



Real World Problem Scenario

Scenario:	Patient Accommodation
Business:	Marietta Memorial Hospital
Business Participant:	Donna Melick
Career Cluster(s):	Health Science, Business Management and Administration, Human Services
Grade Level:	4-5
Standards & Skills:	Civic Participation and Skills: Individuals can better understand public issues by gathering and interpreting information from multiple sources The choices people make have both present and future consequences

Problem Description:

On Saturday afternoon, a tour bus carrying 50 senior citizens going from Columbus to Charleston WV crashed, rolled 2 times, then came to a rest on its side. All 50 passengers are transported to the nearest hospital. How will the hospital accommodate this rapid influx of patients?

Things to be considered or defined for the solution:

- The ER has only 20 beds
- There is no other hospital within 30 miles
- Senior citizens typically have multiple medical conditions