Ecumen Scenic Shores is conducting a survey for High School students - grades 11 and 12. We will be offering a course to provide these students with quality education on topics that not only interest them, but help prepare them to enter the workforce. The course will also inform students of the rewards and opportunities of working in a geriatric care setting.

A NAR or Nursing Assistant Registered starting salary is $13 per hour. Ecumen offers to pay for schooling for its employees. The class we are designing for High School students would be the first step in following this path, without any commitments. It would also allow students to get a feel for this field and if it is right for them.

The goal of this survey is to find what interests students and how we can best provide for them. This survey contains both closed and open-ended questions.

What are your current post-High School plans? (ex. Are you planning to attend college, which one? Are you planning to start a job, what kind?)

What concerns do you have about finding and/or starting a new job?

What would help you feel better prepared to enter the workforce?

If your employer offered to pay for your schooling, how interested would you be in that kind of company? Please circle one or list other.

Very Interested - I would prefer other benefits - Not Interested At All - Never Considered

Other:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How interested are you in a geriatric (aging/ senior/ older adults) care field? Please circle one.

Very Interested - Somewhat Interested - Not Very Interested - Not Interested At All - Never Considered

What elements of working in a senior care field worry you the most? (ex. Death, Disease, Illnesses, dementia, emotional)

Would you prefer a class that met every day for one week (class approx. 1 ½ hours) or would you prefer a class that met one day a week for 5-7 weeks (class approx. 1 hour)?

One week class - 5-7 week class

If you were considering a career in healthcare, what topics would you prefer to have covered prior to starting? (list as many as you like)

Please rate how interested you would be in learning more about the following topics: (Please circle your answer and feel free to explain your choices)

Heath Information Technology

Very Interested - Somewhat Interested - Not Very Interested - Not Interested At All - Never Considered

Positive Attitude and Self-Image

Very Interested - Somewhat Interested - Not Very Interested - Not Interested At All - Never Considered

Conflict Resolution

Very Interested - Somewhat Interested - Not Very Interested - Not Interested At All - Never Considered

Generations in the Workplace

Very Interested - Somewhat Interested - Not Very Interested - Not Interested At All - Never Considered

The Biology of Aging

Very Interested - Somewhat Interested - Not Very Interested - Not Interested At All - Never Considered

Dementia

Very Interested - Somewhat Interested - Not Very Interested - Not Interested At All - Never Considered