

Union ★
Update

OPEIU
Local 8

for OPEIU Local 8 members at Valley Medical Center

Bargaining Team Unanimously Recommends a Yes Vote!

We have reached recommended Tentative Agreement for our new Union contract. Our elected bargaining team is unanimously recommending a YES Vote!!!

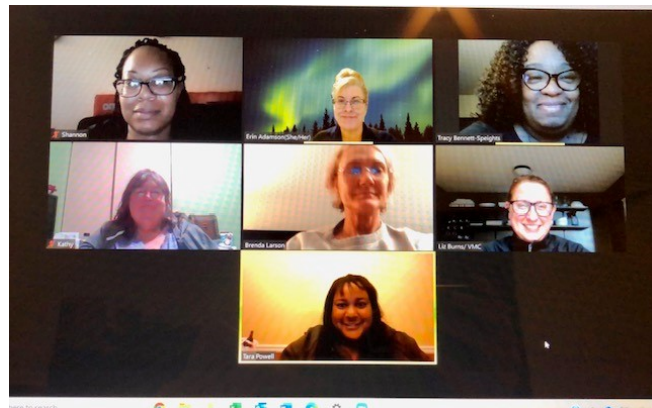
Our bargaining team has secured a 4-year contract with many improvements including:

- Wage increases every year of the new agreement
- Market Adjustments for those job classifications that have fallen behind
- Increased the Lead and Weekend premiums
- Created new Job Classifications including Patient Access Associate I and II
- Created new Job Classifications including PCR I, II and III
- Added a new 6-week time limit on when an employee will be transferred to a new position
- Added the week between Christmas and New Year to holiday rotation
- Expanded Bereavement Leave
- Secured a new Master Telework Agreement including an internet stipend (additional provisions apply)
- Updated the Health Benefits Memorandum of Understanding

And more! A summary of changes and all tentative agreements will be emailed to Union members by Wednesday January 13th. You must be a member in good standing in order to vote. If you would like to become a member you can fill out the [application on our website](#).

Our Elected Bargaining Team (corrected)

Elizabeth Burns, PSR
Shannon Cuney, PFS
Romy Domingo, Hospital Registrar
Brenda Larson, PSR
Tracy Speights, ISR
Kathleen Wilbur, PFS



Informational Meetings

In lieu of in-person meetings, and in order to minimize everyone's exposure, we are holding informational meetings by Zoom. To participate in these meetings please [download the Zoom app](#) to your smart phone and use the link that is listed next to the date and time below.

Wednesday January 13

7:00 am - 8:00 am

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89949074747?pwd=bmtHMjJGQ2JqcG9ONENwEJBek42QT09>

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86448126267?pwd=aFgyZE0yaVpjd0xXTExUQjBHeHg0dz09>

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81295839194?pwd=bnBac0RYSVc0TzltSTJINIj3MjJIZz09>

Thursday January 14

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87293814019?pwd=OEhCakNQckwxek0rdzVhM2luT2hldz09>

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89305911874?pwd=aFRKM0szRnhkMy9POWI2TG9qWHZ4QT09>

Friday January 15

7:00 am - 8:00 am

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84898122442?pwd=YndnNHhUYTdEa0RNYy9jMkJKWUIQUT09>

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89300448906?pwd=S25kcys3Y2IRNDVnanJMMXEyVSt5UT09>

Electronic Voting Information

This vote will be done online. A link to the online ballot will be sent on January 13.

Online voting will be open starting January 13th at 7:00 am and close January 15, at 2:00 pm.***

***You must be a member in good standing in order to vote. If you would like to become a member you can fill out the [application on our website](#).

Questions or unable to attend an informational meeting? Please contact a bargaining team member or your Union Representative Erin Adamson at 206-441-8880 ext. 105 or erin@opeiu8.org

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