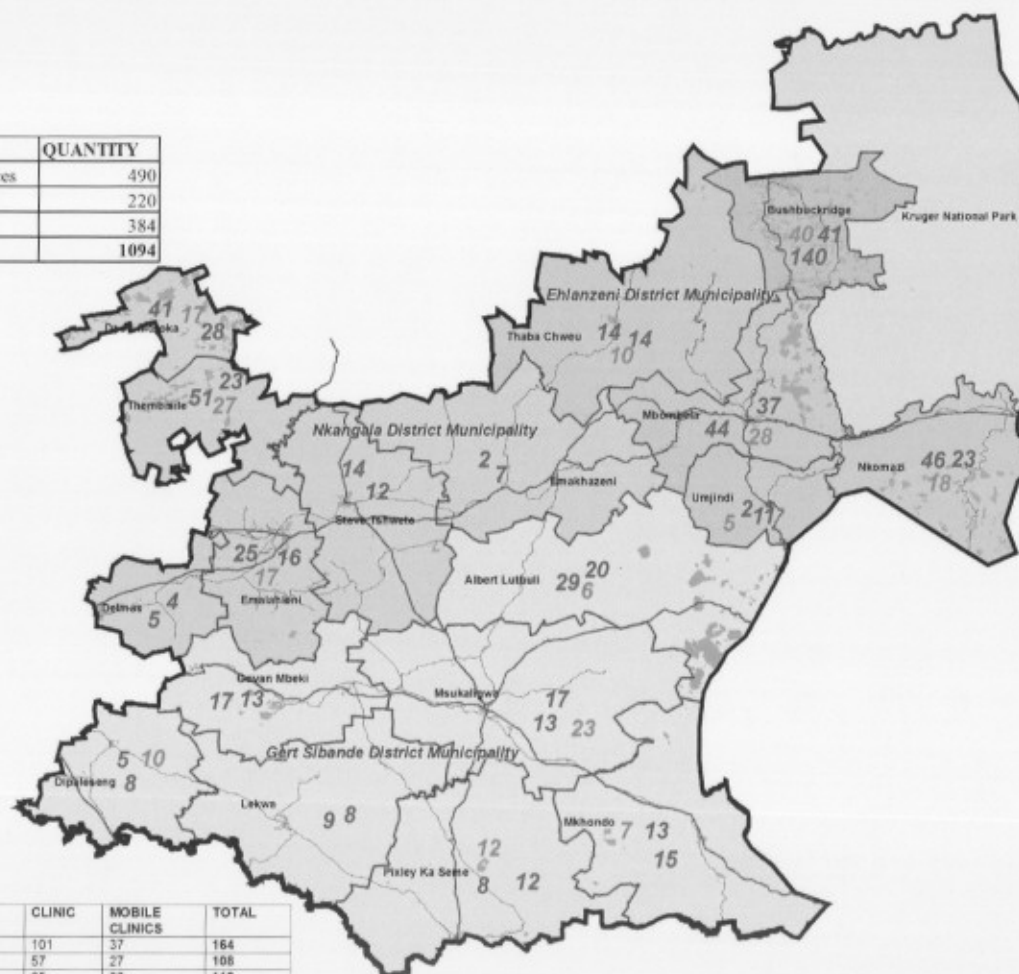




MPUMALANGA: ECD GRADE R & PRE-GRADE R SERVICES

RED: SOCIAL SERVICES
GREEN: EDUCATION
BLUE: HEALTH

COLOUR	DEPT.	QUANTITY
RED	Social Services	490
GREEN	Education	220
BLUE	Health	384
TOTAL		1094



DISTRICT	HOSPITALS	CHC'S	CLINIC	MOBILE CLINICS	TOTAL
Ehlanzeni	11	15	101	37	164
Gert Sibande	9	15	57	27	108
Nkangala	8	17	65	22	112
TOTAL	28	47	223	86	384

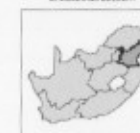
Legend

- MAINROADS
- RAILWAY
- COMMUNITIES
- BUSHBUCKRIDGE
- KRUGER NATIONAL PARK
- DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY**
 - Ehlanzeni
 - Gert Sibande
 - Nkangala
- LOCAL MUNICIPALITY
- PROVINCIAL BOUNDARY



1:100 000

MPUMALANGA LOCALITY



Source Data
Mpumalanga DEOP
Municipal Demarcation Board
DWA
CBM

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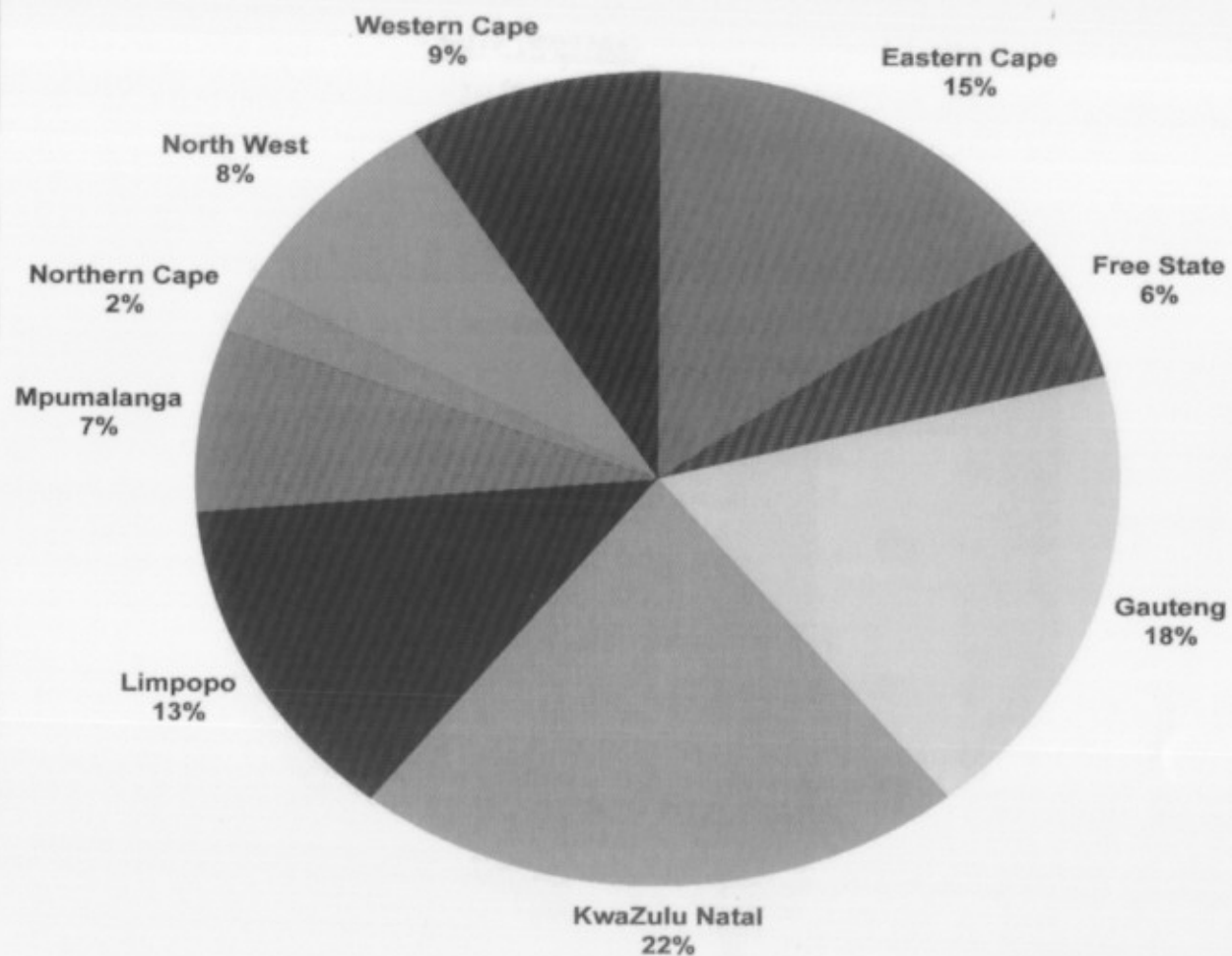


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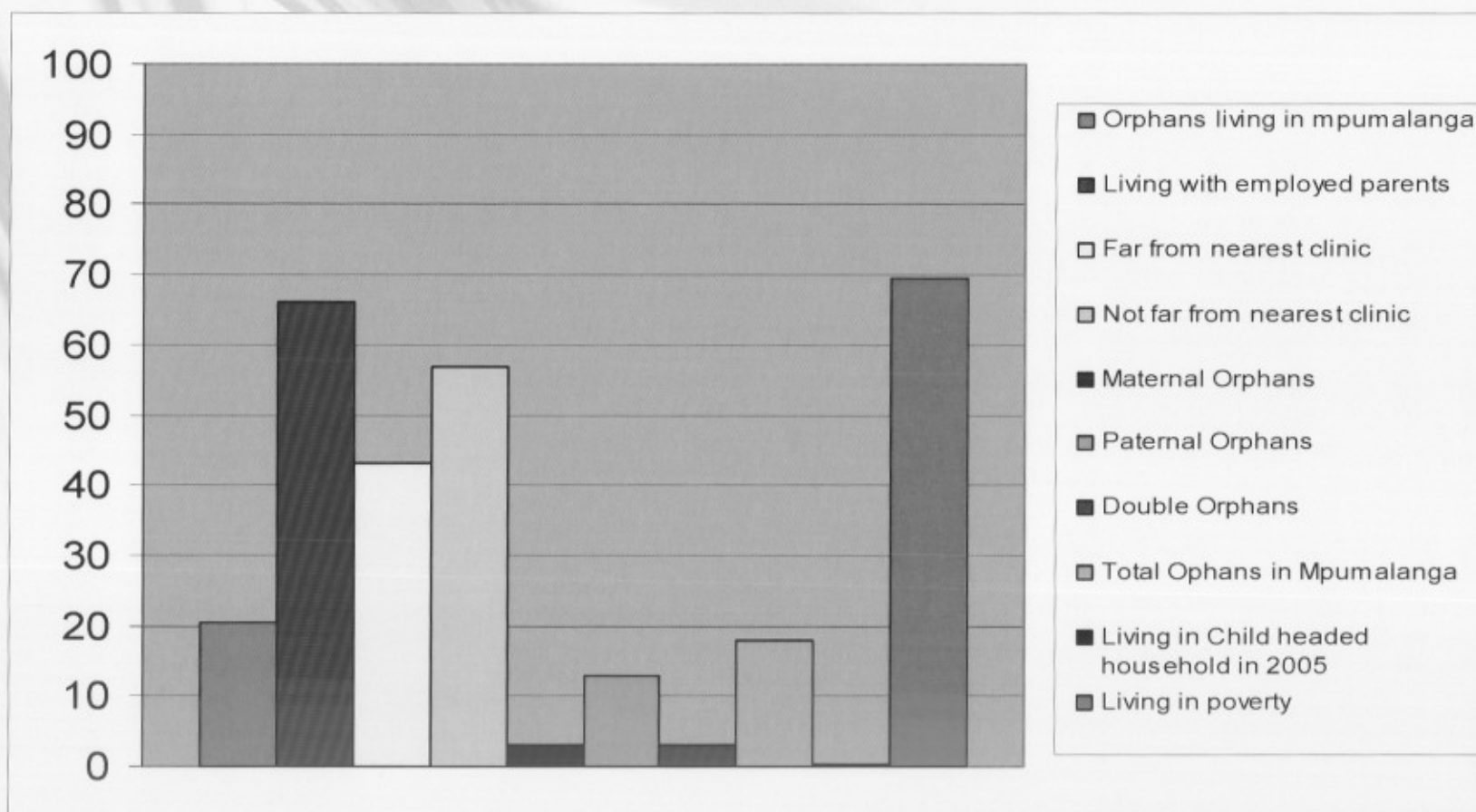
Situation Analysis

Distribution of children aged 0 - 4 per province



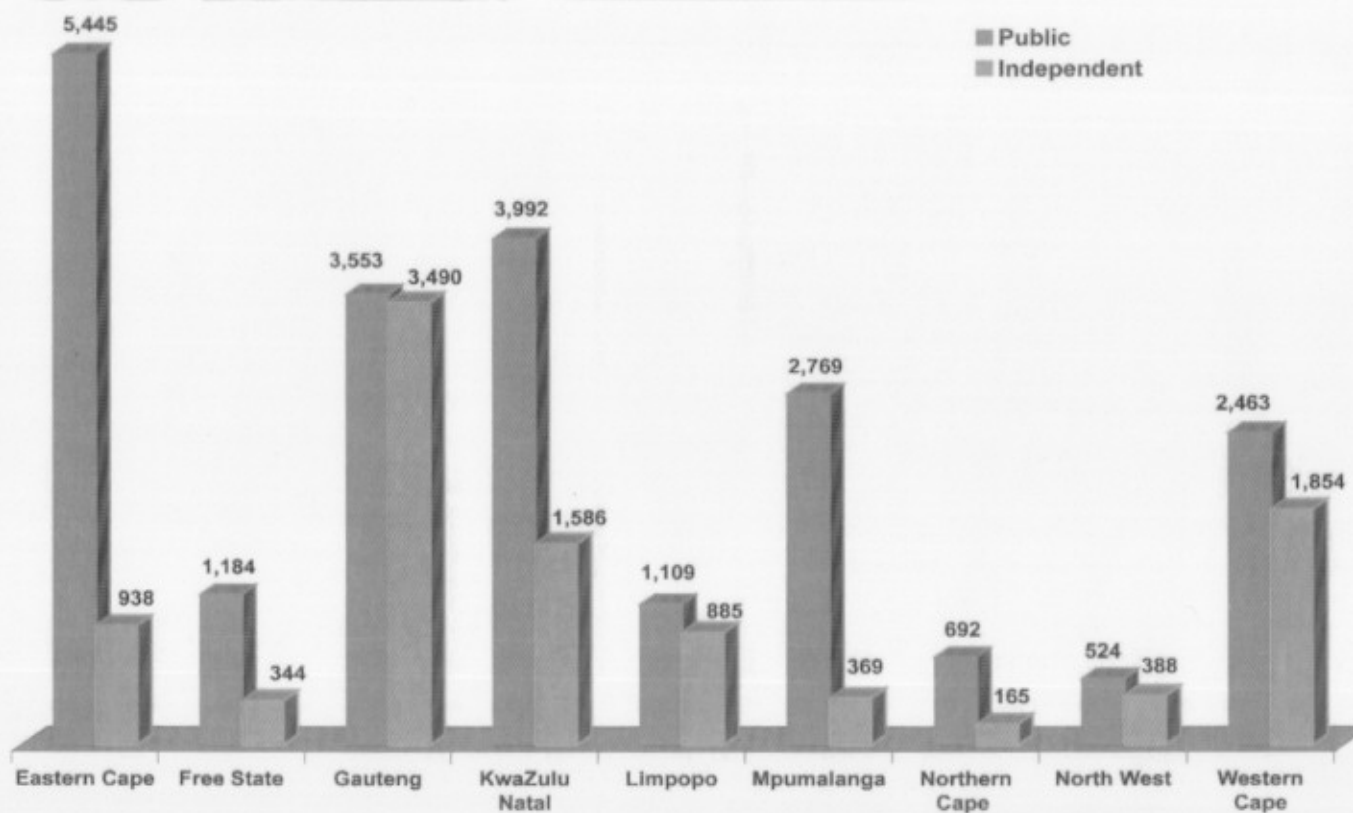


Provincial Landscape of Children and Influential Developmental Indicators in Mpumalanga





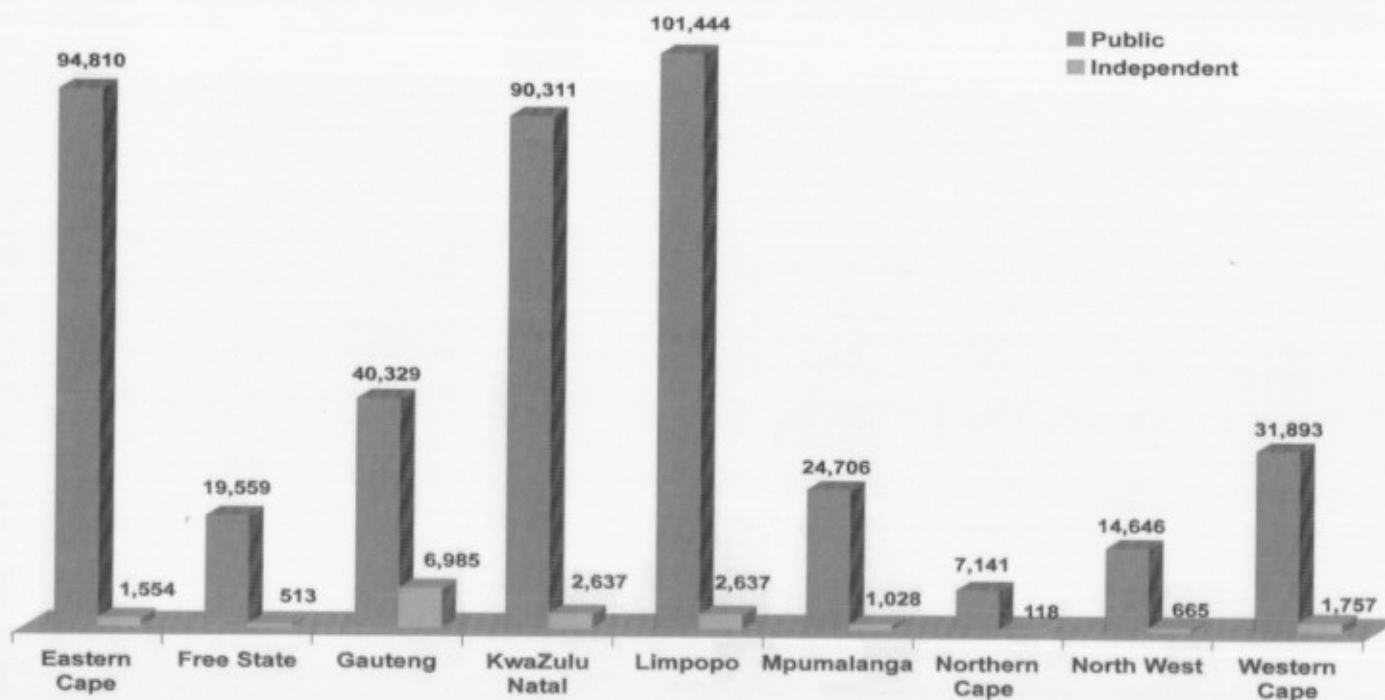
Number of children in Pre-Grade R, 2006



Source: Education Management Information System, *School Realities 2006*



Number of children in Grade R, 2006



Source: Education Management Information System, *School Realities 2006*



MPUMALANGA PROVINCIAL RESPONSE TO ECD DEL MANDATE

- The Provincial Integrated ECD Strategy Frameworks approved by the Executive Council 16 July 2008
- The current responses in this report reflect the commitment and intent of the Mpumalanga Province per se
- Specific graphs will depict the trajectory from 2004 to the projected 2010 targets in line with White Paper 5, EPWP initiatives, ASGISA and PGDS and HR Strategy and MDG for 2014
- The generic status attached to ECD centres in Mpumalanga is that as registered on the Education database.
- We are reporting only on Education's financial accountability
- Grade R and Pre-Grade R are our strategic thrusts in terms of immediate ECD provisioning
- Grade R will be reflected in Public Ordinary Schools and in Community Based Centres.
- Pre-Grade R is reflected only for the Education Department funding.



ECD MTEF (2009-2012) Priorities

- Implementation of norms and standards
- Expanding Access to Grade R
- Expanding Access to Pre-Grade R