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- **Speak Up / Take Action:** Take the Alliance Staffing Solidarity Survey (Alliance Update)
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Speak Up: Take the Staffing Solidarity Survey – We've launched the [Alliance Staffing Solidarity Survey](#) to mobilize our members, test our structures, and gather information to show the magnitude of the staffing crisis. Now, we need your support to promote the survey and ensure a high response rate! Here's a digital toolkit with example materials you can use to promote the survey with your members, including fliers, slides, emails, messages, and digital images. Spread the word!

Survey Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/nd9ap1ex6f>

Good News! Physician Assistant Modernization Legislation Update

Hello UFCW Local 7 Members,

Thank you for your support of Senate Bill 23-083 that addresses PA practice modernization. The Colorado Academy of PAs reports the bill passed both houses and we look forward to it being signed by the Governor. Then, the medical board will ask for public input as they make updates to current Rule 400 regarding physician assistant practice. CAPA has started to work on forms to ensure compliance with rule is easy to follow. Be on the lookout for more to come.

Reminder- this bill allows the PA to treat the patient based on the PAs experience - not that of the supervising physician, an experienced PA will have a collaborative agreement with a physician.

Thank you again for your continued support, everything you have done as a group has made a difference in this arena.

You are making a difference for patients all over Colorado.

Sincerely,

Tiffany Knudsen, PA-C
Steward

UBT Virtual Gathering – Thursday, April 13: We will discuss why we launched the Alliance Staffing Solidarity Survey and what it means to partner in a challenging environment.

Ask your members to join us by promoting the Virtual Gathering with [this flier](#).

Registration link: <https://qrco.de/2023VGRegistration>

Session 1: 10 am Mountain

Session 2: 5 pm Mountain

Session 3: 8:30 pm Mountain