



Local 7 RNs, APNs, CNMs,

Happy Nurse's Day!

Happy Nurse's Week (May 6-12th)!

The theme for Nurses Week 2022 is "Rooted in Strength"

Just like plants and trees require a strong root system to weather the challenges of nature nurses have strong roots to weather the challenges of an ever-changing health care system. Nursing roots spread wide and deep – they allow us to lift up each other and care for our community.

We wanted to say **THANK YOU** to each and everyone of you for all you do! Nurses care for their patients, communities, families, friends, and colleagues.

We have the **PRIVILEGE** of being **UNION** nurses! Together we strengthen the voices of nurses throughout Colorado and across the country. We collectively speak up for patient and worker safety. We advocate for high quality, compassionate, empathetic professional nursing care.

We are honored to be recognized as the most ethical and honest professionals for the 20th year in a row. <https://news.gallup.com/poll/388649/military-brass-judges-among-professions-new-image-lows.aspx>

We would love to have you share a story about a time when a nurse helped to nourish your "roots" so that you were able to grow stronger.

**GET SOCIAL!** Post your story about a fellow nurse on social media (Facebook and Instagram). Use our hash tag #UFCW7nursesweek - photos welcome! Tag @ufcwlocal7healthcare.



With Gratitude,

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