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ASSEMBLY MEMBER CHRISTINE PHELPS AND TO HOST

“KEEP NY SAFE, MAKE SURE IT’S 1:2”

PRESS CONFERENCE

On Wednesday, March 18, 2026, at 10:00 AM, New York State Assemblymember Christine Phelps will join the New York Nurses Association (NYNA), the Medical Society of the State of New York (MSSNY), the Public Health and Health Planning Council (PHHPC), and other advocacy groups to hold a press conference to announce their support for the amendment of Bill No. A0-6571 to protect New Yorkers’ health and safety when receiving medical care. The bill will mandate that all hospitals and healthcare facilities post their staffing levels for all units daily and will incur severe fines of up to \$100,000 per infraction for failure to comply with the Safe Staffing Quality Care Act’s 1:2 nurse-to-patient ratio.

WHO: New York State Assemblymember Christine Phelps

WHAT: Press conference in support of Bill A0-6571 to amend the Safe Staffing Quality Care Act.

WHEN: Wednesday, March 18, 2026

WHERE: New York State Capitol

State St. and, Washington Ave, Albany, NY 12224

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