



# Safe Staffing and Patient Safety are Our Top Concerns as Healthcare Professionals

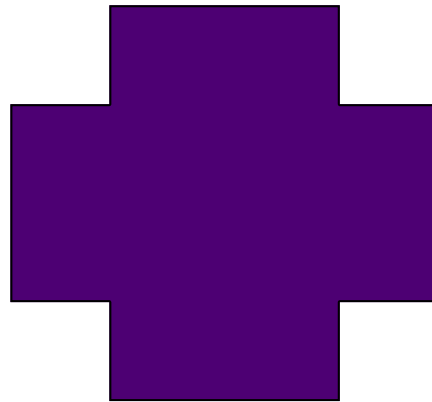
## **TAKE ACTION**

**1) Consult** the JHS nurse staffing ratios policy #414 to determine if it is being violated.

**2) Report** the staffing concern directly to your supervisor and use the JHS policy on staffing ratios to support your position. If it is not a violation of the policy, explain why it is an unsafe assignment in your professional opinion. If the supervisor doesn't fix it, go up the chain of command until the issue is resolved.

**3) Fill out** the SEIU Local 1991 Patient Safety & Staffing Discrepancy Report. Forms are available from your steward, your rep and at [www.seiu1991.org](http://www.seiu1991.org).

**4) Fill out** an **incident report** and file it via Quantros. Record the report number on your SEIU staffing form.



You can have a direct effect on Jackson's staffing decisions by joining the campaign to report every instance where patient safety could be compromised by insufficient staffing.

Together we are stronger.