

CANCER SERVICE LEARNING REFLECTION PAPER

CORE LO 2. Contemplation - Engage in meaningful reflection

In this assignment you are asked to reflect upon the experience of service that involved directly helping individuals less fortunate than yourself. This contemplation should provide a new or deeper dimension of the service you performed. To assist you in this assignment, recall principles of concepts that have been introduced in other classes such as ethics, responsibility, faith, and principles of Catholic Social Teaching informed by the Franciscan Tradition.

Your paper should not exceed two pages, double-spaced, and in a 12 point font. Four parts to be developed are described in the rubric below for a maximum of 50 points.

ALLOTTED POINTS	PARTS OF THE REFLECTION PAPER	POINTS EARNED
10	<p>Part I: Recall and reflect upon the service (1/2 page) (LO 2.1 & 2.2) -Include a brief description of service including - what? when? where? why? -How did you feel about doing this service? energized, reluctant, happy, upset -How did someone less fortunate benefit from your act? -How did you benefit from your act?</p>	
10	<p>Part II: Connection to Genetics Concepts (1/2 page) (LO 2.1 & 2.3) -How did your personal experience connect with at least two distinct topics or concepts that you studied this semester? -Cite specific examples that support this connection.</p>	
10	<p>Part III: Insights about yourself, others less fortunate, God (1/2 page) (LO 2.4) -What insights did you gain about yourself during this course? -How do you now feel about social concern for others less fortunate in the community, particularly cancer patients? -Do you think that God may have been communicating anything to you through this experience? -What do you see as your role in serving others in the future? volunteer, healthcare professional (i.e. CLS, doctor, nurse, pharmacist, PA, PT, etc.), public health, genetic counseling, transport, researcher, teacher</p>	
10	<p>Part IV: Summarize the experience of doing this reflection (1/2 page) -What was it like for you to reflect upon this experience? -What would you do differently to improve this experience for yourself and others? -Would you be willing to devote more time to increasing cancer awareness and helping others to minimize risk by assisting with screening for early detection?</p>	
10	<p>Writing Style: grammar, topic sentence, supporting statements, sentence structure, spelling, proper use of pronouns, noun-verb agreement (singular=singular or plural=plural), followed instructions for paper format, no use of jargon, on due date</p>	
Total 50	Teacher comments:	

