

Academic and Employability Skills

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SWOT ANALYSIS

- SWOT analysis is a planning technique used strategically to help a organisation identify strengths, weaknesses, opportunity and threats to a business/person's protect planning. It is an abbreviation for strengths, weaknesses, opportunity and threat.

TIME MANAGEMENT

- Time management refers to when time is managed effectively. This is so time is used correctly and more efficiently.
- Time management can benefit a radiographer as it can help them deliver work on time.
- It will also help deliver and produce better quality of work
- It would also give you less stress and anxiety within the work place as the radiographer will not be rushing as they have given themselves time to work and not rush through.
- This will all help increase better job performance within the radiology industry.

Communication

- Communication can be verbal or none verbal. It means to share, give and receive information or ideas.
- Communication is extremely important within the NHS and particularly with radiographers because this provides easier and accessible service for the service users.
- Having effective communication between the radiographer and the patient would help make the patient feel more pleasant and comfortable, this will give them more confidence to be communicate with the radiographer
- Communication is important for collaborative problem solving among the staff

Team work and collaboration

- Team work is when individuals work together to get a form of work done.
- Teamwork is very important among radiographers as they work with radiologists to provide images and diagnosis.
- Radiographers must provide the right information for radiologists to diagnose so they work together to complete a job. This all comes under team work.
- It is important for radiographers and radiologists to work as a team to make sure that there final works are correct.

Professionalism and strong work ethic

- Professionalism and strong work ethic are important factors within radiography as professionalism makes the place more comfortable for other staff and patients, having a strong work ethic will also help produce a better quality of work as the radiographer will be more determined to get the work done.
- Its important to have a good work ethic as it will have the individual know what they are working for on demand and what they need to get done
- Professionalism is a major factor within radiography as respect is earned from other staff and patients.

Personal development plan (PDP)

My aspiration is to become a radiographer and my goals are to complete my current university course and go onto studying radiography. In this case it is important for me to keep up to date with my work manage my time effectively. It is also important for me to receive support from my lecturers/university staff and to keep searching and reading articles about my study course.

One of my goals is to keep up to date with my university work so that I can pass my course and make it on to the next and also to become more motivated to achieve better grades within this course.

conclusion

- Overall when becoming a radiographer there is a high demand of skills that need to be obtained within this profession.
- Skills are extremely important within this field of work and I hope to achieve all these goals and aspirations.
- With becoming a radiographer it takes a lot of courage, patience and professionalism too, this is all part of being a part of the career.
- I have learned that with making it to this career there are a lot of steps that I will need to be take and that it is a high demanding job

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