Bargaining Update #7:

UC Proposes Unfair and Unequal Increases—AFSCME Prepares To Do Whatever It Takes To Win For Our Patients, Students and Families

- At the last bargaining session, UC gave us an unfair proposal that did not guarantee increases for all workers—only some workers at certain campuses would get increases of widely varying amounts.
- Our bargaining team rejected the proposal because it does not address our major issue of Longevity Steps at market rate, a \$15/hour minimum for all UC workers, healthcare, pension and parking guarantees, and represented career work.
- We are so far apart from agreement on the issues that the state appointed a mediator to work to bring us closer together. The bargaining team is currently meeting with the mediator and UC to try to work out a fair agreement.
- We will keep working with the mediator to come to a fair agreement but we have to prepare to do whatever it might take to move UC to agree to a contract that will help our patients, students and families.
- □ We are fighting for what other hospital & community colleges workers already have so that we can recruit and retain enough staff to best serve our patients & students.
- □ UC has the money to meet our demands but it is choosing to prioritize other things—like executive compensation—over our patients, students and families.

Roadshows: Whatever it takes... What does that mean?

Bargaining Update & Action Planning Meeting

Please contact your local union office for meeting times and locations.



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