

## Discussion Board Guidelines

Initial posts should be between 200 and 400 words with at least 2 references. References should be cited in APA format. Peer responses should be at least 100 words and any new information will need to be cited. Please complete your posts in your word processing program and then copy and post them into the discussion forum to avoid being timed out and losing your work. Ensure posts contain substantial and concise information. All posts should be checked for spelling and grammar. Active participation is required at least 3 times per week. Initial posts are due Wednesday by 2359 and 2 responses to your peers are due Sunday by 2359.