Newsletter

United Therapists of Northern California (UTNC)

July 2023



Meet Your Officer

Desiree Daughtery, PT Steward Coordinator C **Sports PT** South Sacramento

- Has been with KP for 8 years
- Married and living in Sacramento with a 2 year old daughter
- Enjoys working in sports because of the diversity of sports and athletes. No two patients are alike
- Interests include fitness, baking and travel
- We have traveled abroad with our daughter already! I love how travel can open our perspectives



Member Spotlight

Tony Torres, PT, DPT Santa Rosa Medical Center

- Has been with Outpatient PT department for 9 years
- Proud Steward for Santa Rosa
- Co-Lead in Workload Committee at Santa Rosa
- Member of Regional Practice Steering Committee
- Looking forward to strengthening our Partnership to better serve our patients and therapists
- Married with 3 young sons
- Avid golfer, biker and mountain biker

Affiliate Officer Locations

- Fresno/GSAA: Brian
- San Jose/RWC: Sanayo

- Santa Clara/SSF: Carolyn East Bay/PDDO: Ramey Vacaville/Napa/Vallejo: Amanda
- SF/DSA: Halima
- CVA/San Rafael/KPPACC: Gina
- South Sac/Santa Rosa: Desiree



Upcoming Officer Election

- 4 out of 9 officer positions up for election
- Elections held in November
- Terms are for 2 years
- Nominations to run coming soon!
- **Open Positions:**

 - VP of PT (must be a PT)VP of OT (must be an OT)
 - Treasurer
 - Steward Coordinator C



The UTNC Contract

- Our contract is now available on MemberLink
- Very helpful "Seach" Feature
- A few printed copies will be available at each location
- Please share widely!

Apply to be a Contract Specialist

- Engage more with your Union!
- Learn our contract (CBA) in more detail and help your colleagues empower themselves
- Position lasts (1) year as a 20 hour position, with the right to return to your current position
- Applications are due July 31, 2023, check your personal email

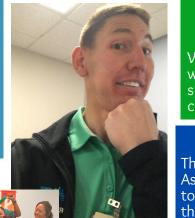
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<u> Why am I wearing colored shirts?</u>

- Wearing colored shirts may seem insignificant but it means so much more than support for pay issues or PAs organizing.
- It shows that we are united in our goals, supporting each other across disciplines.
- Thank you for your solidarity!



Blue Tuesday in Tahoe





Your President says: "Wear Green for \$Green!"

Wear Green on Pay-Day Fridays until our wages are fixed. Let Kaiser see your support for your Union!! Keep the pictures coming too...

Support the PAs!

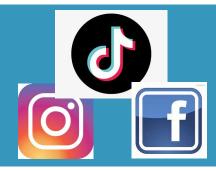
The Northern California KP Physician Assistants are organizing and will soon vote to be represented by UNAC/UHCP. Support the PAs by wearing blue on Tuesdays!



UTNC Social Media

Keep up with UTNC Happenings

Tik Tok: @utncrehab Instagram: @utncrehab Coming Soon to Facebook: UTNC Rehab



General Membership Meeting

• August 30, 2023; 7:30pm

Redwood City

• Check your personal e-mails for sign up links

Next Steward Training

- Iulv 13, 2023
- In person Concord
- Check Memberlink to register

Reminder: Staffing Objection Form

- Purpose: Notify your local management that you have been given an assignment that is unsafe for you or your patients
- UNAC/UHCP will track data to help facilitate solutions
- Form is now live: go to https://memberlink.unacuhcp.org/





Santa Rosa