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A crisis-level staffing shortage is redefining what it means to be a nurse. Unsafe staffing, impossible workloads - pushed beyond all reasonable limits, nurses have had to sacrifice their own wellbeing for the sake of their patients. It's all become too much. And with the government's deliberate and continuing disrespect, many are saying: it's just not worth it.

Nurses are so done with the devaluing of their service. They're done with being taken for granted by politicians who have no idea of what it actually takes to do the work. Retaining and recruiting nurses has become health care's deepest need and most immediate challenge. It's going to take far better compensation and a real commitment to safe staffing to address this crisis. Because here's the final word: without nurses, the demands of health care can never be met.



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