

Demonstration at Maisonneuve-Rosemont Hospital

On July 31, two members of the FIQ Executive, Daniel Gilbert and Élaine Trottier, lent a hand to one of the FIQ's affiliated unions, The United Health Care Professionals (PSSU-UHCP), to put pressure on the administration of Maisonneuve-Rosemont Hospital in Montreal. The aim was to put a stop to compulsory overtime when care professionals are on the verge of exhaustion. Many of them demonstrated outside the hospital to show their dissatisfaction.



Photo, from left to right: Élaine Trottier, 6th Vice-President (FIQ), Sylvie Boulet, Interim President (HMR local unit), Roberto Bomba, Administrative Vice-President (PSSU-UHCP), Daniel Gilbert, 2nd Vice-President (FIQ), Francine Sigouin, Secretary (PSSU-UHCP), Michel T. Léger, President (PSSU-UHCP) and Johanne Riendeau, Political Vice-President (PSSU-UHCP).



Pride Celebrations in Montreal

On August 17, for the second time, the FIQ participated in the Pride Celebrations parade in Montreal. Under a sunny sky, Daniel Gilbert, 2nd Vice-President and Brigitte Fauteux, 3rd Vice-President, represented the FIQ in the parade contingent. For the FIQ, this festive occasion is a reminder of the importance of continuing the struggle against all forms of discrimination, particularly that based on sexual orientation.

The end of a long conflict

After a 16-month lockout, the Journal de Québec employees returned to work this week. The struggle waged by the 252 union members was remarkable and the FIQ salutes their courage and determination.

Headquarters move



The FIQ headquarters will move on August 22.

Please note the new address of the Montreal office:

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