Negotiation Preparations Have Begun

Your leadership team is still looking for a representative from Med/Surg and FBC. Volunteers or nominations can be submitted to:

- Chris Knosp, RN OPS/PACU
- Samantha Claudio, RN ICU
- Kerith Crabb, RN ED
- Rhonda Kenney, RN OPS/PACU
- Ateusa Salemi, RN ONA Labor Relations Representative (Salemi@OregonRN.org)

Stay Informed

Throughout the negotiations process, having a way to get our members information is crucial. Please make sure your information is up to date! You can also sign up for text blasts by texting ONASAO to 43506. This is an opt in service that allows us to let you know of events and when updated information is available.

Negotiations Survey

Our negotiations survey will launch this week! Please take the survey and encourage your co-workers to also, this is how we know what the member priorities are.

Listening Sessions

You are invited to participate in any one of our ONA Listening Sessions!

Our ONA labor representative and our Ontario leaders want to hear from you. What are your issues? What are nurses on your unit talking about?

These are drop in events, open to all nurses in Ontario. Stay for a brief visit, before or after your shift, or on a day of errands.

Sessions will be at various times and locations on Nov. 7, 8, and 9. Stay tuned, for more information.
Don’t Miss Important ONA Emails

ONA wants to make sure all members receive timely communications, ensuring you have the most up-to-date information on your contract, bargaining issues, upcoming votes, nursing research, practice issues and workplace policies. If you are not receiving ONA emails, we can help.

First, check to make sure ONA emails are not being filtered into a junk, spam or clutter folder. Many email providers, have built in spam/junk filters or blockers. The filters are intended to prevent you from getting junk mail or spam, but can unintentionally block emails you want to receive. If ONA emails are in one of these folders, flag them as “not junk” and add News@OregonRN.org to your safe sender list.

If there are no ONA emails in those folders and you still aren’t receiving ONA emails, there are various causes listed to the right.

You can fix most problems by simply emailing ONA at News@OregonRN.org with your name, personal email address and the name of the facility you work at in the body of the email.

We will update our records to ensure you don’t miss future ONA emails.

Common Reasons for Not Receiving ONA Emails

1. **Spam/Junk Filters:** Emails from ONA are being flagged as junk or spam by your email service provider.

2. **No Email:** ONA does not have an email on file for you.

3. **Bad Email:** ONA has an incorrect or outdated email on file.

4. **Blocked:** Due to several failed delivery attempts, our system has stopped attempting to send emails to your email address.

5. **Opted Out:** You have opted out of receiving emails.

6. **Work Email Filters:** Some healthcare systems filter out ONA emails so nurses don’t receive ONA-related emails. This is why we encourage nurses to use their personal email addresses instead of work emails.

Fixing Problems to Receive ONA Emails

1. **Check your junk/spam/clutter folder for ONA emails:** Flag ONA emails as “not junk/spam” and add News@OregonRN.org to your safe sender list.

2. **Email ONA:** To fix reasons 2-6, simply email ONA at News@OregonRN.org, and include your name, personal email and facility you work at in the body of the email.

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