Hello Everyone,

Wow...this is already the middle of May. Time sure did go by quickly. In a few weeks school will be over and summer will be here in no time...that is if the weather would co-operate right?! © I know that these last few months have not been anything like we would have planned however, we are still all here and able to be together even though things have changed drastically for most of us. But, change is good and being able to change and adapt to new things is what we all have to learn in order to be able to be successful in this world, even when the virus is no longer a threat to us. As you have noticed when you did Assignment Week 2, the character and dedication the healthcare teams have to possess in order to do their jobs and save lives is a difficult task. They have to be able to perform and function efficiently, meaning they have to be able to do it well, even in times of great change and be able to adapt to the multitude of changes required of them throughout each shift and work day...as do we as students and teachers. The things we have to do now to complete our work, both students and teachers, is much different than it had been and requires us to have to learn new ways to apply ourselves and use our time to be effective learners and teachers. It is necessary for us all to be dedicated and complete our assignments, teachers have assignments too...lol, in order for us all to get through this together. That being said, I have yet to receive everyone's assignments for the last few weeks and it is getting close to the end of the year. Please get your assignments in to me! It is important that you do so for your grade and so you can pass the class!!! If you are having trouble or need any assistance with this class or anything else please contact me: email-CBray2@mckasd.net or text me (412) 316-7297. I am here for each of you and willing to help.

<u>Assignment week 5:</u> Watch Measuring Pulse and Respirations (4:37) on YouTube. Measure the radial pulse and respirations on 5 people you know. Tell me who they were and what their rates were for both. Was their pulse bounding, thready, regular or irregular? Was their respirations shallow, deep or fast?

Assignment week 6: Write a paragraph describing how the Corona virus has impacted your life. Has it changed anything in your life? If so what and how? Is learning more difficult now? If so how? Are you comfortable using the Edmenum program and doing your work on it? Why or why not? What would make it a better learning experience for you?

I miss you all!!! Stay Safe! Wear your mask and practice social distancing!