**Career Unit Plan – Introduction to Careers in the US Healthcare System**

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| Grade Level(s): 11-12 | Subject/Course: CTE/Physical Therapy and Rehabilitative Profession | Unit Plan: Career Exploration/ Career day Project |
| Resources needed:On-site people, facilities, tools, technology, materials, community connections | ChromebooksInternetSoftware: Google slides or PowerPointO\*NetCareer One StopIndex cards Complete pathways graphicClasses requirement chart |
| Learning Standards: | NYS CDOS Standard 1: Career Development Students will be knowledgeable about the world of work, explore career options, and relate personal skills, aptitudes, and abilities to future career decisions.Career and Community Connections2a) Identify and use career resources to obtain information about careers and employment trendsEmployability skills 3a) Identify personal characteristics such as abilities, interests, and values and examine how they might impact career choicesNYS Literacy Standard 7Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including across multiple texts |
| Big Idea & Authentic Purpose: Why does this matter to your students?How will this be helpful to your students? | Students will start thinking and exploring what they want to do for a job or career.Students will learn about multiple jobs in the healthcare industry and compare and contrasts the pros and cons of the careers, applying this to their inventory findings. |
| Type of Career Content * **Career specific**
 | Experts: Students will work individually (in groups of 2), interviewing (6 if group of 2) people in the hospital in various career titles. They will create 10 questions to ask each person. This can be done in person, zoom, or through email.  |
| Relevancy: How does it connect to students' lives?  | The lesson provides students with resources to gain knowledge and skills about possible career paths based upon their interests or strengths. They will be able to access these resources throughout their life and career journey. They will also be exploring similar career to differentiate where they feel fits them best. |
| Objectives:Objectives Day 1: Students will **identify** personal skills, strengths, and abilities, and relate those to career exploration and post-secondary education choices Use O\*Net interest inventory and mynextmove.orgObjective Day 2: Students will **identify** personal skills, strengths, and abilities, and relate those to career exploration and post-secondary education choicesObjective Day 3 and 4: Students will **apply** what they have learned about their personal skills, strengths, and abilities to career exploration activities and post-secondary education choices | Assessment: Day 1 –  Submit a screenshot of their O\*Net interest inventory. Exit ticket- Submit 3 careers that you are interested in that align with your interest inventory. State if you feel it matches up with your personality trait and explainDay 2- Draft 10 questions to ask at your healthcare interviews, and the three careers you are interviewing and turn in via Google Classroom. They will create pros and cons charts about the careers.Day 3- Create One Page Jamboard or Google slide about what you learned about the industry from the expert. These will be posted around the room in gallery walk format. Students will walk around and find 5 things they learned from these. Day 4- Presentation on the career- Option for PowerPoint, poster, or videoDuring presentation, students will complete I like, I wonder, I learned protocol for each presentation. Later date- 8th grade career and 10th grade presentation- each students will present in a career fair format, along with combining a hands on activity |
| Knowledge Construction: How are students going to construct content knowledge and practice it Day 1: Students shown VIA below. They pick our their top 6 traits, and have someone that knows them- friend, classmate, family pick out top 6 traits. Complete O\*Net inventory- find and identify top 3 occupational interests- take a screenshot and submit to your instructorIdentify 30 careers within healthcare- the hospital and other settings.[Science Careers (sciencebuddies.org)](https://www.sciencebuddies.org/science-engineering-careers)[Home - New York Health Careers (healthcareersinfo.net)](https://www.healthcareersinfo.net/) |
| Day 2Prepare for interview- Pick 3 (Individual) or 6 (group of 2) professionals and prepare 10 questions for them to answer. Complete a pros and cons chart for each career. Create a one page Jamboard for each career about what you learned. These will be posted in gallery walk format. Students write on an index card 5 things they learned about various occupations while participating in the gallery walk. Day 3 Pick one career that aligns with your findings based upon the inventories you have completed. Research the career. Compare a presentation about your chosen career- can use powerpoint, poster or video. Requirements for your presentation:* Career outlook
* Wages/money
* Job duties
* Education/training
* Soft skills required
* Location/where?/regions

Resources given:Career ZoneO\*NetNYS Department of Labor WebsiteCareer One StopAlso about your career, complete a pathways chart of how a person can get to their career from your viewpoint sitting here in high school. Include multiple options if applicable. Also complete the classes required chart for yourself using the research you found in the pathways (i.e how many years of math does it take to get into a training program for this career). |
| Day 4- Presentation DayEach student gives their presentationComplete I like, I wonder, I learned protocolRevise and reflectPresent on 8th - 10th grade career days in career fair form. Each student will also come up with a hands-on activity to do with students during the presentations. |

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| Requirements | Years Required | 7th | 8th | 9th | 10th | 11th | 12th |
| History/Social Science | 2 Years |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| English | 4 Years |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mathematics | 3 Years |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lab Science | 2 Years |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Language | 2 years |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Visual or performing arts | 1 Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| College Prep Electives | 1 Year |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Example of pathways – find local opportunities for the pathways



