

The mobilization is intensifying

Included in the many mobilization activities currently in progress are:

- ◆ The non-respect of the institutions' dress code by wearing something other than the uniform and by stopping to wear the ID badge.
- ◆ A stop in the production of statistical data in CLSC's and in hospitals, except for the data linked to vaccinations.

Referendum vote on October 20

79% in favour of a strike

Asked to vote on the holding of three days of rotating legal strike, carried out in accordance with the established essential services, at a time deemed opportune by the coordination of the provincial negotiations, the healthcare professional members of the FIQ voted 79% in favour of this pressure tactic.

Negotiating for better healthcare.

The Federation has published an ad entitled "Negotiating for better healthcare" in

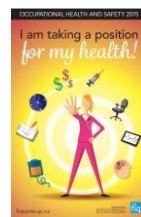
several daily newspapers in Québec and in the social media since October 14 last. The FIQ also wants to remind the Québec population and the healthcare professionals of the objectives guiding it in these negotiations. "The nurses, licensed practical nurses, respiratory therapists and perfusionists are giving care every day in difficult conditions. As part of the negotiations, we have proposed solutions to the Government for improving the access as well as the quality and the care for patients, and to offer more humane working conditions to the healthcare professionals, in particular by having a sufficient number of healthcare professionals in the field. We are negotiating for better healthcare" stated Régine Laurent.

To note:

- ✓ The members of the FIQ can contribute to these negotiations with the Government by completing the form <http://laisseznoussoigner.org/interpellez/?langue=fr>. in order to invite the administrators of their institution to apply pressure on the Government. They are also victims of the budget cuts and it is their responsibility to make the Government understand that it has to listen to the healthcare professionals and hear the solutions proposed by the FIQ in order to guarantee safe, quality care for the people of Québec.
- ✓ The delegates of the Federation will be meeting at a Special Federal Council in Montréal on October 22 and 23 to discuss the most recent developments in the provincial negotiations and to take the required decisions.



OHS Week in the institutions



The 2015 OHS Week took place from October 18 to 24. Did you take part in the activities organized by your local union team?



11th edition of the Youth Network

The Federation's Youth Network will be held on this November 18 and 19, under the theme, "Work-family-personal life: it concerns us". Hope to see you there!



Liberate our bodies, our World and our territories!

On October 17 last, the World March of Women took place in Trois-Rivières. It was under the theme, Liberate our bodies, our World and our territories that thousands of marchers took to the streets of the town. Several FIQ representatives and activists were a part of it.