

TAKE A STAND

No more violence to health care workers



19K

workplace assaults reported in health care and social service settings



25%

nurses reported being physically assaulted by a patient or a patient's family member



4x

more likely to be affected by workplace violence than workers in private industry

Violence against health care workers is grossly underreported

Health care workers think that violence is "part of the job" and too often believe their assailants are not responsible for their actions due to conditions affecting their mental state.

70% of violent incidents are not reported by nurses

Violence comes in many forms

Biting	Name calling	Spitting
Beating	Pinching	Stalking
Choking	Pushing	Stabbing
Harassing	Punching	Threatening
Intimidating	Scratching	Yelling
Kicking	Shoving	

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When violence occurs...

**REPORT
IT!**

Notify leadership, security, and, if needed, law enforcement