



## HOSPITAL EMPLOYEES' UNION

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Dear Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

**Re: Building Organizing Capacity Workshop – March 20-21, 2018**

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The strength of HEU comes from its members. Active and engaged members working in solidarity together gives the union a strong foundation to fight back and ensure the workers are treated fairly and with respect. To support HEU members to continue to build their power in the worksite, the union is hosting a unique two-day workshop, called *Building Organizing Capacity*.

*Building Organizing Capacity* will be a follow up workshop for members who attended either Fall School or the Young Workers Conference in 2017. There are a limited number of spots available.

This workshop will focus on the issues facing working people as we re-commit ourselves to re-engaging members and building capacity. During the workshop, participants will develop the tools and skills needed for more effective workplace organizing.

With the aim of building strong sense of solidarity and power, HEU is encouraging members to apply in pairs from the same Local, where possible, so that they can work together at their own workplace in the upcoming months.

This two-day workshop will be offered on **March 20-21, 2018** at the HEU Provincial Office, 5000 N. Fraser Way, Burnaby, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Interested members should return their applications to the Provincial Office **Attention: Jamie Cruz**, Education Department by **5 p.m., February 8, 2018**. Please return only **ONE** copy of the **application – either by fax or mail**.

Depending on the total number of applicants, there may be a selection process. We will be contacting applicants by telephone or mail once the selection process has finished.

In solidarity,

Jennifer Whiteside  
Secretary-Business Manager