

RADY 5024- Professional Issues for Sonographers

Assignment: SONOCASTs plus peer assessments

This assignment contributes to 30% of the course grade

This is made up of two parts:

1. The podcast – One podcast of 5-7 minutes length -submitted as a team. Students will be allocated to teams after census date and will have discussions within their groups and complete their One Page Summaries for Module 3 onwards while simultaneously working on their SONOCASTS. Teams with team members will be announced through the Announcement' forum.
2. Peer assessments on teamwork-submitted by each member of the team individually.
3. Students will need to work together as a team to develop an audio or video podcast. They can choose any subtopics within the modules outlined as below:
 - Working safely and for longevity
 - Developing and working to protocols
 - Patient as the focus
 - Communication, cultural safety, diversity, and inclusivity
 - Moral, ethical and legal issues in healthcare
4. Audience for the podcast- It could be a podcast for patients/ professionals on a procedure, a health concern, interacting with your patients.
5. To make it more engaging, students could include some reflections or personal stories, or recommendations to generate more ideas about what's the issue.

More details and examples are available on the course learnonline site.

Peer assessments task:

As part of their assessment, students must assess each of the members of your team. They will use the peer assessment scoring matrix, provide a score and constructive feedback. All peer assessments will be submitted online, anonymised and feedback sent to students.