

Elmhurst Hospital Field Work Project

General Instructions:

As you know we are trying a new approach to field work this year at Elmhurst. In order to evaluate how well the old and the new approaches are working, and improve field work for students at Elmhurst, we need your help. We are going to ask you to fill out some questionnaires on four occasions this year, starting today. This will take approximately 30 minutes today and approximately 60 minutes on the three other occasions. The questions today will be focused on your confidence in your ability to do various things. We will be asking you these questions on the three other occasions. In addition, on those occasions will be asking you some additional questions about your field work experience and the hospital environment.

Completing these questionnaires is considered part of your field experience and your supervisors will make the appropriate adjustment in the amount of work required of you during these weeks. Completing these questionnaires is of course voluntary - but we do hope that you will be willing to help us in improving this program. We will be having a lunch for you during your last week at Elmhurst. At that time we will present the preliminary results.

We ask that you do not write any information on the questionnaires that would allow us to identify who you are. While this insures your anonymity, it does present us with a problem. How do we match your answers today with your answers throughout the year. While someone might suggest that we use Social Security numbers - that would still allow us to identify you (even though we don't want to). So our solution to this problem is to make up an identifier that only you could recognize.

State want to live in

Country want to visit

Best LD friend's first 5 phone numbers

Group

1. In the first four spaces above fill in the first four letters of the state that you have always wanted to live in.
2. In the second four spaces above fill in the first four letters of the country that you have always wanted the most to visit but haven't yet been able to.
3. In the next five spaces fill in the first 5 numbers of the phone number of your best friend that lives outside of your area code.
4. In the last space, put an **F** if you are in the group with the full year field placement, or put an **R** if you are in the group with rotations.

So if I always wanted to live in New Mexico, always wanted to visit Italy, my best long distance friends phone number was 503-292-7750, and I was in the full year placement - my ID number would be:

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Now, although someone probably won't move to the Southwest during this year - you might get lucky and go to Italy on your break, or your best friend may change their phone number. So please make sure that you write your ID number down in a place that you will be able to refer back to it - in case any of these things happen. In addition to allowing us to compare answers over time, we developed this solution to insure that your answers would be anonymous and that you would feel free to answer them honestly.

Hospital Social Work Self-Efficacy Scale

In the next series of questions, we want to know how confident you are, in your ability to perform specific hospital social work tasks. Then as you consider each task, please rate your confidence in your ability to perform that task successfully, by **circling** the number from 1 to 9 that best describes your level of confidence.

What we mean here by *successful*, is that *you would be able to perform the specific task in a manner that an experienced supervisor would think was excellent*. We want to know *how confident* you are that you could successfully perform these tasks today.

The phrases above the numbers [*1 = Not at all confident; 5 = Moderately confident; and 9 = Totally confident*] are only guides. You can use these numbers or any of the numbers in between to describe your level of confidence.

Please write any comments regarding these questionnaires in the space below. **Thanks for your help!**