

### **GOV/O** of PA hospitals say they can't find enough qualified nurses

Together, we can solve the problem

## Why the shortage?





# Early retirements Not enough nursing graduates or applicants More patients needing care COVID-19 demands

### Hospitals are working to recruit and retain nurses with:

- Salary increases
- Signing & referral bonuses
- Schedule flexibility
- Loan forgiveness & tuition reimbursement
- Employee wellness programs
- Retention incentives

#### But it's not enough



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MAKE IT EASIER for Pennsylvania hospitals to hire more nurses

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