



LE SECTEUR PUBLIC BIENTÔT EN GRÈVE PARTOUT AU QUÉBEC

Stand with us for better public services!

We are currently exercising our right to strike. We know that some may see this as a blow to the services that we provide to users each day.

Yet if we have reached this point, it is precisely because **these public services are directly harmed by the Couillard government's austerity measures**. Throughout Québec and in all kinds of health and social services institutions, we are seeing services directly affected by years of cumulative budget cuts.

This is why you see us rushing all the time, trying as best we can to continue to give your quality services.

This is also why you see waiting lists getting longer and longer and the basket of services steadily shrinking.

While the government :

- cuts back on the number of baths in CHSLDs;
- lets waiting lists get longer and longer for surgery or for specialized services in youth centres and CRDITEDs (for persons with intellectual impairments or developmental disorders);
- lets wait times drag out for access to the services of multidisciplinary teams in CLSCs and other health and social services institutions.

It refuses to negotiate in good faith to improve public services!

- We want better pay – to stop getting steadily poorer and to attract qualified personnel to work in the system!
- We want stable work teams that will be able to give you quality services by taking the time that is needed to do so! A better quality of life at work means better services for the population.
- We want to curb privatization and instead rely on the expertise that we have to improve the services you receive, at lower costs!

A strike is the ultimate way we have of expressing our refusal to accept the dismantling of the public health and social services system. The decision to go on strike is not one that we make lightly.

What we want above all is to continue giving you quality services.

But to succeed in doing so, we all have to unite to preserve universal, accessible public services.

Stand with us for our public services!