

For Local 8 Members at Crisis Connections

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## **Bed Bugs**

We know how stressful and scary having to deal with bed bugs at work is and ultimately, we believe this is an important health and safety issue.

As we continued to hear directly from many of you last week about your disappointment and frustration in the way the matter was being addressed, we sent a clear and detailed letter to Crisis Connections communicating reasonable expectations and areas for improvement.

Our letter had three basic demands:

- Improved communication
- Need for more intensive treatment
- Ways in which staff can be supported

To read the <u>letter in full, click here</u>.

We understand Management met with some of you on Friday and answered some of the questions posed in our letter. We expect to receive a more detailed reply from the employer in the coming days.

Another update will be sent as soon as we have more information to share on this subject.

Questions? Contact Union Representative Tara Powell, (206) 441-8880 ext. 106 or <u>Tara@opeiu8.org</u>



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