

Performance Based Questions
St. John's Riverside Hospital
Partnership with Charles E. Gorton High School and Westchester Community College

1. What is the purpose of the service(s)?

To provide hands-on practical experience in the Medical Health fields to students in the Yonkers Public Schools, Gorton High School P-Tech Program. The hospital staff and employees will provide on-site student support, lessons, demonstrations, and externships including nursing, first-aid, therapy, laboratory, imaging technology, health assisting, bio-medical engineering, access to student certification programs and medical career counseling.

2. Amount of service.

a. Number of hours (days, weeks, etc.) when the service is to be provided.

Potentially, each internship opportunity will be a minimum of 20 hours. These will be offered up to approximately 15-30 students over the course of two semesters. Incoming 9th graders will be limited to hospital regulations based on age requirement. Once the contract is in place, a schedule of core trips and shadowing will be set to accommodate the high school and hospital schedule.

b. Location

St. John's Riverside Hospital, 967 N Broadway, Yonkers, NY 10701

3. Who is served?

a. Students or staff?

Students primarily but also provides curriculum support to staff.

b. Contractor keeps the lists of names and provides to the District.

The schools will keep records of P-Tech students served by the program.

4. Who will provide the service?

St. John's Riverside Hospital staff, including nurses, doctors, medical technicians, etc. will be hosting students. The program is supervised by the Vice President of St. John's, and a Work Based Learning Coordinator from Gorton High School.

5. What will be communicated to District personnel, parents, community, and others about the progress and results of the services?

Gorton High School's P-Tech teaching staff will provide parents with a description of the full program including the hospital affiliation. This includes a description of opportunities for students. The hospital will provide a summary report at the end of each year in collaboration with the High School Liaison.

a. When will the communication take place?

At the onset of the school year and at the end of each school year.

b. In what form will the communication take place?

Teacher communication to parents and staff and the hospital report that will be made available to staff and parents.

6. How will the quality of the services be judged?

Hospital staff provides the district with a report of the work that has been accomplished with students including students who have successfully completed the program and/or students who have received various certifications. Staff will be asked to rate the relevance and appropriateness of student experiences related to the P-Tech Professional skills standards.

7. Person responsible for administering the contract?

Dr. Edwin Quezada, Superintendent of Yonkers Public Schools
William J. Shaggura, Interim Principal of Gorton High School
Cheray Burnett, Vice President of St. John's Riverside Hospital
Jeanette Kim, Assistant Dean of High School Partnerships, Westchester Community College

8. ARE THE SERVICES PURSUANT TO A GRANT AGREEMENT? IF YES, WHAT IS THE GRANT AND WHAT ARE THE GRANT REQUIREMENTS RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT?

Under the P-TECH Grant, of which St. John's Riverside Hospital is a state approved partner, the goal is to have students from Gorton HS complete their Associates degree in either Health Information Technology or Dietetic Technician within 6-years. Additional degree opportunities will be researched and explored. Articulation agreements will be developed with the partnering college to allow students to enroll in dual enrollment courses so that they can simultaneously earn high school and college credits. Students will train, learn, and complete their work-based learning and internship hours in the hospital setting. Being trained by the staff at St. John's Riverside Hospital will ensure first thought employment for our students at the completion of the six year program and upon successful graduation if a position becomes available.

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