

BARGAINING UPDATE



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Chino Team To Prime: Put Patients Over Profits

Every Chino RN on our bargaining team today told management to relay their messages to Prem Reddy and his family at Prime Corporate HQ—that Chino RNs are leaving; more are waiting to see if wages are improved before they decide if they should leave too; and patient care is suffering if Chino can't retain experienced nurses.

SONIA CHESTERFIELD, RN

"My loyalty is to my nurses and my patients. Prime needs to do better. We don't want to see patient care jeopardized. That's not what I signed on for."

ZENAIDA ALCAZAR, RN

"It's sad what I hear on the floor. Nurses saying, I'm waiting to see a good offer or I'm gone. What are we going to do without nurses in the hospital? I'm just scared to see what's going to happen to patients on the floor."

JENNIE MASAQY, RN

"We deserve more pay. Management's latest proposal is insulting. We need those good nurses to stay."

STACEY PERSON, RN

"We've lost half a dozen experienced nurses in ER in the last month or so. The ER can't be safely run on all new grads and registry. You need to think of patients and not the bottom line."

RICHARD GUTIERREZ, RN

"Retaining experienced nurses is very important for patient care. We play a strong part in teaching residents how to take care of patients."

