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- Safe and effective staffing levels improve care for patients and work working conditions for staff
- Lobbying by UNISON and others convinced Welsh government to introduce mandatory nurse staffing levels.
- This was an important first step. Safe staffing levels are just as important in other grades. For example, hospitals without an adequate number of cleaners leaves that hospital open to the risk of cross-infection.
- Staff shortages put great pressure on healthcare workers; affects their morale and well-being.
- If you agree we need safe staffing levels across all grades in Welsh hospitals, send a message to your Assembly Member and let them know what you think.

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