PEMBERTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

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Course Rationale

Course Proposed by: Elisabeth McCartney

Course Title: Medical Arts Senior Research Project

Grade Level(s): 12th Grade Only

Credits: 5 Credits, AP Level Weighted

Pre-Requisites:

Highly Motivated Medical Arts Academy student who has received at least an A or High B in academy pathway courses and/or Instructor Approval

Rationale for Development of this Course:

This course is designed for selected Medical Arts Academy students, offering the opportunity to research and critically analyze medical or healthcare topics. Application of research and analysis will include a PowerPoint with Speaker Notes, poster display, paper, video or portfolio. Selection of final project topic and application method will be done in collaboration with a faculty member who will coordinate and establish agreed learning benchmarks during coursework. The focus of the project will include research data, impact on health and intervention strategies related to chosen topic. The student will integrate prevention measures, utilization of healthcare careers and resources, and patient care considerations.

Student will have an opportunity to present and discuss their project with other Medical Arts students, other student groups, or during off site school and/or Medical Arts Advisory Board Member events.

Approved by:	Nobles B. Valulak	
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