QUAL 370 – Quality Assurance and Control

Discussion Board 1: Resource Management and Quality Assurance Instructions

(15% of course mark)

Due Date: Refer to Course Schedule

Objective: 2.5 – Discuss the performance of an imaging department as is relates to a qualityassurance program.

Purpose

The discussion board activities are designed to provide you with opportunities to demonstrate your learning in practical ways and to learn from other students in the course. This discussion will allow you to compare the Quality Assurance programs and resource management practices within various healthcare sites.

Expectations

- Submit one original post to the forum.
- Review your colleagues' answers and respond to two other postings. Maximum of two responses per posting.
- Please ensure that your postings are concise (150 words or less) and relevant.

Instructions

1. Create a new post:
    - Review the QA documentation and resource management practices at your clinical siteand speak with your preceptor(s) to help you answer the following questions.
        i. What do the documentation/records or logbooks look like? (1 mark)
        ii. Who is responsible for QA at your site? (1 mark)
        iii. Who performs resource management at your clinical site? (1 mark)
        iv. Describe 2 examples of resource management practices at your site (2 marks)
            - Example: supplies, staffing (scheduling of areas/shifts), etc.

2. Review and respond to postings from your classmates. Remember, maximum of two responses/post.
    - Note any differences or similarities to your site. (2 marks)

Grading Criteria	Grade
Documentation	/1
Responsible person QA	/1
Resource Management	/1
Examples of resource management practices	/2
Offered collegial feedback to 2 postings	/2
Postings are concise (<150 words)	/1
Total	/8