

### Find Your Dream Job (100 Points)

Let's find your dream job! You will do research to find your dream job in the health field and what type of education and skills you will need to get this job. The purpose of this activity is to help you gain a better understanding of how your intended major, future education goals, and skills need to be applied to the career you want. **You will need to download your completed assignment as a PDF and add it to your ePortfolio under the "Dream Job" section in Assignments.**

1. To get started, complete the following quiz:

<https://advance.appily.com/careers/healthcare/quiz>

- What were your results?  
The results of my quiz showed that my ideal role would be a practitioner
- Did they surprise you? Why or why not?  
My results didn't surprise me because one of my long-term goals is to be a Family Nurse Practitioner.

2. Find at least 3 job postings that you would be interested in applying to that requires the degree you are currently pursuing or a degree you're interested in pursuing. Examples of where to search: Indeed.com, LinkedIn, USA Jobs, Glassdoor, or just Google the job you want to find! Copy and paste the job postings below. Answer the questions under each link in complete sentences.

- Job 1 Link:  
[https://careers.bonsecours.com/us/en/job/BSMBSZUSR216613EXTERNALENUS/Registered-Nurse-Emergency-Department-Maryview-Medical-Center?utm\\_source=indeed&utm\\_medium=phenom-feeds](https://careers.bonsecours.com/us/en/job/BSMBSZUSR216613EXTERNALENUS/Registered-Nurse-Emergency-Department-Maryview-Medical-Center?utm_source=indeed&utm_medium=phenom-feeds)
- Identify the salary range: \$34,848 - \$131,649
- How much experience would be required to apply for that job?  
1 year of RN experience
- What degrees, certifications or training is required?  
What is required to have prior to applying includes a graduate degree with an associate or bachelor's degree in nursing, a current state nurse license, and BLS certification.
- What skills are and tasks are involved in performing the job you have found?  
Some skills and tasks that are involved with this job include professionalism, patient care, the ability to stay calm, and the knowledge of using lifesaving equipment.

- Job 2 Link: <https://jobs.jobvite.com/healing-partners/job/ooGOufw6>
- Identify the salary range: \$100,000 - \$120,000
- How much experience would be required to apply for that job?  
Looking at the job posting, I couldn't find a specific amount of experience or any experience required to apply for this job

- What degrees, certifications or training is required?  
Current State RN License, Unrestritive ARPN License, completion of nurse practitioner program, Masters in Nursing,

- What skills are and tasks are involved in performing the job you have found?  
Excellent organizational skills, attention to detail, and Strong analytical and problem-solving are some skills required for this job.

- Job 3 Link: <https://careers.amedisys.com/careers-home/jobs/30676?lang=en-us>
- Identify the salary range: \$83,000-\$88,000
- How much experience would be required to apply for that job?  
You need at least 1 year of RN Clinical experience or signed off by the VP of clinical if you don't have 1 year of experience.

- What degrees, certifications or training is required?

Required certification and licenses include a current state RN License and a BLS certification.

- What skills are and tasks are involved in performing the job you have found?  
Communication with hospital staff about patients' care and teaching appropriate rehabilitative measures, and skilled nursing care and involved while performing this job

**Reflection:** From the 3 job postings you found, choose one job you want the most. Why does this job appeal to you the most? What skills do you already possess that would help you to get this job? Identify skills you are still building or need more experience performing. Discuss options to sharpen or learn the skills you will need to gain.

From the 3 job postings that I found, I would want the ER Nurse job the most. This job appeals to me because of the frequent problem-solving scenarios and the fast-paced work environment. I can say I already possess problem-solving skills, clear communication, and Basic patient care which would help when applying for this job. The ability to stay calm is a skill that I need to continue to build as I see myself getting easily frustrated when things aren't happening like they are supposed to. Professionalism is also a skill that I need to improve as well. An option that is available to help me sharpen those skills would be a mentor in my field.