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To: Faculty and Staff at Harborview Medical Center

From: Paul Hayes, RN
Executive Director

Re: UW/Harborview – SEIU 1199 NW Contract Negotiations Update

## **NEGOTIATIONS UPDATE**

Voting on the proposed 2017-19 UW-SEIU 1199NW collective bargaining agreement concluded on July 1. The union members who voted, chose to not ratify the contract.

Both parties have agreed to mediation, and have requested a mediator from the Public Employment Relations Commission (PERC). UW and the Harborview management team are committed to reaching an agreement with the Union.

Detailed summaries of all bargaining sessions can be found at: <a href="http://hr.uw.edu/labor/unions/seiu-1199/negotiation-updates">http://hr.uw.edu/labor/unions/seiu-1199/negotiation-updates</a>.