

A Newsletter for the members of HPAE Local 5112 at Cornerstone Behavioral Health Hospital of Union County

## **NEWSLETTER**

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## **President Speaks**



## Hello members.

Happy Summer

Cornerstone has been undergoing some changes in leadership as our Asst Hospital Administrator and our Director of Nursing have recently retired. We were advised today that a new DON will be joining us as of 7/10/23 I am assured by Management that she is bringing a plethora of knowledge and skills. We are praying she will also posses excellent communication skills and be supportive of our request for safe staffing.

There is also some talk of a change in the location of our hospital, which could be a Blessing or a curse. We have recently added another full time RN to our 11-7 staff which has been long overdue. I had the opportunity to orient her this week and am introducing her to our Union. We that attended the Rally in Trenton, are passionate to keep working toward our legislative goals and trying to involve more of our members.

We are planning for a membership meeting in the next few weeks and have a L/ M mtg. We are in the midst of a few grievances and have had 1 win thus far thanks to the guidance Christine has been giving Us.

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