BIOMED – Realistic Impact Rubric

| Course: | Date: | |
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| Student(s): | | |

| | 3 - Excellent | 2 - Good | 1 - Adequate | 0 - Inadequate |
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| For All Realistic Constraints: | Analysis correctly reasons how the design is constrained and provides sufficient, in-depth discussion in a clear and easy to follow manner. | Analysis correctly reasons how the design is constrained but provides only a cursory discussion. | Analysis contains a mixture of correct and incorrect reasoning as to how the design is constrained. | Analysis incorrectly reasons how the design is constrained. |

| Impact | Pertinent Questions | Applicable? | | Score | | | |
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| Economic | What are the development costs?What are the production costs?What are the operational costs? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Environmental | What valuable resources are being used? Is pollution being produced as a result of production and/or use of the product? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Sustainability | To what degree over time will the product be useful and viable? Can the resources associated with the product be used effectively in a sustainable economy? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Manufacturability | Can the product be built? How can the product be designed to eliminate manufacturing errors? How can the product be designed to minimize manufacturing costs? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Ethical | Are there any foreseen potential conflicts with a profession's Code of Ethics arising from the development or use of the product? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Health and Safety | Are there any laws that determine how safe this product has to be? Are there related ethical issues? Are there relevant health effects that are affected by this product? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Social | What anticipated impacts will the product have within a community? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Political | Is the project being conducted for a governmental entity? Is the project being regulated, or being proposed for regulation, by a governmental entity? | Yes | No | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |

Total Possible Points = 24

Comments: