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UI Health Members Speak Out Against Unsafe Working Conditions



On March 30, UI Hospital workers stood together and spoke out about a series of violent incidents in the emergency department. Nurses with the Illinois Nurses Association and techs with Local 73 urged management to act now and protect staff and patients. Local 73 members Daniel Culliver-Dodd (EMT) and Parth Mohanty (Nursing Technician) spoke about their experiences. Mayoral candidate Brandon Johnson also spoke in solidarity with hospital workers. [Click here to read about the press conference.](#)

Join the Contract Action Team!

Your bargaining team has been working hard going over the surveys, discussing issues, and prepping our proposals and now we are getting ready to present our demand to bargain to management. **As we prepare to go to the bargaining table, we will be holding our first Contract Action Team (CAT) meeting on April 13 at 6pm over zoom. The Contract Action Team (CAT) is the member-to-member communication structure for communicating bargaining updates and actions to union members at UIC.** To win the contract that UIC workers deserve, every worker in every building and every department needs to have a point person. Remember, a union is only as strong as the members. The more organized and united you and your coworkers are, the stronger you will be at the bargaining table. If you are interested in joining the CAT, [sign up here!](#)

Chicago has a new mayor!



The movement for Brandon Johnson won last night! According to United Working Families, volunteers knocked 533,000 doors, made 980,000 calls, and sent 1.36 million text messages. Chicagoans, from Rogers Park to South Chicago, spoke to their neighbors and friends about Brandon Johnson's transformational vision - and our efforts paid off. Local 73 members played a vital role as canvassers, phone bankers, and voters. Chicago is entering a new era where people are valued and receive the resources they need to thrive.



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