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for OPEIU Local 8 members at Sea Mar Community Health Centers

We Say YES!

On Friday May 12, 2023, our new Union contract was overwhelmingly approved. We are proud of this historic victory for our Union and of the hard work it took to get here.

Along with our updated contract and wage increases including retro payment back to March 26, 2023, we developed a new form to address high workload and short staffing. This form will be available on SharePoint as well as on the OPEIU website. Management has also agreed to have members join our monthly Labor Management Committee meetings to speak to issues they're facing at work. Lastly, the newly updated dress code is already available on the Sea Mar SharePoint page.

Thank you to our hard-working bargaining team for their tireless efforts to secure a contract that benefits all workers at Sea Mar.

Our Bargaining Team:

1. Genevieve Hutchings, RNII, MSS (Pierce County)
2. Nacole Holmes, Social Worker I, MSS (Clark County)
3. Amber Braaten, MA, Aberdeen
4. Eric Sanders, Case Manager-Housing, CSNW,
5. Katrina Ondeck, Integration Specialist (Care Management), CSNW
6. Francis Tarango, DA III, Mt. Vernon
7. Lori Tornquist, SUDP III, Aberdeen
8. Amy Nitchman, Health Educator II, Vancouver
9. Martie Skinner, Phlebotomist, Vancouver
10. Malia Silverthorne, WIC Nutrition Asst Certifier I, Vancouver
11. Erin Adamson, Lead Negotiator, OPEIU, Southwest WA Representative
12. Valarie Peaphon, Union Rep, OPEIU
13. Phoebe Feldsher, Union Rep, OPEIU, North Representative
14. Jesse Holtzinger-Cruz, OPEIU, Seattle and South King County Representative
15. Tara Powell, OPEIU, Pierce and Thurston County Representative

Once the new contract has been finalized and signed it will be available at www.opeiu8.org.

If you have questions or concerns, please reach out to your Union Representative at Erin@opeiu8.org, Phoebe@opeiu8.org, Tara@opeiu8.org, Jesse@opeiu8.org or any member of our Bargaining Team listed above.

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