

**Infographic  
(Parts I and II)  
*Violence Against Women***

Part I Due Date: Thursday 2/13/20 by 1 PM PST (Canvas)

Part II Due Date: Tuesday 4/14/20 by 1 PM PST (Canvas)

**PURPOSE:** The aim of this project is for students to think about topics related to violence against women and/or the response to violence against women, and communicate important information about these issues by creating an infographic.

**KNOWLEDGE:** Students will demonstrate an understanding of an issue related to violence against women or the response to violence against women, as well as learn how to create an infographic to effectively communicate information in an easy-to-read and visually appealing approach.

Infographics tell a story using few words, but many visual aids. They are appealing because they take very little time to read through, yet provide to readers a lot of information that is easily digestible.

**TASK:** The tasks for this assignment are multi-faceted.

1. Students will choose a topic from the list of possible topics provided on page 3.
2. Students will submit a digital copy (Canvas) of Part I of this assignment by Thursday 2/13/20 at 1 PM PST.
3. On Thursday 2/27 from 1 – 2:15 PM PST, students will attend a presentation on how to create an infographic. Location is TBD.
4. Students will submit a digital copy (Canvas) of Part II of this assignment (the infographic) by Tuesday 4/14/20 at 1 PM PST.

**CRITERIA:** See rubrics

You are required to appropriately cite **a minimum of 4 peer reviewed or law review journal articles** in your infographic.

Students will choose **ONE** of the topics below related to *violence against women*.

**Domestic abuse**

Domestic homicide (intimate partner homicide)

Coercive control

Domestic abuse experienced by members of the LGBTQ community

Firearm legislation for domestic violence

**Rape/Sexual Assault**

Marital rape

Sexual victimization experienced by female members of the U.S. military

Sexual victimization experienced by disabled women

Untested/unsubmitted sexual assault kits

**Stalking**

Cyber-stalking

Intimate partner stalking

**College Victimization**

Sexual *harassment* experienced by college students

*(note: sexual harassment is not the same thing as sexual assault)*

Stalking experienced by college students

Domestic abuse experienced by college students

**Sex Trafficking**

Sex trafficking in locations where prostitution is legalized

Below details the information that must be included in your infographic. For each point below, it is expected that your infographic will reflect a comprehensive understanding of the topic. Be creative (but appropriate and accurate) in the information that you use to answer these points.

Remember: infographics should *not* have large amounts or blocks of text. Carefully – and purposefully – use images, graphs, charts, and other visual aids.

Your job is to use scientific evidence to convey the message that your topic is an important issue and one that must be better addressed.

**SECTION I: ALL infographics must include the following:**

- Scope of the issue (e.g., prevalence of an issue or prevalence of a policy)

**SECTION II: You must pick one of the following in Section II to include in your infographic:**

- Risk factors associated with your topic
- The impact of your topic on the victim
- Major legislative changes/history in the criminal justice and/or government response to your topic
- Pros/cons of legislation

**SECTION III: You must pick one of the following in Section IV to include in your infographic:**

- Suggestions for prevention
- Suggestions for improvement in the criminal justice/government response

**Part I; 10 points**

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You will be required to submit a typed document that includes:

- (1) The topic that you chose from the list above
- (2) A reference list that includes a minimum of **four peer-reviewed or law review journal articles** on your topic that you plan to include in your infographic
- (3) Download the articles and upload them with your reference list on Canvas

*Formatting requirements:*

Appropriately cite the four sources using APA formatting

Times New Roman; Size 12 font

1-inch margins all around (you may have to manually format your assignment to ensure you are using 1-inch margins)

**Part II; 60 points**

Due: Tuesday 4/14/20 by 1 PM PST (Canvas)

See previous directions and rubric (to be provided)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**Infographic (Part I) Rubric**

Category	2	0	Your Score
<b>Article 1</b> Peer reviewed <i>or</i> law review journal article #1 (related to topic) in APA	Yes	No	
<b>Article 2</b> Peer reviewed <i>or</i> law review journal article #2 (related to topic) in APA	Yes	No	
<b>Article 3</b> Peer reviewed <i>or</i> law review journal article #3 (related to topic) in APA	Yes	No	
<b>Article 4</b> Peer reviewed <i>or</i> law review journal article #4 (related to topic) in APA	Yes	No	
<b>Electronic Copies:</b> Electronic copies of journal articles are provided	Yes (0.5 points per journal article – max points = 2)	No	

**TOTAL: \_\_\_\_/10**