

## N432 Clinical Cultural Report and grading rubric

### Objectives:

- Describe cultural and ethnic characteristics that influence health care
- Identify factors that could affect the interaction of the nurse and the client in terms of culturally different health care values
- Discuss ways to provide culturally sensitive care in the Maternal/child setting

### Assignment

- Choose a culture to research that you can observe in the local community. Work with your clinical group to have each person pick a different culture.
- Use your book, the internet, and other scholarly resources to research the health beliefs and practices of the culture you choose.
- Write a 1-page report on what you found, providing specific tips for patient care on the Mother/Baby and Labor & Delivery units
- Present a 5-minute oral report during post conference on the date assigned in the syllabus.
- Submit the written report including the references you used for your report in APA format to the drop box by the assigned date/time in your syllabus.

### Guidance for your report

1. Description of the culture
  - Accurately describe the local prevalence of people in this ethnic group/culture
2. Discuss the core values of the culture chosen according to the following criteria.
  - Religion
    - o Describe the religious beliefs of the ethnic group/culture you've chosen
    - o Identify how these relate to health care, i.e. are male providers OK for female patients?
  - Healing beliefs and practices
    - o How is pain and suffering viewed by people of this culture?
    - o Are there any special practices related to labor, delivery, and/or the postpartum period?
  - Family life
    - o What is the common structure of the family in this culture?
    - o What is the role of elders? Live with the family? Respected/not respected?
  - Communication
    - o What is the norm for this culture? Are females allowed to speak to strangers, or do their husbands speak for them?
    - o Verbal and nonverbal communication norms
  - Diet
    - o Describe the significance of food for members of this culture. Are certain foods eaten after the birth of a child?
    - o How could culturally specific diet requirements impact hospitalization?

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Student name:

	<b>10 points</b>	<b>5 points</b>	<b>0 points</b>	<b>Points</b>
Description of the culture 1. Accurately describes the local prevalence of people in this ethnic group/culture	Includes complete information regarding the culture.	1-2 of the key components are not filled in correctly.	3 or more of the key components are not filled in correctly and therefore no points were awarded for this section	
	<b>10 points</b>	<b>5 points</b>	<b>0 points</b>	<b>Points</b>
Discusses the core values of the culture chosen. 1. Describes the religious beliefs of the ethnic group/culture. 2. Describes how pain and suffering is viewed by people of this culture. 3. Describes the common structure of the family in the culture. 4. Describes communication norms for the culture 5. Describes dietary routines of the culture	Includes complete information regarding the culture. Each section is filled out appropriately.	1-2 of the key components is missing detailed information.	3 or more of the key components are not filled in correctly	
	<b>10 points</b>	<b>5 point</b>	<b>0 points</b>	<b>Points</b>

Discusses the implications of these core values on health care including the childbearing experience.	Includes complete information regarding the implications of these core values on healthcare including the childbearing experience.	1-2 of the key components are missing.	No implications of these core values on health care and the childbearing experience is included.	
	<b>10 points</b>	<b>5 point</b>	<b>0 points</b>	<b>Points</b>
Provide at least three tips/suggestions/interventions your fellow students can use when working with patients of the culture you chose.	Includes at least three tips/suggestions/interventions for fellow students to use when working with the clients of the culture chosen.	1-2 of the key components are missing.	No tips/suggestions/interventions for fellow students to use when working with the clients of the culture chosen are included.	
<b>Written report and overall APA format</b>	<b>5 Points</b>	<b>2.5 Points</b>	<b>0 Points</b>	<b>Points</b>
<b>Written report</b>  <b>APA Format</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The student used appropriate APA in text citations and listed all appropriate references in APA format.</li> <li>Source(s) utilized should be 5 or less years old. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Source(s) greater than 5 years old will not be accepted.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Professional writing style and grammar</li> </ul>	Written report with at least two appropriate references submitted to the drop box by the date/time assigned  APA format was completed and appropriate. Grammar and spelling were professional and without errors	Written report with at least two appropriate references submitted to the drop box by the date/time assigned but while APA format was used, it was not correct with 1-2 errors noted. 1-2 grammar errors or overall poor writing style was used. Content was difficult to understand.	Written report not submitted to the drop box by the date/time assigned or no APA format or 3 or more errors noted. Source(s) utilized were greater than 5 years old. Grammar or writing style did not demonstrate collegiate level writing with 3 or more errors noted.	

was used in all narrative sections.				
<b>Instructor Comments:</b>				
<b>Total Points Awarded</b>	<b>/50</b>			

Grading rubric (Must achieve 77% i.e. 38.5 points to pass. Not passing constitutes failure of clinical and the course.)