

Research a federal agency within the U.S. federal government that is a stakeholder in health care. Consider the complexity of the issues that decision makers at this agency must consider. Write a research paper of 1,000-1,250 words addressing the following:

- Give an overview of the agency. Explain the types of concerns the agency addresses. Describe the impact the agency has on health care policy and delivery.
- Explain how each branch of government (i.e., judicial, legislative, and executive) impacts the agency's mission.
- Identify at least one current initiative the agency considers a priority, and provide a summary of the initiative. Explain whether it is a health law or health policy and why.
- Describe how and why a health policy analyst needs to consider policy problems and health economics to make decisions.

A minimum of three scholarly sources must be cited, including your textbook.

Prepare this assignment according to the guidelines found in the APA style guide located in the Student Success Center.

This assignment uses a rubric. Please review the rubric prior to beginning the assignment to become familiar with the expectations for successful completion.

You are required to submit this assignment to LopesWrite. Refer to the LopesWrite Technical Support articles for assistance.