

## Re: disorderly transcription

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((I worked for an entity where the work was "assigned" ))

Oh, does that bring back memories. When I worked at the hospital, another MT became our temporary supervisor due to the illness of our regular one. Well, this MT decided to "assign" our work. Since it was by the minute, she gave each of us 60 minutes to transcribe on our shift. When that was done, we would supposed to come back for more.

There were two of us who worked the swing shift. We were the most productive and finished those 60 minutes easily and needed more. However, by this time our MT supervisor had long gone home so at this point we went back to the way we always had done the work, taking the next one to pop up in the queue.

Our MT supervisor discovered that some of the day shift people didn't finished their 60 minutes. This meant that some of the critical jobs that we couldn't get to because they had been "assigned" to someone else weren't done until the day shift got to them the next morning. This made them late getting into the charts.

She stopped assigning the work by the end of the week. LOL

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