

Hello Advanced Practice Providers:

UFCW Local 7 cordially invites you to attend an important meeting regarding legislation impacting physician assistants.

The Colorado Academy of Physician Assistants, working with state legislators, seeks to introduce legislation in the 2021 legislative session. The legislation could help our Local 7-represented physician assistants. We welcome both APNs and PAs to this meeting.

The legislation would update the term used to describe the PA-physician relationship from “supervision” to “collaboration.” It also eliminates the legal requirement that an **experienced** PA be supervised by a physician after their first three years of clinically practicing as a PA, and after an additional year of supervised clinical practice when changing specialties.

ACTION REQUESTED: We are asking you to attend one of the following two Zoom (virtual) meetings to understand this important legislation and request your action to help advance this with your elected representatives.

- February 2, 6:30 p.m.:
<https://zoom.us/j/95845838676?pwd=RGdSaHBRcitRL2hXb2V3SDd5MHBxZz09>; or
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- February 6, 11 a.m.;
<https://zoom.us/j/97150098986?pwd=dzQxMU1qdkVKSIVCWGx5anZkeDFsQT09>; or
+16699006833,,97150098986#,,,,*613942#

We look forward to seeing you at one of these meetings.

In unity,

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