



## WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

**2005 Wisconsin Act 426**  
[2005 Senate Bill 727]

**Ratification of Collective  
Bargaining Agreement: United  
Professionals for Quality Health  
Care**

2005 Wisconsin Act 426 ratifies the collective bargaining agreement negotiated between the State of Wisconsin and the United Professionals for Quality Health Care, SEIU, AFL-CIO, for the 2005-07 Biennium, covering employees in the professional patient care collective bargaining unit. This bargaining unit consists of approximately 936 full-time equivalent positions and includes nurse clinicians.

A link to the collective bargaining agreement ratified by Wisconsin Act 426 may be found at: <http://oser.state.wi.us/docview.asp?docid=5724>.

**Effective Date:** The general effective date of 2005 Wisconsin Act 426 is May 27, 2006. However, the collective bargaining agreement ratified by Act 426 may contain other specific effective dates covering employees in the professional patient care collective bargaining unit.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.state.wi.us/>.