Let’s Get Ready to Bargain!

Our Contract expires on December 31, 2023 and it’s time to start preparing for negotiations. In addition to your executive committee sitting at the table, we have two open RN positions. Now is the time to nominate a primary and secondary RN from your unit to be a representative at the bargaining table!

Bargaining team members must commit to many hours of prep and negotiations, and this process can be rewarding and empowering. If you or someone you know is interested in this vitally important work, please submit a nomination using the link or QR code on the next page.

The nomination period closes July 18 at 5 p.m. Elections will open on August 17 if more than two nominees are interested in running.

See below for timeline:

NOMINATIONS OPEN:
♦ July 6 at 8 a.m.

NOMINATIONS CLOSE:
♦ July 18 at 5 p.m.

ELECTION OPENS:
♦ August 17 at 8 a.m.

ELECTION CLOSES:
♦ August 23 at 5 p.m.

Bargaining surveys open Wednesday July 12! Your participation in this bargaining survey will help ensure that the priorities of nurses throughout the hospital are reflected in our contract. Please be on the lookout via email with your bargaining survey on Wednesday July 12!
Become a member to vote!

To nominate others, please enter the name of the nurse you would like to nominate for each position. For self-nomination, select the positions for which you want to run. Provide nominations for as many or as few positions as you would like.

Members can run for multiple positions but are only eligible to serve in only one elected office at a time.

Open Positions:
• At-Large Bargaining Team Member #1*
• At-Large Bargaining Team Member #2*
* The two additional bargaining team positions are limited to involvement in negotiations for the upcoming contract.

Join the Contract Action Team (CAT)

If you are interested but do not have the time to dedicate to the bargaining process, consider joining the Contract Action Team (CAT) which serves as an important support network for the bargaining process throughout the hospital. If you have any questions, please contact ONA labor representatives Jaki Salgado at Salgado@OregonRN.org or your executive team:

Executive Committee
• Chair: Megan Romero (Med/Surg)
• Secretary: Kristin Tyson (Peds/FBC)
• Treasurer: Alejandro Ruelas (Cath Lab)
• Membership Chair: Zenaida (Zee) Gabriel (Med/Surg)
• PNCC Chair: Monica Meier (ICU)

Submit your nomination!

If you or someone you know is interested in this vitally important work as a bargaining team member, please submit a nomination by scanning the QR code or using the link below:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2023-ONA-SKYNoms-CTS