

Why Staffing Legislation is Important

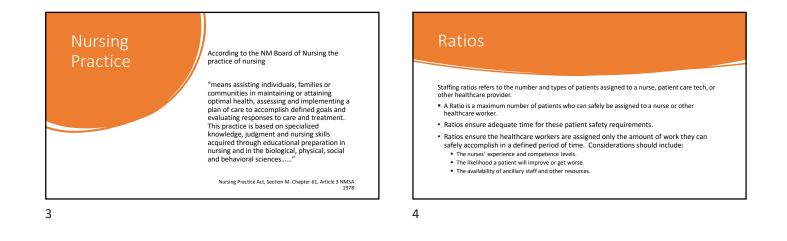
Most recent strikes by nurses have been because of staffing.

Surveys about workplace issues list staffing as a primary concern.

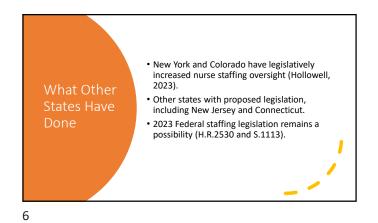
Research overwhelmingly shows improvements for patient outcomes and facility bottom line when staffing is regulated.



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Recommendations

1. Support legislation for Safe Patient Staffing

2. Support efforts to expand access to urgent care where people live utilizing UNMH Outpatient Clinics. UNMH offers limited access to urgent care settings, only between the hours of 7AM-7PM on some days.

3. Support "grow your own" programs that incentivize educational pursuits and advancement in healthcare careers

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