



LOCAL 22 UNION GRAM

Local 22, IAFF Philadelphia Firefighters' & Paramedics' Union

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1.1 **MEDIC UNIT DETAIL DIFFERENTIAL**- PFD initially requested until April 2022 to structure the payroll programming needed for the 5% differential for firefighters detailed to Medic Units. PFD has now said they will not be prepared to compensate this differential until June 2022. An unfair labor practice has been filed and the Local is seeking interest payment for the unpaid wage differential; members should continue to document their medic unit details so they can reconcile amounts due.

1.2 **HEART & LUNG**- The Heart & Lung provider panel now only consists of one (1) approved provider, Dr. Sedacca. The executive board has identified a new provider to be added to the network, however the city must finalize the details to allow the provider to begin to treat our members.

In the interim, members may still elect Heart & Lung care. Treatment will remain with the city's Regulation 32 panel providers or, Dr. Sedacca [schedule permitting]. Members may continue with the panel provider initially seen or request a heart & lung transfer of care to another panel provider.

Any member having trouble with appointments, changes to treatment plans, rescheduled surgeries, etc. should contact Local 22 for guidance.

1.3 **ELECTION** – The ballots for the 2022-2025 Executive Board elections have been mailed. Members please be sure to vote on the proposed constitution & by-law changes on the back of the election ballots. Ballots must be postmarked no later than **May 2, 2022**.

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