Week 2: Important Aspects of Project Management (graded)

Reflect on projects that you have been involved in during your career or in everyday life. We have all been involved in projects such as buying a house, renting an apartment, remodeling, and so on. You may also have participated in projects at work, such as workload assessments, initiating an electronic health record, or even pursuing a major capital project such as building a new unit or facility.

What do you feel is the most important aspect of project management to ensure a successful project? Provide a rationale for your answer.

Hello class,

Communication is crucial for any team, project, or task. Communication is defined as the collaborative work of people to achieve a goal. It is how the stakeholders understand the project, its affect, and their responsibility in the project (Plowman & Diffendal, 2020). The goal of effective communication is a clear exchange of information between parties. Communication encompasses every aspect of the project from the planning through completion. Effective communication among the many teams, collaboratively and collectively, needs clarity to build trusting relationships, promote engagement, and respect. Engagement promotes critical thinking and promotes group solutions (Merlin, Lavoie, & Gallagher, 2020). Detail forms of communication-verbal, written, visual- assist to ensure clarity while reducing duplication and mistakes. All of these factors can increase the cost and resources jeopardizing quality and efficiency. This communication must be -bi-directional and multi-directional along with a provision for team feedback. All forms of communication can be used to reach every audience attaining greater compliance with project schedules, tasks, and timelines.