

Western Student Learning Results (Program Outcomes) for 2012

Source: Student

of Grads: 13

Program: Respiratory Therapist

of Responses: 13

| Outcome | Yes | No | Unk | NA | Result | Feedback |
|---|------------|----|-----|----|--------|---|
| What did you like about this program? | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | Teachers were more than willing to give up part of their free time to help students understand certain concepts outside of the classroom hours |
| | | | | | Yes | I liked that we began with an overview of the entire program before really sectioning it out into the in-depth specific classes. It offered a base and also gave us an idea of what the program really entailed. The program structure of classroom lecture, on-hand labs, then clinicals to practice those new skills truly is the best format and works wonderfully. The instructors are wonderful, giving additional help where needed and even researching the answer to a question if they did not know the answer off-hand. |
| | | | | | Yes | I liked the teachers of this program they are amazing. There is so much material to cover and they are able to present it in a number of ways so everyone can understand. |
| | | | | | Yes | I liked the 1:1 with the instructors and outside attention where it was needed. When a question was not known, the instructor would get the answer and report it back in a timely matter. In addition, the knowledge and analogies the instructors provided assisted in my learning style. |
| | | | | | Yes | I loved all of the hands on experiences. It helped when applying what we learned in the classroom to what we were doing out at clinicals. |
| | | | | | Yes | All the hands on was very helpful |
| | | | | | Yes | That it was accelerated. Time was spent at clinical sites to reinforce skills learned in the lab. |
| | | | | | Yes | I learned a lot. Not just giving treatments, but interacting with patients and their families and doctors |
| | | | | | Yes | Very hands on, lots of great experience in the field |
| | | | | | Yes | I loved the teachers intusiasm for the subject. |
| What would you change about this program? | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | Better conflict resolution on the part of instructors. Can't do "team building" until you fix the "team"s communication problems. |
| | | | | | Yes | More organized lab time with teachers |
| | | | | | Yes | It would be nice if we had additional equipment or even newer equipment. At times it felt like it was rushed to get all the information taught in the time allotted. |
| | | | | | Yes | Maybe cover a little more of the basics (difference between CPAP, BiPAP, ventilators, and bronchial hygeine tools) before our first round of clinicals...there was a lot of confusion that first round. |
| | | | | | Yes | I would suggest spending less time on ECG subject matter and more time on equipment we will be utilizing in the field. |
| | | | | | Yes | Less clinical time at Mayo |
| | | | | | Yes | I would like there to be more equipment for the students to work with when they are learning in the lab. |

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| | | | | | Yes | Lab time needs to be more effective. It seemed like we rushed through check offs. if we had one more staff for check offs things would go more smoothly because when both teachers are with students, the rest of us couldn't get questions answered. |
| | | | | | Yes | I would like it to be longer, and take the time to really continue and learn the material. i felt it was a fast! we went through material fast, and some topics i felt like i didnt get anything out of it |
| | | | | | Yes | Warmer room! More time for certain sections (more on bipap/cpap) |
| | | | | | Yes | Having a set day that you and the instructor would do clinicals together! |
| | | | | | Yes | decrease the amount of physician contacts |
| Use effective communication skills. | 13 | 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | | | | | Yes | E-mail works well, texting also helps |
| | | | | | Yes | Very effective communication skills provided by both instructors not only during class time, but also by phone and e-mail. |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes I have. I am able to communicate properly with others. |
| | | | | | Yes | Email was a very helpful tool. |
| | | | | | Yes | N/A Already had previous training |
| | | | | | Yes | My communication skills have definitely improved. |
| Apply mathematical concepts. | 13 | 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes I feel confident with it |
| | | | | | Yes | Just to keep in mind that not all students in class have difficulty with math and give out the mathematical formula first, then help others who need further explanation |
| | | | | | Yes | Math has always been a difficult subject matter for me, but the instructors were able to break it down for me and explain it in understandable measures. |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes, I understood the math that was involved. |
| | | | | | Yes | I loved the math. it was easy and useful once you took the required math classes |
| | | | | | Yes | Teachers were more than willing to take extra time with students who had hard times with math and explained step by step in any way that was helpful to the specific student's learning ability |
| | | | | | Yes | My math skills improved! |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes. Particularly Susan's teaching of mathematical concepts. Very Good. |
| | | | | | Yes | I have learned how to do the math for my career. |
| Transfer social and natural science theories into practical applications. | 13 | 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes. Along with previous learning |
| Demonstrate ability to think critically. | 13 | 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| | | | | | Yes | Everyday in lab was critical thinking. You learn to fix problems, and adjust some things for treatments or settings on ventilators. |
| | | | | | Yes | I am better at critical thinking from going through this program. I look further into situations and can think them out better. |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes. Along with previous learning |

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| | | | | | Yes | The ability to critically think was practiced throughout this program and enforced by instructors. The instructors made us think outside of the box even when there seemed to be no other way. |
| | | | | | Yes | Being in this program really made us think critically all the time. |
| | | | | | Yes | Was given lots of opportunities to improve critical thinking skills! |
| | | | | | Yes | yep |
| Demonstrate ability to value self and work ethically with others in a diverse population. | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | Having the experience in clinicals allowed me to practice with a diverse population as well as observe the value of self and work ethically in the health care field. |
| | | | | | Yes | Was given lots of opportunities to work with different populations and am more well rounded because of it. |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes. Along with previous experience |
| Use technology effectively. | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | Technology was used effectively. |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes |
| | | | | | Yes | Technology is always changing, and you can never stop learning. In this program, you will always need to keep up with technology |
| Make decisions that incorporate the importance of sustainability | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | ?? |
| Apply advanced-level respiratory therapy concepts to patient care situations | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | Definitely learned so much and improved on my skills a lot! |
| | | | | | Yes | YES! |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes. |
| | | | | | Yes | Going from class room theories to applying it to patient care was beneficial. |
| Demonstrate technical proficiency required to fulfill the role of an advanced-level Respiratory Therapist | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | In time, yes. |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes! |
| Practice respiratory care according to established professional and ethical standards | 13 100.00% | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | | Yes | There are some things that you cannot change, but can act professional in those circumstances. |
| | | | | | Yes | Yes! |
| | | | | | Yes | I feel I am ready mentally ready to understand and apply my knowledge learned in the medical world as a respiratory therapist |
| | | | | | Yes | yes |
| Aggregate Assessment of Achievement | 156 100.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 0 | 0 | |