## ASSESSMENT GUIDELINE

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### Marking Criteria
Guidelines should be read in conjunction with the marking criteria guidance for the module level* noted above: [http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/markgrid/](http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/markgrid/)

### Confidentiality
It is a breach of confidentiality to disclose any personal information about a patient, service user, colleague, staff or any other person or place that could in principle enable them to be identified. For further guidance please refer to the departmental policy on Confidentiality at the following link: [www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/conduct/confidentiality/](http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/exam-assess/conduct/confidentiality/)

### Assessment Timing
The deadline for correctly presenting a submission is 4.30pm on the published submission date. The submission deadline is published on the Programme Assessment Schedule available on the following link: [http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/timetables/assessment-schedules/](http://www.york.ac.uk/healthsciences/student-intranet/timetables/assessment-schedules/)

### Referencing
You must reference your work in accordance with departmental referencing guidelines which you can access via the following link: [http://www.york.ac.uk/integrity/harvard.html](http://www.york.ac.uk/integrity/harvard.html)

### Assessment Guidance

#### Formative – draft essay plan
You will have the opportunity to submit and receive feedback on a 500-word (maximum) draft relating to your summative assessment (essay).

Your formative draft may include:
- An outline of your chosen topic/essay focus and rationale.
- How you have accessed sources/relevant reading, and examples of key source material you will use to underpin your work (e.g. data collected in your community profile activity workbook).
- An essay plan outlining your proposed structure and how you will develop your discussion – i.e. the main points you plan to cover in your essay.
- Draft section(s) of your essay with specific questions relating to areas of your work you require feedback on (e.g. application of theory to practice; level of analysis; explanation of relevant issues etc).

To help you develop your formative assessment you will collect and collate data regarding your chosen electoral ward using your Community Profile Activity workbook.

#### Summative – essay
You are required to write an essay that examines the dimensions of health and the social determinants of health in your selected electoral ward area. Using the data you have collected in the Community Profile Activity Workbook relate this to local and national data on health and health inequalities.

Your essay should demonstrate knowledge and understanding of concepts discussed in the lectures and seminars, including:
- Dimensions of health, including patterns of health, illness and disability across the life course and as experienced by different population groups.
- Social determinants of health
- Health inequalities

Your essay should be supported by references to your community profile, local and national data and other relevant source material.

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