



**ALL OUT**

## **Industrial Action January 11<sup>th</sup> 2023– 1000-2200hours**

Dear member,

As you are aware UNISON YAS Branch is taking industrial action on 11<sup>th</sup> January. After the incredible public support for the action taken by UNISON on 21<sup>st</sup> December, we will now be involving ALL UNISON members Yorkshire Ambulance Service in at all departments between the hours of 1000 and 2200 hours. There is an expectation that ALL members will join a UNISON work-place picket line between these hours, this will be replicated across the country.

We know many of you will be apprehensive about taking action, that is understandable. We have tried and are still trying to sit down and talk with a government that currently does not want to listen, whilst accusing our members of having blood on their hands when patients are dying every day due to the underfunding of the NHS.

Industrial action is always a last resort, but the Government are backing us into a corner and currently have no other choice if we want to save our Ambulance Service and NHS we love.

We simply can't carry on and watch so many of our incredibly dedicated members struggling to make ends meet in the most brutal cost of living crisis in a generation.

A previously agreed, further discussions with the Trust are taking place around provision of life and limb cover, including renal and oncology patients.

UNISON needs your support, the public needs your support, patients need your support. Join your colleagues in taking action on January 11<sup>th</sup>, as members you are the Union, your action can make a difference, together we can help to save the NHS.

We appreciate this will raise questions, further information is to follow – please try to attend the members' meeting via Microsoft teams at 1800hours on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> January.

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