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TO: Parents/Guardians of USD#297 9-12 Grade Students

FROM: Mila Bandel, RN County Health Nurse

SUBJECT: Job Shadowing at the Cheyenne County Hospital/Clinic/Health Department

The Cheyenne County Hospital/Clinic/Health Department would like to begin a student shadowing program for high school students interested in pursuing a post-secondary education degree in the field of healthcare. The goal of our program is to provide experiential learning opportunities regarding health careers and skills that different occupations require.

During a shadowing experience, you child will have the opportunity to see, firsthand, the healthcare workplace and the day-to-day work of professionals in the healthcare field. The students will have an opportunity to ask questions such as: educational path and degree requirements; types of skills required for the occupation; what's a typical day; and overview of the job and share career advice and tips on work/life balance. Job shadowing is an opportunity to gain valuable exposure to a career students are interested in pursuing following graduation.

Through the health care setting we have job shadowing available in the following Cheyenne County Hospital/Clinic/Health Department career fields;

Nursing

Doctor

• Nurse Practitioner

• Physician Assistant

Laboratory

Radiology

* Physical Therapy

* Respiratory Therapy

* Medical Records

* Business Management

* Administration

If your child is interested in job shadowing in the healthcare setting, please contact USD#297 School Counselor, Janell Pottorff at 785-332-8153 to get signed up. The job shadowing time frame can be done at the convenience of the student. Thank you for your cooperation.

