

## Health Career Grouping Activity #2



**Instructions:** Group the 55 careers into the five designated areas on the next page. Please see the below definitions to help you place the healthcare careers appropriately.

### Definitions:

- **Careers in Diagnosing:** Workers in these careers work with patients to perform testing and /or analyze the results of tests to help in the process of finding out what kind of disease/injury or other pathology a patient might be experiencing.
- **Nurses, Doctors and Careers that might assist Nurses or Doctors:** Workers in these careers may work in a variety of different areas. They may diagnose, treat and /or care for a variety of patients in a variety of settings.
- **Careers that aid in Treatment or Rehabilitation:** Workers in these careers will be giving patients the things that they need to recover from illness or injury. This may include medications, prosthetic limbs, assistive devices or education related to recovery. People working in these careers may see patients only one time or may work with the same patients over the course of longer periods of time, depending on the treatment or rehabilitation plan.
- **Administrative or Equipment Support:** Workers in these careers may be responsible for the organization and management of equipment, resources and people who work in hospitals or other health care organizations. Workers in these careers do not care for patients directly. The efforts of these people help the workers in the other 5 categories to focus on doing their work for patients.
- **Careers in Emergency Situations or Surgery:** People who work in these careers care for patients in emergency situations or in the operating room. People who work in these careers are caring for patients in situations that require rapid thinking and decision making and often involve life and death.

**Purpose of Activity:** This activity shows that there are many different categories of work in healthcare but that all jobs ultimately work together and all areas are important to patient care! It is important to find the area(s) that best fits your own interests, personality, and strengths and then look for a career within that area(s).

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Careers that aid in **Diagnosing**:

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Careers that work in **Emergency Situations or Surgery**:

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Careers that aid in **Treatment or Rehabilitation**:

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**Nurses, Doctors** and careers that assist **Nurses or Doctors**:

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Careers that provide **Administrative or Support Services** to providers of patient care:

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