



**SOUTH AFRICAN  
COUNCIL FOR SOCIAL SERVICE PROFESSIONS**

# **ThisWeek@Council**

## **ELECT YOUR LEADERS**

**General Notice 4 of 2022** was sent to all registered social workers, social auxiliary workers, child and youth care workers and auxiliary child and youth care workers on the SACSSP's election for the 5<sup>th</sup> South African Council for Social Service Professions, 5<sup>th</sup> Professional Board for Social Work and 4<sup>th</sup> Professional Board for Child and Youth Care Work elections with a polling day of **16 May 2022** as announced in [Board Notice 248 of 2022](#) published in Government Gazette 46288 of 29 April 2022 has all the details.

The election of Members will happen for the first time through prescribed electronic election procedures - an electronic/online Ballot Paper that will be completed and submitted online using a secure link. Voters also have the option to participate in the election using the manual election procedures by casting a paper Ballot Paper.

**CHECK YOUR EMAIL:** On 29 April 2022 web-based links were sent to eligible voters' electronic mail (email) addresses that will direct him or her the specific electronic Ballot Paper. Verify this web-link immediately - if for any reason it does not direct you to the electronic Ballot Paper inform the Returning Officer **immediately**, but not later than **6 May 2022**, in writing to email address [elections@sacssp.co.za](mailto:elections@sacssp.co.za) as to allow for the correct link to be sent. No requests after 6 May 2022 will be accommodated.

**OR**

**CHECK MAIL:** Paper Ballot Papers, for those who require or requested these, were dispatched by 3 May 2022 to the postal address as on the Register. If such a voter has not received a paper ballot paper by **6 May 2022**, he or she must contact the Returning Officer at [elections@sacssp.co.za](mailto:elections@sacssp.co.za) **immediately**.

For more information visit [www.sacssp.co.za](http://www.sacssp.co.za) and read the [information brochure](#).

**Do not wait - cast your vote as soon as you receive the Ballot Papers**

## **UPDATES & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

From 3 to 6 May 2022 is **International Child and Youth Care Workers' Week** celebrated under the theme "*Valuing a Resilient Profession*". Professional Board for Child and Youth Care Work will host a virtual Feedback Summit on Friday, 6 May 2022 from 10h00 to 12h30 under the theme "The crisis in the child and youth care sector and its impact on the welfare of children and youth in South Africa". A link will be circulated before the date of the Summit.

**Please share this news with your networks as well**

**ThisWeek@Council** is a weekly update by Council on matters of interest.

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