

Project Assignment

Type: Short paper

Total length: 1250-1750 words

Paper Format: MLA¹

File Format: PDF or doc(x)

Submission: Moodle assignment

Due date: **Dec 8, 2020 at 23:59PM**; Dec 10, 2020 at 23:59PM (**10% penalty**); Dec 11, 2020 at 23:59PM (**20% penalty**)

The paper must address/contain the following:

- (1) Provide an up-to-date brief on the health care system in the U.S.
- (2) State your position/perspective on whether you consider the health care system in the U.S. to be effective (in terms of health outcomes), efficient (in terms of cost), and fair (in terms of providing effective and affordable health care for every citizen).
This portion of the paper will be graded based on the rubric below:

Grade	A	B	C	D
Student's position/perspective	Specific position/perspective is imaginative, taking into account the complexities of an issue. Limits of position/perspective are acknowledged. Others' points of view are synthesized within position/perspective.	Specific position/perspective takes into account the complexities of an issue. Others' points of view are acknowledged within position/perspective.	Specific position/perspective acknowledges different sides of an issue.	Specific position/perspective is stated, but is simplistic and obvious.

- (3) Propose a market-oriented solution that, in your opinion, would do most good to improve the fairness of the health care system (i.e. providing effective and affordable health care for every citizen).
- (4) The paper must have an effective introduction and a conclusion that is logically tied to the information provided.
- (5) Make sure to include a References page and to proofread your work. Plagiarism (the unacknowledged use of the work of others as if this were your own original work) will not be tolerated.

¹ https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/mla_style/mla_style_introduction.html