

Local 7 Sisters and Brothers,

I am writing to you today to request support for one of our Registered Nurses, Gina Hedquist. Gina is an RN at Lone Tree urgent care and prior to that worked in the float pool. She is well-known and loved throughout the KPCO region.

On February 10th, Gina was involved in a car accident during her lunch break while working in urgent care and has been hospitalized since the accident. We have included the link to her Go Fund Me page in which financial donations are going directly to her family, and you can also follow the updates from her family.

<https://gofund.me/71e54fda>

In addition, we have the opportunity as union members to donate vacation hours to Gina:

Good to Know:

- PTO donation can be done on HR connect via this link -

<https://hrconnect.kp.org/wps/portal/hr>

1. You have to sign on, then search "PTO donation" in the top search bar. It will take you to a Donation of Hours link. Click this and scroll down to the "Donation of Hours" link.

Donation of Hours - Donor - Form 2030

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2. You can find the employee you want to donate to by searching their name
3. Enter the amount of time you wish to donate and then submit
4. You will be able to view this under "my cases" in HR Connect

Anyone interested in donating hours to support Gina please do so and feel free to share this with any union colleagues including our 105 Sisters and Brothers.

With Gratitude,
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