# 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 be expected to discuss this in class and it will be included on your ePortfolio.

# Research - 50 points

- 1. List your dream job or jobs. In a perfect world, one day you will be A Travel Labor and Delivery Nurse. Briefly describe what you'll do in this role. What knowledge, skills, or abilities do you think you will need for this job?
  In this role I will be the frontline health provider for all labor and delivery patients. I want to be the person to make my patients feel safe and comfortable. My main goal is to contribute to the decrease in maternal mortality rates in black women. In this role the skills and knowledge that I will need include patience, confidence, critical thinking, patient assessment, problem solving, teamwork, and time management.
- 2. Complete the quiz at https://advance.appily.com/careers/healthcare/quiz
- 3. Were you surprised by the results of the quiz compared to what you listed as your dream role? I was not surprised at all by the results of the quiz compared to my dream role. The results stated that my ideal role could be a practitioner, which is essentially what I would like to become.
- 4. Find at least 3 job postings that seem close to your dream job. Examples of where to search: Indeed.com, LinkedIn, USA Jobs, Glassdoor, or just Google the job you want to find!
- 5. Copy and paste the job posting links below. Make sure you include the following information:
  - a. C. Identify the salary range
  - b. How much experience would be required to apply for that job, what degrees, certifications or training is required?
  - c. What skills are and tasks are involved in performing the job you have found?

## 1. Job Posting Number 1:

https://nursing-emory.icims.com/jobs/135060/job?utm\_source=indeed\_integration&iis=Job+Board&iisn=Indeed&indeed-apply-token=73a2d2b2a8d6d5c0a62696875eaebd669103652d3f0c2cd5445d3e66b1592b0f

- a. Identify the salary range: \$76K \$99K/yr
- How much experience would be required to apply for that job, what degrees, certifications or training is required? Graduate of an accredited school of nursing 24 months of recent nursing experience, valid (active) unencumbered Nursing license, BLS certification required and ACLS may be required in designated departments
- c. What skills are and tasks are involved in performing the job you have found? Collects, reports, analyzes and provides data, recognizes needs and advocates for patient based on knowledge of condition, and deliver safe, dependable and effective care

#### 2. Job Posting Number 2:

https://jobs.ascension.org/us/en/job/AHEAHUUS370293EXTERNALENUS/RN-Labor-Delivery?phenom\_utm\_medium=phenom-feeds&utm\_source=appcast\_indeed&utm\_medium=sponsored&utm\_campaign=WIASC\_RN&iisn=Appcast\_Indeed&iis=Sponsored&iisc=WIASC\_RN&iieid=58239655916&ccid=1729708795914sdgqyoogq

- a. Identify the salary range: \$73K \$106K/y
- b. How much experience would be required to apply for that job, what degrees, certifications or training is required? Diploma from an accredited school/college of nursing OR Required professional licensure at time of hire required, Registered Nurse credentialed from the Wisconsin Board of Nursing obtained prior to hire date, and BLS Provider obtained within 1 Month (30 days) of hire date.
- c. What skills are and tasks are involved in performing the job you have found?
  Provide direct nursing care in accordance with established policies, procedures and protocols of the healthcare organization.

### 3. Job Posting Number 2:

https://nursing-lhs.icims.com/jobs/40625/job?iis=Job+Board&iisn=Appcast\_Indeed&mobile=false&width=930&height=500&bga=true&needsRedirect=false&jan1offset=-300&jun1offset=-240

- d. Identify the salary range: \$50.57 \$75.55/hr
- e. How much experience would be required to apply for that job, what degrees, certifications or training is required? The experience for this job is one-year registered nursing experience or completion of either the Legacy Health RN

- Residency program or a nursing program that is equivalent in content; additional clinical experience requirements may vary.
- f. What skills are and tasks are involved in performing the job you have found? Interpersonal, communication skills, and keyboard skills with the ability to navigate electronic systems. Hires will be responsible for patient care within an assigned department/unit and participates as a member of the health care team

#### Part 2: Apply to your Dream Job - 50 points

- 1. Think about the job postings you submitted for Part 1, and the knowledge, skills, and abilities you'll need. Did these jobs match what you had in mind for your dream job? Did you find your dream job? Describe the similarities and differences. The job postings that I found did align with what I had in mind for my dream job. However, I do not think that I necessarily found my dream job. The locations, pay, and care facilities did not truly match my dream job. I felt that each job had a little of what I wanted for my dream job. I think that I would love a job in the city for my first couple of years working; which none of these jobs had. These jobs did all have quite good benefits and tasks; which I would like from my dream job.
- 2. From the 3 job postings you found, choose one job you want the most, and use the list of skills required for the job of interest. Identify skills you already have and identify skills you are still building or need more experience performing. Discuss options to sharpen or learn the skills you will need to gain. I think that the job that fits me best is the first job posting that is in Atlanta, Georgia. I think that this job will have the most diverse population of patients, and will help me contribute to my ultimate career goal. The skills/requirements needed for this job were: Graduate of an accredited school of nursing 24 months of recent nursing experience, valid (active) unencumbered Nursing license, BLS certification required and ACLS may be required in designated departments. These are not skills or requirements that I already have at the moment, but will build after graduation. However, I do have a few skills that are needed for nurses that include patience, confidence, critical thinking, patient assessment, problem solving, teamwork, and time management. These are skills that I will go into my field, and this job with. Another skill that I have that was listed on the website is collecting, reporting, and analyzing data.

# <u>Rubric</u>

Criteria	Excellent (100-90 points)	Sufficient (89.99-80 points)	Minimal (79.99-60 points)	Unacceptable (59.99-0 points)
Inclusions of requested information and Correctness of Assignment	Includes all requested information and goes into detail for each question. Professional Interviewed works in a health or health-related field. Professional's education must have an associate's degree or higher.	Includes most of the information requested. Correct, but limited details provided. Professional Interviewed works in a health or health-related field. Professional's education must have an associate's degree or higher.	Missing or incorrect information. Professional Interviewed works in a health or health-related field. Professional's education must have an associate's degree or higher.	Professional does not meet the criteria for the assignment. Does not answer any of the questions.
Ease of finding information	Assignment is easily found from the menu bar of the student's e-portfolio and is clearly identified. Fonts are easily read and layouts are appropriate to the assignment. Picture of the health professional is included.	Page is viewable but not easily locatable. Fonts are readable, information is present but does not have a logical flow.	No Logical flow to information. Missing, and/or partially answered questions. Font is illegible.	No page, or information provided.
Writing quality of assignment s	Writing is clear, concise, and well organized with excellent sentence/paragraph construction. Thoughts are expressed in a coherent and logical manner. There are no spelling, grammar, or syntax errors per page of writing.	Writing is mostly clear, concise, and well organized with good sentence/paragraph construction. Thoughts are expressed in a coherent and logical manner. There are no more than three spelling, grammar, or syntax errors per page of writing.	Writing is unclear and/or disorganized. Thoughts are not expressed in a logical manner. There are no more than five spelling, grammar, or syntax errors per page of writing.	Writing is unclear and disorganized. Thoughts ramble and make little sense. There are numerous spelling, grammar, or syntax errors throughout the response.