**Nursing Policy Analysis and Professional Email Assignment**

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Minnesota State University Moorhead

NURS 464: Nursing Leadership II

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Due Date

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Your introductory paragraph goes here. The introduction is a one paragraph overview of the paper. It should include: A strong, clear, thesis statement, clear, concise statements of the subject and purpose of the paper.

**Social Determinants of Health Objective**

Review the [Social Determinants of Health](https://health.gov/healthypeople/objectives-and-data/social-determinants-health) and select one objective from one of the determinants.Which objective you chose? Why did you choose this objective? Provide an overview of the objective. What are the roles and responsibilities of the regulatory agencies and their effect on patient care quality, workplace safety, and the scope of nursing and other health professionals’ practice related to this objective?

**Overview** **of Policy**

After selecting the objective that interests you research and identify local, state, and federal policy that addresses that objective. What resources did you use in your research?What did you find in your research? What trends are impacting nursing care delivery related to this objective?

**Chosen Policy**

From the list of policies researched, select one policy to complete an in-depth analysis on. What policy did you choose? Why did you choose this policy?

**Analysis of Chosen Policy**

Provide a clear and concise overview of your chosen policy. When was the policy originally enacted? What changes (if any) have been made to the policy since its origination?

What measurable outcomes are stated in the policy-if any? What are the financial implications of the policy? Consider the patient and system cost factors.

Is the policy current and fit the issue? Does it need to be updated/modified?

**Advocacy for Policy Change**

Examine legislative and regulatory processes relevant to the provision of healthcare. What are some ways you can participate as a nursing professional in political processes and grass roots legislative efforts to influence healthcare policy?

Write a letter to a state, local, or federal policy maker advocating for needed policy change. Send the letter to the policy maker. Reflect on what you did in this process to prepare and send the letter. Include the letter sent as an appendix to this paper

**Conclusion**

Wrap up your thoughts and conclude the paper, synthesizing the class materials, Show how it all fit together. Please see this reference for further support <http://writingcenter.unc.edu/handouts/conclusions/>

**References**

Please refer to your APA Manual 7th ed. and [APA 7th ed. Style Guides](https://apastyle.apa.org/). Students must integrate at least three references into body of paper, cite these reference in their paper, and include full reference on the reference page here.

**Appendix**

[Please insert email sent to state, local, or federal policy maker advocating for needed change as an appendix to the paper]