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Scrub Club is Engaged in Cengage

On March 6, 2014, eighteen Dover High School Scrub Club members engaged in Cengage Learning Lab, a digital, interactive healthcare career exploration program designed to teach students about various health occupations through a virtual hospital tour.

Using video simulations that follow a young, seriously injured patient from accident scene to home care, the engaging video offers a visual glimpse of the healthcare professionals' role in the care of the patient with basic information such as duties and responsibilities, career attributes, and educational/certification requirements. The Scrub Club students were introduced to 31 primary care careers and various additional related health careers. These careers include every level of education and various salary ranges.

“Cengage is an excellent educational tool because students become immersed in the storyline, which gives them a first-hand view of the occupational duties, responsibilities, and requirements of various health careers.” stated Kathryn Reed, Executive Director of Catskill Hudson AHEC. “It’s a very good prelude to what could possibly be a future health career for these students.”

The Cengage Learning Lab program was made possible to the Dover High School Scrub Club through a grant provided to Catskill Hudson AHEC by the Eastern Dutchess Rural Health Network under the auspices of Hudson River Health Care.

Catskill Hudson AHEC is an affiliate of Cengage Learning and is a non-profit organization devoted to improving the quality, geographic distribution and retention of healthcare professionals and stimulating interest in health professions careers through innovative programs across its 11-county service area.

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