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No Team	<p><b>Hugh Armstrong</b>            Toronto, ON            4165325983            hugh.armstrong@carleton.ca  <i>English</i></p>	<p>Hugh Armstrong is a professor emeritus with Carleton University and engaged in research on the political economy of health.</p>
No Team	<p><b>Pat Armstrong</b>            Toronto, ON            4165325983            patarmst@yorku.ca  <i>English</i></p>	<p>Pat Armstrong is a Distinguished Researcher Emeritus from York University who has conducted decades of research on health care in Canada and abroad.</p>
No Team	<p><b>Bert Blundon</b>            Nepean, ON            6132289800            bblundon@nupge.ca  <i>English</i></p>	<p>Bert Blundon is the president of the National Union of Public and General Employees (NUPGE).</p>
No Team	<p><b>Marc-André Gagnon</b>            Ottawa, ON            5064405592            MarcAndreGagnon@cunet.carleton.ca  <i>Français</i></p>	<p>Marc-André Gagnon est un chercheur sur l'économie politique du secteur pharmaceutique.</p>
No Team	<p><b>Bernard Ho</b>            Ottawa, ON            5064405592            bernardcyho@gmail.com  <i>English</i></p>	<p>Dr. Bernard Ho is an emergency medicine physician and Vice-Chair of Canadian Doctors for Medicare.</p>
No Team	<p><b>John Major</b>            Ottawa, ON            6138165646            johnmajorphotography@gmail.com  <i>English</i></p>	<p>John Major is a photographer.</p>
No Team	<p><b>Anil Naidoo</b>            Ottawa, ON            6139865409            anaidoo@rogers.com  <i>English</i></p>	<p>Anil Naidoo is a board member of the Canadian Health Coalition and the National Representative with the National Union of Public and General Employees (NUPGE).</p>
No Team	<p><b>Kathy Stewart</b>            Ottawa, ON            6138204293            operations@healthcoalition.ca</p>	<p>Kathy Stewart is the accountant for the Canadian Health Coalition.</p>

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	<i>English</i>	
No Team	<b>Pat Van Horne</b> Toronto, ON 7163048796 prvanhorne52@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Pat Van Horne is a member of the Canadian Health Coalition's board, representing the United Steelworkers.
Team Ayers	<b>Mandi Ayers</b> New Westminster, BC 2508772375 MAyers@hsabc.org <i>English</i>	Mandi Ayers is a Laboratory Technologist/Manager for the labs of Haida Gwaii and also serves as the Vice-President of the Health Sciences Association of BC.
Team Ayers	<b>Genny Goodyear</b> Saskatoon, SK 3062505848 ggoodyear@sgeu.org <i>English</i>	Genny Goodyear is the Vice President of the Saskatchewan Government and General Employees' Union (SGEU) Health Sector, Chair of the SGEU Saskatchewan Cancer Agency Bargaining Unit and member of the NUPGE Canadian Health Professionals Secretariat.
Team Ayers	<b>Jenalle Mason</b> Exshaw, AB 5064405592 jena.m@live.com <i>English</i>	Jenalle Mason is a Pharmacy Technician in Canmore, Alberta, and a member of the Health Sciences Association of Alberta.
Team Ayers	<b>Mary Rymal</b> St. Thomas, ON 2269266560 vp@uniforlocal302.ca <i>English</i>	Mary Rymal is a personal support worker at a long-term care facility. She is also currently a full-time union representative with Unifor Local 302.
Team Barry-Shaw	<b>Nikolas Barry-Shaw</b> Montreal, QC 5148252263 nbarryshaw@canadians.org <i>English</i>	Nikolas Barry-Shaw is the Council of Canadians' trade and privatization campaigner, leading their work on pharmacare.
Team Barry-Shaw	<b>Olivia Little</b> Port Elgin, ON 5193865188 erin.little@livalittlefoundation.com	Olivia Little has a rare disease and is an advocate for pharmacare and affordable rare disease drugs.

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	<i>English</i>	
Team Barry-Shaw	<b>Erin Little</b> Port Elgin, ON 5193865188 erin.little@livalittlefoundation.com <i>English</i>	Erin Little is an advocate for pharmacare and affordable rare disease drugs.
Team Barry-Shaw	<b>Betty Palmieri</b> Hamilton, ON 2892606785 prez@opseulocal206.com <i>English</i>	Betty Palmieri is a health care worker who is passionate about keeping health care public. She is a member of OPSEU - the Ontario Public Services Employees Union.
Team Beauchesne	<b>Emilie Beauchesne</b> Papineau, QC 5148056650 ebeauchesne@fiqsante.qc.ca <i>Français</i>	Emilie Beauchesne est une conseillère syndicale depuis 2018 et conseillère à la FIQ depuis 1 an.
Team Beauchesne	<b>Maxime Dorais</b> Montréal, QC 5145216820 mdorais@uniondesconsommateurs.ca <i>Français</i>	Maxime Dorais est le co-directeur de Union des consommateurs.
Team Beauchesne	<b>Françoise Ramel</b> Montréal, QC 5149871141 framel@fiqsante.qc.ca <i>Français</i>	Françoise Ramel est la Vice-présidente responsables des secteurs Sociopolitique et Condition féminine de la Fédération interprofessionnelle de la santé du Québec-FIQ.
Team Benoit	<b>Jennifer Benoit</b> Afton Station, NS 9028707665 jennifer.benoit@outlook.com <i>English</i>	Jennifer Benoit is the president of Unifor Local 2107 in Nova Scotia, which represents health care members who see the need for universal pharmacare.
Team Benoit	<b>Jason MacLean</b> Middle Sackville, NS 9025491888 jmacl3an@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Jason MacLean is the Secretary-Treasurer of the National Union of Public and General Employees (NUPGE).

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Team Benoit	<p><b>Alice Wallace</b>          Antigonish, NS          9028704033          almara.wall5@gmail.com  <i>English</i></p>	<p>Alice Wallace is Vice-President of Unifor Local 2107, representing long-term care workers, based in Antigonish.</p>
Team Brisson	<p><b>Frédéric Brisson</b>          Québec, QC          4182040922          frederic.brisson@scfp.ca  <i>Français</i></p>	<p>Frédéric Brisson est un préposé aux bénéficiaire au bloc opératoire de l'IUCPQ à Québec. Il est le secrétaire général du SCFP-Québec depuis mai 2021. Il milite pour une assurance médicament public et universel depuis de nombreuses années.</p>
Team Brisson	<p><b>Fanny Demontigny</b>          Montréal, QC          5144516819          fdemontigny@scfp2881.com  <i>Français</i></p>	<p>Fanny Demontigny est la Présidente de SCFP-2881 représentant plus de 35 000 travailleuses et travailleurs de la santé au Québec.</p>
Team Brisson	<p><b>Genevieve Lamarche</b>          Montréal, QC          5144420577          cssante@gmail.com  <i>Français</i></p>	<p>Genevieve Lamarche est la coordonnatrice de la Coalition solidarité santé.</p>
Team Brisson	<p><b>Vincent Roy</b>          Saint-Constant, QC          4388816990          royvincent0391@gmail.com  <i>Français</i></p>	<p>Vincent Roy et le Vice Président du secteur public pour le SCFP-CPAS. Il est un sociothérapeute à l'institut National de Psychiatrie Légale Philippe Pinel. Il est un homme actif qui croit à la justice sociale. Il s'implique syndicale depuis près de 10 ans</p>
Team Dowson	<p><b>Anne Lagacé Dowson</b>          Montréal, QC          5142447941          dowson.anne712@gmail.com  <i>Français</i></p>	<p>Anne Lagacé Dowson est la directrice des médias de la Coalition canadienne de la santé. Elle est une journaliste de formation avec une Maîtrise en histoire et études des femmes.</p>
Team Dowson	<p><b>Cheryl-Anne Simoneau</b>          Montréal, QC          5142447941</p>	<p>Cheryl-Anne Simoneau is the founder and a board member of the Chronic Myelogenous</p>

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	<i>English</i>	Leukemia (CML) Society of Canada.
Team Gallaway	<b>Laurie Brassard</b> Edmonton, Alberta 7896688168 laurie.brassard@hsaa.ca <i>English</i>	Laurie Brassard is a Medical Laboratory Technologist with 30 years experience and sits on the board of directors of the Health Sciences Association of Alberta (HSAA).
Team Gallaway	<b>Chris Gallaway</b> Edmonton, AB 5879847569 chris@friendsofmedicare.org <i>English</i>	Chris Gallaway (he/him) is the Executive Director at Friends of Medicare, an Alberta-based advocacy organization working to protect and strengthen public health care for all.
Team Gallaway	<b>Krisdeep Lally</b> Calgary, AB 5064405592 krisdeemplally@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Krisdeep Lally is a Radiation Therapist in Calgary, Alberta, and a member of the Health Sciences Association of Alberta.
Team Gallaway	<b>Margaret Nasedkin</b> Grande Prairie, AB 7805125211 mnasedkin@una.ca <i>English</i>	Margaret Nasedkin is a registered nurse working in acute care for 39 years. She is active in her provincial union, advocating for public health care.
Team Girash	<b>Sandi Blancher</b> London, ON 5198573674 sblancher@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Sandi Blancher is with the Ontario Public Services Employees Union (OPSEU).
Team Girash	<b>Andria Desjardins</b> Clarence Creek, ON 6138754128 adesjardins@pipsc.ca <i>English</i>	Andria Desjardins works with federal health care professionals through the Professional Institute of the Public Service of Canada (PIPSC). She is passionate about employee rights and public health care.
Team Girash	<b>Michele Girash</b> Sainte-Cécile-de-Masham, QC 7055610848	Michele Girash is with the Public Service Alliance of Canada, which represents health care workers,

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	michelegirash@gmail.com <i>English</i>	primarily in the northern territories. She has a background in health research, health promotion and women's health care policy.
Team Girash	<b>Natalie Stake-Doucet</b> Verdun, QC 4388244961 natalie.stake-doucet@umontreal.ca <i>French</i>	Natalie Stake-Doucet is a registered nurse, scientist and assistant professor at Université de Montréal. She is also on the board of the Quebec Nurses Association. Her current work focuses on nurse retention and recruitment.
Team Jefford	<b>Lisa Fleming</b> Thunder Bay, ON 8077081856 lisa@unifor229.com <i>English</i>	Lisa Fleming is the Financial Secretary of Unifor Local 229, servicing 4,500 health care workers across northwestern Ontario.
Team Jefford	<b>Kari Jefford</b> Thunder Bay, ON 8076270012 kari@unifor229.com <i>English</i>	Kari Jefford is the Unifor Local 229 President with 42 units, representing 4,500 members in health care across northwestern Ontario. She is also President of the Unifor Healthcare Council and on Unifor's National Executive Board.
Team Jefford	<b>Rachel Muir</b> Nepean, ON 6132867557 tohbup@ona.org <i>English</i>	Rachel Muir is the Ontario Nurses' Association's Bargaining Unit President at the Ottawa Hospital, representing nurses. Rachel is also involved with the local health coalition, fighting to keep our health care system public.
Team Kwan	<b>Maryo Wahba</b> Ottawa, ON 7787009204 maryo@cpj.ca <i>English</i>	Maryo Wahba is the Climate Justice Policy Analyst for Citizens For Public Justice.

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Team Kwan	<b>Elizabeth Kwan</b> Ottawa, ON 6132984756 ekwan@clcctc.ca <i>English</i>	Elizabeth Kwan is a Senior Researcher with the Canadian Labour Congress (CLC).
Team Kwan	<b>Eunice O'Mahony</b> Ottawa, ON 6474440022 eunice.omahony@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Eunice O'Mahony is a retired teacher and active member of the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation (OSSTF). She is the Equity, Anti-Racism & Anti-Oppression Lead and focuses on health care of Black and racialized people.
Team Kwan	<b>Grace Welch</b> Ottawa, ON 6136974695 gwelch235@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Grace Welch is with the Champlain Region Family Council Network and has been advocating to all levels of government for improvements in long-term care since 2010.
Team Labelle	<b>Maria Chinelli</b> Oshawa, ON 9052203252 chinellimaria20@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Maria Chinelli is a union activist with Unifor.
Team Labelle	<b>Sara Labelle</b> Oshawa, ON 9059144037 Sassa26_ca2003@yahoo.ca <i>English</i>	Sara Labelle is with the National Union of Public and General Employees (NUPGE)/Ontario Public Services Employees Union (OPSEU).
Team Labelle	<b>Lance Livingstone</b> Oshawa, ON 9054310823 koach_14@yahoo.com <i>English</i>	Lance Livingstone is a member of the Ontario Health Coalition-Durham and has been working for years to improve the health care system, especially for seniors following the shame of the long-term care deaths during COVID.
Team Labelle	<b>Ronald Van De Walker</b> Oshawa, ON 9057252627	Ronald Van De Walker is with the Unifor Local 222 Retired Workers Chapter. He is deeply committed

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	vande8ww@yahoo.ca <i>English</i>	to improving the quality of health care in Ontario and Canada, especially among groups facing specific challenges.
Team Lewis-Richmond	<b>Brenda Allan</b> Beasmville, ON 9053484863 brenda.allan@opseulocal215.com <i>English</i>	Brenda Allen is an occupational therapist and a full-time OPSEU Local Union President for the Niagara Health System.
Team Lewis-Richmond	<b>Erica Benn</b> Kingston, ON 6138885754 ericabenn72@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Erica Benn is a medical laboratory technologist and the president of OPSEU/SEFPO Local 4106 at Kingston Health Sciences Centre. She has worked in health care for 28 years.
Team Lewis-Richmond	<b>Malcolm Lewis-Richmond</b> Ottawa, ON 6136914956 mlewisrichmond@pipsc.ca <i>English</i>	Malcolm Lewis-Richmond is a Senior Officer of Political Action and Engagement (Acting) for the the Professional Institute of the Public Service of Canada (PIPSC).
Team Maclsaac	<b>Leo Broderick</b> Charlottetown, PEI 9028944874 lcb45@eastlink.ca <i>English</i>	Leo Broderick is a long-time social justice advocate in PEI.
Team Maclsaac	<b>Michael Maclsaac</b> North Gower, ON 6137964705 michaeljmacisaac@hotmail.com <i>English</i>	Michael Maclsaac is the president of the Congress of Union Retirees of Canada (CURC).
Team Maclsaac	<b>Karen McCoy</b> Ottawa, ON 6138522627 local214@ona.org <i>English</i>	Karen McCoy is a Registered Nurse and the Local Coordinator and Bargaining Unit President for Local 214 with ONA. Karen is also a plasma recipient with a personal interest in keeping health care publicly funded.
Team Maclsaac	<b>Lisa Morabito</b> St. Catharines, ON	Lisa Morabito is the 1st VP of Local 215 of OPSEU and WSIB lead



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Team Massey	<b>Eric Massey</b> Mascouche, QC 5147126853 emassey@pipsc.ca <i>Français</i>	Eric Massey est le président des négociations pour le groupe services de la santé (SH), affilié à PIPSC. Il est un infirmier depuis 1999, travail au service correctionnel depuis 2001.
Team Massey	<b>Donald Moisan</b> Mascouche, QC 5148304875 dmoisan@pipsc.ca <i>Français</i>	Donald Moisan est un travailleur social clinique au Service Correctionnel du Canada. Il est un membre du groupe santé de PIPSC, membre de l'équipe de négociation, membre de la consultation nationale et membre de l'exécutif national.
Team Massey	<b>Olivier Surprenant</b> Montréal, QC 4502048769 osurprenant@uniondesconsommateurs.ca <i>Français</i>	Olivier Surprenant s'occupe le poste d'Analyste en politiques publiques à Union des consommateurs.
Team Morash	<b>Abram Lutes</b> Fredericton, NB 6132271389 alutes@cupe.ca <i>English</i>	Abram Lutes is a senior researcher in health care with CUPE.
Team Morash	<b>Danielle Morash</b> Dryden, ON 8077379432 danni1369@hotmail.com <i>English</i>	Danielle Morash is the Chair of the Political Action Committee of Unifor Local 324, representing health care workers in Dryden.
Team Morash	<b>Damien Shields</b> Wellington, ON	Damien Shields is a member of Unifor Local 8300, has been

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Team Mullen	<b>Justin Hiltz</b> Dartmouth, NS 9028182310 justin.hiltz@nsnu.ca <i>English</i>	Justin Hiltz is a staff member with the Nurses' Union in Nova Scotia. He conducts research for the organization and leads government relations and occupational health and safety initiatives.
Team Mullen	<b>Sandra Mullen</b> Halifax, NS 9028410108 smullen@nsgeu.ca <i>English</i>	Sandra Mullen is the president of Nova Scotia General Employee Union, representing over 12,000 health care workers in Nova Scotia.
Team Mullen	<b>Peter Perry</b> Halifax, NS 9024719623 pperry@nsgeu.ca <i>English</i>	Peter Perry is a health care worker for over 30 years, third VP of the Nova Scotia General Employees Union, VP of the NS Federation of Labour and on the executive of the NS Health Coalition.
Team Mullen	<b>Alexandra Rose</b> Halifax, NS 9024069422 coordinator@nshealthcoalition.ca <i>English</i>	Alexandra Rose is the provincial coordinator of the Nova Scotia Health Coalition. The coalition advocates to protect and improve our public health care system.
Team Newman	<b>Cathy Humalamaki</b> Sault Ste Marie, ON 7052541086 unifor1359pres@outlook.com <i>English</i>	Cathy Humalamaki is the President of Unifor Local 1359 in Sault Ste. Marie and has been working in health care for over 30 years. She is passionate about pharmacare.
Team Newman	<b>Manzur Malik</b> Toronto, ON 4169315295 mmalik@opseu.org <i>English</i>	Manzur Malik is a negotiator with OPSEU/SEFPO assigned to their members working in the hospitals.

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Team Newman	<p><b>Keith Newman</b> Gatineau, QC 8192097073 keith.newman021@sympatico.ca <i>English</i></p>	Keith Newman is with the Congress of Union Retirees of Canada (CURC) and is a board member of the Canadian Health Coalition.
Team Newman	<p><b>Steven Staples</b> Toronto, ON 3437776283 policy@healthcoalition.ca <i>English</i></p>	Steven Staples is the National Director of Policy and Advocacy for the Canadian Health Coalition.
Team Pretty	<p><b>Donica Geddes</b> Beaver County, AB 7807813937 dgeddes@una.ca <i>English</i></p>	Donica Geddes is a registered nurse of 34 years in rural Alberta. She is a proud union activist for 27 years, and has been on the United Nurses of Alberta's Executive Board for six years.
Team Pretty	<p><b>Omar Hussein</b> Fort McMurray, AB 5064405592 omer.hussein@hsaa.ca <i>English</i></p>	Omer Hussein is a Medical Radiation Technologist in Fort McMurray, Alberta, and a North District Board Member of the Health Sciences Association of Alberta.
Team Pretty	<p><b>Alyssa Pretty</b> Edmonton, AB 7806674581 alyssa@friendsofmedicare.org <i>English</i></p>	Alyssa Pretty has been advocating for public health care as the Communications and Administrative Officer at Friends of Medicare since 2018.
Team Proulx-Daigle	<p><b>Tanya Brown</b> Saint John, NB 5063433758 Tnybrown40@gmail.com <i>English</i></p>	Tanya Brown is a LPN based in Saint John and a member of the New Brunswick Union.
Team Proulx-Daigle	<p><b>Mike Frank</b> Petitcodiac, NB 5062278397 pcp_mike@hotmail.com <i>English</i></p>	Mike Frank is a paramedic and member of the New Brunswick Union.

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Team Proulx-Daigle	<b>Patrick Madore</b> Fredericton, NB 5064619266 patrickmadore@hotmail.com <i>English</i>	Patrick Madore is a paramedic and member of the New Brunswick Union.
Team Proulx-Daigle	<b>Susie Proulx-Daigle</b> St. Louis, NB 5064703039 susie@nbu.ca <i>English</i>	Susie Proulx-Daigle is the president of the New Brunswick Union.
Team Rao	<b>Tracy Glynn</b> Fredericton, NB 5064405592 tglynn@healthcoalition.ca <i>English</i>	Tracy Glynn is the National Director of Operations and Projects for the Canadian Health Coalition.
Team Rao	<b>Jens Gundermann</b> Edmonton, AB 7802362544 jgundermann@una.ca <i>English</i>	Jens Gundermann is a registered nurse of 30 years working in cardiac surgery and endoscopy, and a member of the United Nurses of Alberta executive board.
Team Rao	<b>Aditya Rao</b> Ottawa, ON 7802382422 aditya@madhucentre.ca <i>English</i>	Aditya Rao is a founding board member of the Madhu Verma Migrant Justice Centre. He is a lawyer, union representative and organizer.
Team Rao	<b>Maria Richard</b> Petitcodiac, NB 5063813138 mrichard@nbnu.ca <i>English</i>	Maria Richard has been a registered nurse for 36 years in hospital and community sectors. She is 1st Vice-President of the New Brunswick Nurses Union and is a member of the New Brunswick Health Coalition.
Team Rodriguez	<b>Rita Morbia</b> Ottawa, ON 6132932908 rmorbia@interpares.ca <i>English</i>	Rita Morbia has worked at Inter Pares, an international feminist social justice organization, on issues related to women's rights and health for over two decades. She is also the co-treasurer of the Canadian Health Coalition.

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Team Rodriguez	<b>Emilio Rodríguez</b> Ottawa, ON 3439964199 emilio@cpj.ca <i>English</i>	Emilio Rodriguez is the policy lead on Canadian immigration at Citizens for Public Justice. There, he coordinates multi-stakeholder policy campaigns to advance refugee and migrant rights, including access to health care.
Team Rodriguez	<b>Siobhán Vipond</b> Ottawa, ON 7808687379 svipond@clctc.ca <i>English</i>	Siobhán Vipond is the vice-president of the Canadian Labour Congress and a strong advocate of public health care.
Team Rodriguez	<b>Julie White</b> Ottawa, ON 6137294910 juliewhite729@yahoo.ca <i>English</i>	Julie White is the secretary of the Canadian Health Coalition and a member of the Congress of Union Retirees of Canada (CURC).
Team Rougeau	<b>Veronica Boychuk</b> Dauphin, MB 2046484851 Veronica.Boychuk@mgeu.ca <i>English</i>	Veronica Boychuk is a registered social worker who works primarily with adults in the mental health system in rural Manitoba.
Team Rougeau	<b>Cora Meyer</b> Dauphin, MB 4313450435 cora.meyer@mgeu.ca <i>English</i>	Cora Meyer is with the Manitoba Government and General Employees' Union (MGEU).
Team Rougeau	<b>Shelly Rougeau</b> West Pine Ridge, MB 2046414804 shelly.rougeau@mgeu.ca <i>English</i>	Shelley Rougeau has worked in health care for 25 years and is with the Manitoba Government and General Employees' Union (MGEU).
Team Selmes	<b>André Alves</b> London, ON 2262349761 andrealves_26@outlook.com <i>English</i>	André Alves is a member of the Ontario Public Services Employees Union (OPSEU)- Hospital Profession Division.
Team Selmes	<b>Michelle Flewin</b> London, ON	Michelle Flewin is a cook at a long-term care facility, a DSW at a

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Team Selmes	<b>Kari Selmes</b> London, ON 5196973781 kari.selmes@local27.ca <i>English</i>	Kari Selmes is the Vice President of Health Care for Unifor Local 27, representing over 3,000 health care workers from the London area major hospitals.
Team Shaw	<b>Natalie Appleyard</b> Ottawa, ON 6135523439 natalie@cpj.ca <i>English</i>	Natalie Appleyard is the socio-economic policy analyst with Citizens for Public Justice, based in Ottawa on unceded and unsurrendered Algonquin Anishinaabeg territory. She is interested in rights-based, systemic solutions to poverty and inequity in Canada
Team Shaw	<b>Jennifer Cloutier</b> Windsor, ON 5198906778 jennifer@uniforlocal2458.ca <i>English</i>	Jennifer Cloutier is health care worker for 21 years in long-term care and a member of Unifor.
Team Shaw	<b>Marie Corns</b> High River, AB 4033362856 mcorns@una.ca <i>English</i>	Marie Corns has worked in health care for 30 years and sits on the board of the United Nurses of Alberta.
Team Shaw	<b>Melissa Shaw</b> Ottawa, ON 6132187323 melissacoenraad@gmail.com <i>English</i>	Melissa Shaw is a member of the executive board of the Ontario Public Services Employees Unions (OPSEU) and OPSEU Health Care.

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