

We are more than 85,000 healthcare workers in the Coalition of Kaiser Permanente Unions, and we're standing united all across the country to win a new contract that protects our patients and our families.

Here's the latest OPEIU29 update about our contract campaign — and what it will take to win this fight for our futures.

## Strike Votes Rolling Across the Nation



CKPU locals are holding our votes nationwide to support a strike — we know that going on strike is very likely the only way we'll stop Kaiser's unfair labor practices and win a contract that protects our jobs, wages, and benefits.

In late July and early August, the members of **SEIU** in California voted to support a strike with a massive **98% YES** vote.

Up next: **OPEIU 29** members will kick off the strike vote the week of **September 14<sup>th</sup> through September 20<sup>th</sup>**.

Let's keep coming out in huge numbers to show Kaiser that our Union Coalition is ready to strike if that's what it takes to stop Kaiser's unfair labor practices and protect our patients and families in our next contract.

## Contract Bargaining is Back On . . . But is Kaiser Serious?

Back in July, contract bargaining broke down after we refused to accept Kaiser's demands for our lowest raises in decades, cuts to our healthcare benefits, lower wage rates for new hires, and more outsourcing of our jobs — even though Kaiser made record profits of **\$11 billion** over the past couple of years and gave the CEO a 60% raise to **\$16 million** a year.

Fast forward to today: **New bargaining dates have just been set for September 16, 23, and 24.** That's good news . . . but we have no indication that Kaiser executives have moved off any of their demands or that they will resolve their outstanding unfair labor practices.

## Let's Rock Our Labor Day Rallies!

Labor Day is almost here — and we're putting on huge rallies in Oakland, CA. On September 2, join thousands of our fellow healthcare workers and patients to call out Kaiser's unfair labor practices and demand quality, affordable care and good jobs in our communities!

### **LABOR DAY RALLY**

**Mosswood Park, Oakland, CA at 9:00 a.m.**

Show your support and stand united with over 85,000 coalition members country wide as we demand a fair contract. Remember to wear your OPEIU 29 Swag/Blue!

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