IMPORTANT NOTICE
PLEASE POST

To: Bargaining Unit Presidents, Nursing Homes Sector; Local Coordinators
From: Beverly Mathers, Interim Chief Executive Officer/Chief Administrative Officer
Date: March 29, 2019
Re: Notice of Meeting – NURSING HOMES SECTOR

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DATE: Monday, April 15, 2019
TIME: 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
PLACE: Marriott Downtown Eaton Centre
525 Bay Street
Toronto, ON M5G 2L2
TEL: (416) 597-9200

PURPOSE: To provide an explanation of participating nursing homes bargaining outcomes, including a review of the participating nursing homes collective agreement Memorandum of Settlement and the ratification process.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: Bargaining Unit Presidents from Participating Nursing Homes and Non-Participating Nursing Homes, Local Coordinators and Observers (up to eight from each Chartered Local Association, if Local budgeting allows), in accordance with Article 6.23 of the Constitution. If you have any problems obtaining time off from your employer, please contact your Labour Relations Officer (LRO).

REGISTRATION: Please register no later than April 9 to attend the sector meeting by clicking on the following link:
https://www.ona.org/nursing-homes-sector-reg/
Onsite registration on Monday, April 15, 2019. Registration is from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. ADMISSION IS BY A VALID ONA MEMBERSHIP CARD ONLY. THIS IS A NON-VOTING MEETING.
Should you have any difficulty with the registration process, please contact the Membership Education & Events team at 1-800-387-5580 ext. 2468 or by email at:
eventregistration@ona.org

LUNCH: In order to facilitate the flow of the meeting, **ONA will only provide lunch to registrants who pre-confirm their registration for the event.** Therefore, please register by April 9, 2019 and confirm your attendance or lunch will not be provided.

RATIFICATION: Bargaining Unit Presidents are being requested to schedule their ratification meetings on one day between April 23 to May 1, 2019 (e.g. between 2 and 4 pm.) Please connect with your LRO so they can assist you at this meeting. We encourage you to contact your employer to book an onsite meeting room in accordance with Article 6.10. For your convenience and review, we are attaching a “sample” Notice of Ratification Meeting.
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PARKING OPTIONS:

Marriott Eaton Centre
Self-Parking Fees: Early Bird Rate Self-Parking (in by 8 am to 6 pm) is $16
Self-Parking Rate is $4.50 every half hour (Maximum Day rate of $36 for the day (no in and out privileges)
Valet Parking is $18 per hour (Maximum Day rate is at $50.00 (no in and out privileges)

Public Parking
There are a few parking garages close to the hotel. There is an Impark Parking attached to the Eaton Centre, and one at 483 Bay Street. There is also a parking at the Toronto City Hall.

GUEST ROOMS:
A block of guest rooms has been reserved for ONA at the Sheraton Toronto Centre (just down the street half block at 123 Queen St W.) Members who are attending the meeting are responsible for making their own hotel reservations at 1-888-627-7175 with the group code OD12AA or by using the following link:

https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/OD12AAA We urge you to reserve your rooms immediately as the block of rooms will be held only until April 14, 2019.

Should you have an existing reservation with the Sheraton, please use your confirmation email and or number to extend your room for additional night(s).

A deposit equal to one night’s stay is required to hold each guest room reservation at the time of reservation. Cancellations must be made 72 hours prior to date of check in.