

Put It Into Action

This project is your opportunity to dive deeply into one of the topics explored in class, and a chance to find out more about an issue that is important to you.

You will select a topic within one of areas of protected rights listed in the Ontario Human Rights Code, which includes the following:

- Age
- Ancestry, colour, race
- Citizenship
- Ethnic origin
- Place of origin
- Creed
- Disability
- Family status
- Marital status (including single status)
- Gender identity, gender expression
- Receipt of public assistance (welfare/unemployment, use of food banks, social housing, etc.)
- Record of offences (in employment only)
- Sex (including pregnancy and breastfeeding)
- Sexual orientation

Success Criteria

This will be an 8-10 page (double spaced) RESEARCH paper. As such, you must keep track of your sources so you can cite factual information, as well as to create a comprehensive bibliography. Your paper should conform to APA guidelines for format, citations and bibliography.

Your paper should include:

- 1) A summary of the issue in a Canadian context, including relevant rights and protections
- 2) A history of conflicts and events tied to your chosen rights area.
- 3) The significance/interactions of the issue to social institutions in Canada (government/law, business/economy, health system, education, religion and/or others of your choosing).

4) Any positive actions/movements of the issue with examples/evidence from your research.

Review the rubric carefully to make sure you included all the necessary components to make your paper the best it can be. As always, please message me directly if you have any questions about completing the assignment.