

## **HEALTHCARE DEAN SAMPLE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS**

- 1. Could you please describe your previous administrative experience and how it has prepared you for the role of a Dean?
- 2. Can you give an example of a time you demonstrated leadership in a challenging situation in an academic setting?
- 3. How do you see the role of a Dean in facilitating collaboration between various departments in a healthcare college?
- 4. Can you describe your experience with strategic planning and implementation in an educational context?
- 5. How would you foster a diverse and inclusive environment within the college?
- 6. How do you approach conflict resolution, particularly among faculty or staff, and can you provide an example of a situation you successfully mediated?
- 7. Can you describe a situation where you had to make a difficult decision that was in the best interest of the institution, even if it was not the most popular choice?
- 8. How have you handled budgeting and resource allocation in your previous roles, especially under financial constraints?
- 9. How do you envision connecting the college to the wider healthcare community and developing partnerships for internships, research, and employment opportunities?
- 10. What strategies have you used to maintain high academic standards and ensure the quality of education in previous roles?
- 11. How do you view the role of technology in healthcare education, and how have you worked to implement new educational technologies in your past roles?
- 12. How would you approach faculty development and support to ensure they are prepared to meet the demands of their roles?
- 13. Can you give an example of a time you successfully led a change initiative within an institution?
- 14. Can you describe how you would handle a situation where the interests of the faculty and the administration seem to conflict?
- 15. How have you navigated accreditation processes in your past roles, and how would you approach it here?
- 16. How would you handle a situation where the college was receiving negative press or public criticism?
- 17. Can you talk about your experience in fundraising and developing relationships with donors and alumni?
- 18. What strategies would you implement to improve student retention and success rates inour healthcare programs?
- 19. Can you describe your approach to managing and supporting research activities within the college?
- 20. How do you see the role of the Dean in setting the vision and direction for the college, and what is your vision for our institution?