Project Plan: Advance Practice Respiratory Therapist

Key Words throughout this Project will Include: American Association for Respiratory Care (AARC), The National Board for Respiratory Care, Advance Practice Respiratory Therapist (APRT), Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT), Degrees, Certifications, States, Cardiopulmonary (relating to the heart and the lungs), Physician (Doctor), U.S Department of Education (USDE), The Association of Specialized and Professional Accreditors (ASPA), The Councils for Higher Education (CHEA), Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC), Respiratory System (specific organs and structures that are used to exchange gas in humans), United States of America (U.S), pulmonologist ( a doctor who specializes in respiratory)

This study will include information from Respiratory websites, library, and scholarly articles and or journals. The respiratory websites such as the AARC, CoARC, and the NRBC on will provide information credentials, courses, license. Other websites such as USDE, CHEA, And ASPA will provide information based on the quality of colleges programs, Accreditation, Finacle Assistance, and the Recognition of programs offered around colleges in the U.S. Future Jobs, Salary, and employers that are planning on or currently hiring for the position as an APRT.

Some articles, webpages, and journals that will/might be used are:

* Respiratory Therapist as Physicians Extenders: Perceptions of Practitioner and Educators

This article is based on the education role as an APRT which will help find details about the education side for this project.

* Advance Practice Respiratory Therapist Scope of Practice

The scope of practice as an APRT gives the main information that this paper will need such as what is the APRT.

* Clinical Competencies in Advance Practice Respiratory Therapy Education: Is It Time to Entrust the Learner?

This article gives another side, can one trust that the APRT is well educated to handle this role?

* Accreditation Standards for Advance Practice Programs in Respiratory Care

This will give the project the abstract of where, how, and when one can find the accreditation for this program and the licensure to.

* Respiratory Therapy Degree Advancement

Having degree advancements are great due to if students/graduates want to further their education they can.

In this Project there will be a Survey conducted on classmates, respiratory departments, and pulmonologist. The selected group of people are ones that specializes in respiratory and will give their feedback on what they think about the APRT role.

The finished project will be a written format because since this is such a new topic to the Respiratory field that it needs to be in a paper so others can read about it and understand it. Seeing a PowerPoint can mislead one because it’s only the key components of information and leaves out details. A poster board gives less information that a power point. This project will be very detailed and through for others to see the whole picture not just bits and pieces.