Information for question 3

A major book that influenced my life was “The Purpose Driven Life” by Rick Warren. Before reading this book, I did not think there was much to do as a Christian. However, after reading the book I realized that God created us for a reason, a purpose, and we were to fulfill that purpose. It was after this book that I knew that a health care field was the right direction for me. By planning to work as a health care administrator, I want to make sure that hospitals not only focus on the financial gains from a patient, but truly create a hospital that puts the quality and care of a patient as its priority. I also want to change our health care system so that those living under the poverty line or in marginalized communities all have equal access to health care regardless of their financial status. My purpose is to use the knowledge I learned from college to be able to make a difference in God’s world.

Information for question 4

Top Five Strenghts Insight Report (**This is taken from an insights report so it cannot be plagiarized! Paraphrase is fine)**

1. Harmony

Chances are good that you accomplish everything that others are counting on you to do. This is one reason why people admire you. Because of your strengths, you are happy to do exactly what is assigned to you, as long as you sense you are not being asked to carry more than your fair share of the workload. Checking those tasks off your list brings you much pleasure, and it helps you get along with others who notice your close attention to the work required of you. Instinctively, you occasionally turn to others for help if unexpected problems threaten a project. You may concentrate on producing first-rate and accurate outcomes. You might think it is foolhardy to try to do everything by yourself. Occasionally you know it is impractical to shut out those who have the knowledge, skills, and talent you need to get through difficult times. Perhaps you have seen certain individuals discover and appreciate one another’s special gifts as they moved toward a common goal in a spirit of cooperation. It’s very likely that you might engage some individuals in friendly and matter-of-fact conversations when the situation demands it. Perhaps being uniformly sociable and responsive to certain types of people is practical in your opinion. By nature, you are willing to work with your coworkers, classmates, teammates, family members, and friends. You realize everyone sees opportunities, problems, solutions, and events differently. While you have opinions, you refrain from imposing them on others. You are good-natured — that is, you have a pleasant, cheerful, and cooperative disposition

1. Restorative

People who are especially talented in the Restorative theme are adept at dealing with problems. They are good at figuring out what is wrong and resolving it.Driven by your talents, you yearn to be held in high esteem. You want people to regard you as trustworthy, competent, and accomplished. You probably entertain ideas about doing things so much better that these individuals have to notice. Chances are good that you naturally consider what you can accomplish in the coming weeks, months, years, or decades. You usually get more done when you have goals. Pondering what you can upgrade, enhance, or perfect motivates you to excel at higher levels than you have in the past. Because of your strengths, you may be a solo performer. You might feel like you make better progress when you follow specific self-improvement programs. Maybe you are determined to overcome a few of your shortcomings on your own. It’s very likely that you identify skill deficiencies, knowledge gaps, or performance shortcomings. These usually capture your attention. Having discovered these problems, you are determined to conquer them. You probably say you can do anything you decide to do as long as you apply yourself. By nature, you give your full attention to performing and thinking about one task at a time. When you discover something you want to perfect or do better, you dedicate your mental and physical energy to it

1. Includer

By nature, you welcome others as they are. You strive to create a pleasant environment where most individuals feel comfortable. Being appreciated is important to you. You work hard to create a climate of mutual respect and support. Finding the good in people is quite satisfying to you. Knowing others recognize your finest characteristics, contributions, and talents gives you pleasure. It’s very likely that you are acutely aware of what it feels like not to belong. You probably understand the sensations that accompany not being accepted. You regularly go out of your way to welcome individuals whom others ignore. Because of your strengths, you gravitate to situations where you will be in the company of others. You are much less inclined to be solitary or a loner. Instinctively, you are more sensitive than most people to what it feels like to be left out of a group, a conversation, or an activity. This is apt to explain why you intentionally invite a wide range of individuals into your circle of friends, family, or acquaintances. Chances are good that you usually prefer to partner with others to accomplish things rather than work alone. This explains why you welcome a wide range of personalities into your life.

1. Futuristic

Chances are good that you may design forward-looking plans for a specific aspect of your life, such as investments, entrepreneurial ventures, education, vacations, or retirement. Instinctively, you may channel some of your mental and physical energies toward what you might accomplish in the coming months, years, or decades. Sometimes you may ask yourself, “How far into the future can I think before some of my ideas start becoming vague or uninspiring?” Driven by your talents, you invest considerable time creating the future of your own choosing. You frequently share your ideas about what will be possible in the coming months, years, and decades. You probably capture people’s attention whenever you describe in vivid detail what you imagine. It’s very likely that you sense your life has deep meaning. With remarkable vividness, you often imagine where you will be, what you will be doing, and what you have the ability to accomplish in the coming months, years, or decades. Your dreams of tomorrow are very alive in your mind today. You intentionally strive to transform these possibilities into reality. By nature, you might channel some of your energy toward what you can accomplish in the coming months, years, or decades. Periodically your mind churns out new and inventive ways of reaching your desired goals. You may risk becoming bored or delivering a lackluster performance when you are forced to adhere to a predetermined process, a tried-and-tested procedure, or a traditional method. Once in a while, you hear yourself pleading, “But, if we only did it this way, it would be a bit better.”

1. Communication

By nature, you occasionally feel comfortable telling certain individuals stories about your personal habits, qualities, experiences, or background. Your forthcoming nature might enable some people to share their thoughts and feelings with you. Because of your strengths, you very much enjoy the animated give-and-take of a lively discussion. Instinctively, you are sometimes open and honest about who you are, what you have done, what you can do, and what you cannot do. Maybe your straightforward explanations and stories help listeners see you as you see yourself. You might reveal your strengths and limitations. You might choose to be forthright and plainspoken. This partially explains why various people seek your company and want to work with you. Perhaps your words and examples move them to action. It’s very likely that you have a gift for engaging people in group conversations. You also are an active participant. Your upbeat attitude energizes the dialogue. You acknowledge the ideas people share. You reinforce the value of what they say. Consequently, many people become even more willing to reveal their thoughts and feelings. Driven by your talents, you rely on the diverse viewpoints of your teammates to spark conversations that produce exciting ideas. You agree that “The whole is greater than the sum of its parts.” When everyone asks questions, offers solutions, describes situations, and raises issues, the group’s collective intelligence far exceeds that of any single person