



Dear Members,

We met Tuesday, September 27, with UIC Health management and specifically those who are in charge of the new Specialty Care Center to discuss the impact that opening this new center will have on our members. Much of our discussions revolved around bidding and filling the new positions. We were told that all internal candidates that applied for these positions were accepted. Furthermore, most of the positions were posted back in May. There remain a handful of openings and we have asked UIC to email SEIU members to share this link with them. We are also waiting for them to share the actual postings (both past and current) with us for our review.

Overall, it sounds like not much will change for those departments who are completely moving over to the new building. And through our conversations, we have a better understanding of the setup of it. We are still waiting to hear about the impact on the departments that are expanding into the new center. These departments, for example Materials Management, Imaging, Pharmacy, and the GI Clinic/Lab, were not present and UI Health has committed to providing more information about them to us this week.

We will be meeting with them again on October 11 from 10am-12pm. Please reach out to Liz Towell at [ETowell@seiu73.org](mailto:ETowell@seiu73.org) if you have any questions about the Specialty Care Center or if you would like to attend bargaining.

In solidarity,

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