



PSA Quarterly January 2022

From the President

Hello PSA members,

I hope you were able to enjoy some downtime during the busy holiday season. As we begin 2022, I am optimistic about our future and the strength of our bargaining unit. Your voices are important and the Executive Board is available to any member with questions or concerns. We are actively gearing up for a productive year and look forward to representing all of our members!

Respectfully, Jude

Rewards for Wellness 2022-2023

The State of Rhode Island Employee Wellness Program details we recently sent to all BCBS of RI members. The specifics are also available online:

http://www.employeebenefits.ri.gov/wellness/rewards_2022-2023.php



Collective Bargaining

An official notice has been sent to the appropriate parties for PSA to enter into bargaining for a successor agreement. As discussed during our last meeting, we appreciate the feedback we received from members regarding contract concerns. The Bargaining Committee will continue meeting to plan for negotiations and keep an eye out for what other bargaining units have successfully negotiated.

While the general discussions held during bargaining are not shared publicly, we will meet once a tentative agreement (TA) can be reached. At that time the Bargaining Committee will present the TA for discussion, feedback and vote by full dues paying members.



COVID Concerns

As the virus continues to provide challenges it is important to stay updated on the latest news and guidelines: <https://health.ri.gov/>

In addition, please be mindful to read all message from CCRI regarding any updated policies or procedures: <https://www.ccri.edu/covid-19/vaccinepolicy.html>



Winter Activities

Check out a list of safer winter family activities compiled by Emerson Hospital in Concord, MA

<https://www.emersonhospital.org/articles/winter-activities-families-covid-19-pandemic>

Questions or Concerns... please contact a PSA Area Representatives

<https://www.ccri.edu/ccripsa/area-reps.html>



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