

Review the assigned Zerwekh reading along with this power point. Your assignment is to discuss (2-3 paragraphs) the highest level of nursing education you are planning to complete and why. Place your completed assignment in the Unit 3: Z- Chapter 6 Dropbox by 2/9/2023 at 0800.

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Z Chapter 6

The highest level of nursing education I am currently planning on completing is a BSN. A bachelor's degree has been a goal of mine for a few years now. I was originally going to college in Cincinnati right out of high school, without a plan for the future and a lot of unfortunate things happening in my life. With the death of my dad while I was away in college, it led me to a very depressed state and I ended up dropping out. Becoming a surgical technologist was a completely random career choice that a friend's mom recommended to me, but it opened up my world to working in healthcare. I am the first to admit that I never knew how knowledgeable nurses were and how amazing their work is. Working around nurses sparked life back in me again, and I knew I had a goal now to become a nurse, further my education, and obtain the bachelor's degree I wish I had finished when I was younger.

I have also learned that most hospitals require nurses to have bachelor's degrees, or have to agree to obtain their bachelor's degree within X amount of years of their hire date. If I ever choose to venture off from Fireland's Health, I think it would be important to have a bachelor's degree to set myself apart from other applicants, or to meet all application requirements.

Working with surgical technology students in my current career, and being a student, I have also learned that I love education in general. When I am precepting a student, I love to teach them everything I know, explain things to them thoroughly, and answer any questions they may have to help build their confidence, and make them feel like they have left the day learning something new. Being a student, I am always interested in why things are done a certain way, contraindications, what is the most up-to-date practice, and desired results for certain interventions. This makes me feel like if I ever chose to further my education past a BSN, that I may choose a nursing education MSN.