



HOSPITAL EMPLOYEES' UNION

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Secretary-Treasurers

Dear Sisters, Brothers and Friends,

RE: One-day Know and Assert OHS Rights Workshop – September 2018

We are scheduling several one-day OH&S workshops for frontline members in September.

These workshops are designed to educate members on workplace workers' health and safety rights.

We will cover topics, such as: identification of health and safety issues; four workers OH&S rights; employer, supervisor & worker responsibilities; preventing violence; ergonomics; workload; and the right to refuse unsafe work.

These workshops are open to **all** HEU members. Priorities will be given to members who are not on Joint OHS Committee or Local Executive.

We will be offering these workshops in the following locations:

LOCATION (for worksites within 60 km drive)	DATE
Penticton Penticton Lakeside Resort 21 Lakeshore Dr. W, Penticton	September 11
Nelson HEU Nelson Office 745 Baker Street, Nelson	September 11
Burnaby HEU Provincial Office 5000 North Fraser Way, Burnaby	September 11
Victoria Coast Victoria Harbourside Hotel 146 Kingston St., Victoria	September 18
Nanaimo Coast Bastion Hotel 11 Bastion St., Nanaimo	September 19
Burnaby HEU Provincial Office 5000 North Fraser Way, Burnaby	September 19

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In keeping with HEU'S desire to bring educational opportunities to members closer to the workplace; we are holding the workshops in smaller communities. Members will be covered for mileage, per diem and approved childcare expenses. However, accommodation is not covered.

If you have members in these communities please encourage them to fill out the attached application form and return by **August 7, 2018**, and advise them to apply for leave of absence for union business.

In order to hold a successful workshop, we need a minimum of seven (7) members to enroll.

Additional application forms are available on the HEU website at www.heu.org.

In solidarity,



Jennifer Whiteside
Secretary-Business Manager

Attachments

cc: Chairpersons
Provincial Executives
Reps and Directors