

## SPENT PowerPoint Presentation

### Simulation Instructions and Worksheet

1. The Center for Engaged Learning is running an IRB-approved study to evaluate SPENT as a teaching tool. The study asks participants to take a Pre-Test before completing the SPENT activity and a Post-Test after completing SPENT.



If you would like to participate, please use the following link or scan the QR code to take the **Pre-Test**.

[https://merceruniversity.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_a30BRLjFIZRPqoB](https://merceruniversity.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_a30BRLjFIZRPqoB)

2. Using a computer or tablet, go to <http://www.playspent.org>.
3. Follow the prompts on the screen to complete the simulation. As you move through the simulation, record the following details about your experience:
  - a. Which job did you choose, and why?
  - b. Did you purchase health insurance?
  - c. What did you buy at the grocery store, and how many of each item? What was the total cost?
  - d. Write down any choices you had to make that surprised you or were things you haven't considered before.
4. When you have finished the simulation, you can sit quietly or complete the optional SPENT **Post-Test** by using the following link or scanning the QR code.



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