# ESC, IFPTE Local 20 Member Meeting November 1st 2023

Contract Proposal Review

### **Economic Proposals**

- Across the Board (ATB) to meet inflation: 8-10%
  - Rehab: additional 2-4% to be up to market rate
- Annual Wage Adjustments
  - 2024 2025: 10%
  - 2025 2026: 10%
  - 2026 2027: 10%

### **Proposal On Steps**

### **Adjusting Steps = 9**

- a. Step 1 = 1 year
- b. Step 2 = 2 year
- c. Step 3 = 4 year
- d. Step 4 = 5 year
- e. Step 5 = 7 year
- f. Step 6 = 10 year
- g. Step 7= 15 year
- h. Step 8 = 20 year
- i. Step 9 = 25 year

### **Economic Proposal (continued)**

New employee training - \$5 / hour differential

- All disciplines Shift differential change to %:
  - a. PM: change 10% of hourly rate
  - b. Night: change to 15%



Part-time positions after 3 years of service for all disciplines

- a. 0.8 (4/5)
- b. 0.6 (3/5)
- c. 0.75 \*for case management
- d. 4x10's \*for rehab

## **Proposal for added Holidays**

Additional 2 Floating Holidays:

- a. Option of birthday
- b. Floating holiday (can be any day)

## **Economic Proposal (cont'd)**

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#### Per diem rate written into contract:

- a. Rx/lab = 12.5%
- b. Rehab = 20%
- c. CM?
- d. <u>Dieticians?</u>

#### Adjust pharmacist step:

- e. Add one more step to be similar to Pharmacy technician steps
- f. Ask for 1% raise per year of experience and adjust the stepwise pay as rest of the hospital gains median of 30-35% in a particular job classification
- g. Will provide excel sheet

#### Reimbursement for clinical license and specialty certifications:

h. Maintenance of certification – up to \$400

3 sick leave days per year for per diem to be compliant w/ Assembly Bill "Healthy Workplace healthy family Act of 2014 (AB 1522). Should be 5 sick leave days starting Jan 1, 2024 (SB 616)

#### Work Cancellations

- i. If any employee gets canceled after clocked in for work, is entitled to 4 hrs straight pay due to the inconvenience and traveling
- j. Hospital needs to provide at least 2 hrs canceling notice, if not entitled 4 hrs straight pay

### **Economic Proposal (cont'd)**

Lab: update pay scales → will provide excel sheet

Life insurance benefit: 1 yr of salary

Bereavement Leave: Update to bring into compliance with new California law.

- a. Update wording from immediate family to include: step-mother, step-father, step-daughter, step-son, step-grandmother, step-grandfather
- b. Update to include SB848: women reproductive loss can have 5 days of protected leave (up to 20 days annual after 4 reproductive losses).

Any ED amount that is not used within a two (2) year period due to rejection from supervisor, will be converted into ETO hours.

Have 2 bargaining members be paid per department during negotiations

In therapy, a sufficient amount of coordinator positions in each discipline of PT, OT, ST to assist management and improve day-to-day workflow.

CM/SW: wants a social worker lead

- Each Department is allowed 2 stewards and 2 alternate stewards
- The hospital will not subcontract any bargaining unit work currently performed within the hospital without agreement from the Union and at least 90 days notice.
- Any technology incorporated to day-to-day work shall not replace any bargaining members work
- Change contract from 3 to 4 years? (align with nursing contract duration)

- Add Case managers and dieticians to contract
- Grievance procedure: add mediator/arbitrator
- Cap on # travelers:
  - 2 per department unless agreed by union to have more

Departments should maintain a ratio of full time to per diem: 75%: 25%

- a. Rehab current staffing:
  - Speech Language Pathology:
    - 1. FTE: 2 (20%)
    - 2. PD: 8 (80%)
  - Occupational Therapy
    - 1. FTE: 9 (40.9%)
    - 2. PD: 13 (59.1%)
  - Physical Therapy:
    - 1. FTE: 12 (60%)
    - 2. PD: 8 (40%)
- b. Pharmacy staffing:
  - Pharmacists: 27 total
    - 1. FTE: 18 (66%)
    - 2. PD: 9 (33%)
  - Technicians: 26 total
    - 1. FTE: 20 (77%)
    - 2. PD: 6 (23%)
- c. <u>Lab:</u>
  - CLS/MLT: 40 total
    - 1. FTE: 22 (55%)
    - 2. PD: 18 (45%)

- a. <u>Case Management</u>
  - Case managers: 12 total
    - 1. FTE: 8 (66.7%)
    - 2. PD: 4 (33.3%)
- b. <u>Social Workers</u>
  - Inpatient SW: 5 total
    - 1. FTE: 2 (40%)
    - 2. PD: 1 (20%)
    - 3. Travelers: 2 (40%)
  - ED SW: 6 total
    - 1. FTE: 5 (83.3%)
    - 2. PD: 1 (16.7%)
- c. Dieticians
  - FTE: 5 (50%)
  - PD: 5 (50%)

#### REHAB WEEKEND ROTATION AND SCHEDULING

- All full-time and per diem PT and OT staff will rotate to work one weekend in 1 month.
  - Back-to-back (Sat-Sun) weekend days
  - 2 x single weekend day in separate weeks
- 4 PTs scheduled to work every Saturday and Sunday
- 3 OTs scheduled to work every Saturday and Sunday

Hospital must submit RFI 1 month prior to negotiation

 Annual Review of Managers / Supervisors from staff to provide constructive feedback and improvement to the department

# Please Vote Yes / NO on the Proposal Survey

**And leave any comments (if any)** 

Thank you all so much! Onward to fighting for a great contract!

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