



TIME'S UP!

Management has failed to respond to our concerns about COVID-19, so we took our story public.

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After months of working with management to address the multitude of safety concerns, they have failed to make any structural changes in protocols to protect staff and patients.

On Thursday July 2 NUHW members held a press conference with nearly a dozen media outlets including the Orange County Register, FOX 11, KCAL 9, and KNX Radio.

On Monday June 29 we sent CEO Ken McFarland a letter demanding testing for all staff and patients, along with 15 examples of specific concerns.

The press conference was streamed live on Facebook by the Democratic Party of Orange County. Watch it at www.facebook.com/democraticpartyoforangecounty/



"Nursing assistants on my floor often have to care for up to 10 COVID patients per shift. We have to check their vital signs, feed them and bathe them. We are at a very high risk for exposure. Four nursing assistants have come down with COVID in the last two weeks alone." - **Michelle Riggins, CNA**

"Last week, a co-worker informed management that a household member had contracted COVID-19. This worker should have been immediately tested and quarantined. Instead management told the worker to stay on the job. As it turns out, this worker got sick and was hospitalized. A total of four other Radiology staff were impacted by this exposure, one became ill and the others were quarantined." - **Joshua Jesus, CT Tech**



"Fountain Valley Regional Hospital is owned by Tenet Healthcare. Tenet is a Fortune 500 company with \$2.2 billion in cash on hand. It has the money to enact the strongest infection control protocols to keep workers and patients safe. The answer is to test everyone walking through the door. Other hospitals do it." - **Christina Rodriguez, Respiratory Therapist**

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