Memorandum of Understanding

The following constitutes an agreement between the Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Health Administration (VHA) and the American Federation of Government Employees, (AFL-CIO), National Veterans Affairs Council #53 concerning the VHA National Release of Connected Care Annie Application 2.0 (App).

- The national parties agree the national release of Connected Care Annie Application 2.0
 provides informational and motivational support to improve self-care through patient
 engagement. The development is scheduled from March 2018 through September 2018.
- 2. NVAC shall be provided with the national release schedule of AFGE VHA facilities, for the period stated in paragraph #1.
- The use of Annie App 2.0 is voluntary for bargaining unit employees. Any training related to the use of Annie App 2.0 shall be on duty time.
- 4. NVAC shall be provided with the all the appropriate data and/or reports related to Annie Phase 1.0 and Annie Phase 2.0 provided to VHA management officials prior to the nationwide roll out of Annie App.
- NVAC reserves its right to address matters related to national release of Connected Care Annie App 2.0 as they occur.
- Upon their receipt the appropriate management official shall provide a copy of this MOU to the AFGE Local President.

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