Heredity or Qualification?

Activity 2:

Please go through the below instance and state whether you would agree with the arguments presented and justify your answer.

The ambulance rushed on to Verma Hospital with the emergency lights and the siren on! Mr.Kumar had complained of chest pain and when his son brought in the family physician, he immediately diagnosed it to be a massive heart attack and referred for admission to the Super-Speciality Verma Hospital.

As the patient was shifted from the ambulance and the duty doctor checked on him, it was advised to perform an emergency open heart surgery immediately. Not wasting much time, the Operation Theatre was readied and Mr.Kumar was rushed into OT for the surgery. The OT staff made all the pre-operative procedures and awaited the arrival of senior cardiac surgeon Dr.Verma to perform the surgery.

However everyone was taken aback as Sanjay Verma, son of Dr.Verma casually walked into the OT and got ready to perform the surgery. The OT staff immediately stopped Sanjay, saying that anyone other than the medical staff and the surgeon were not allowed into the OT.

Unfazed Sanjay explained, "Oh dad is on a vacation now. I didn't want to disturb him. So I have come to perform this surgery on his behalf. After all I am his son, so I have all the intelligence he possesses. I will competently handle the case. Don't worry!"

The panicky staff protested, "But Sanjay Sir, you are no Doctor, not even a MBBS student, let alone a surgeon! You are studying to be a Chartered accountant! You may be smart, but how does that help to cure a person as you are with no medical qualification? Please desist from this madness."

Irked by the staff's remarks Sanjay retorted, "How dare you question ME!? This is my Dad's hospital! And I am his son! That qualification is enough for me to treat, prescribe or even perform surgery! How dare you stop me from executing MY BIRTHRIGHT!? I will dismiss you from the hospital!"

The staff resigned it to the patient's fate! Chaos reigned!

Group Discussion: *Nominate a member from your group to state whether you would agree with the argument presented and justify your answer.*