PTA 222 Professional Interactions

Essay

**The Patient’s Story**

Essay to be completed in class during a one-hour time frame. Your story will be based on your outline.

Body-what happened in therapy session, what is the patient’s view

Conclusion-summarize, or predict the patient’s thoughts and feelings

**Written in first person** (you will be using the word “I”). You will write as if you are the patient. Think of a patient that impressed you during your clinical experience.

Grading:

**Outline:** completed prior to class, well thought out, organized, complete thoughts 20 points

**Essay:**

Introduction comments: making the patient seem real 20 points

Content: colorful and descriptive narration, complete sentences 20 points

Conclusion: describe status of the patient after therapy intervention 20 points

Neat and Timely: all aspects will be turned in on time 20 points =

100 points