

Unit 4 - Discussion Board

Assignment Overview

Type: Discussion Board

Unit: Crime Causation

Due Date: Tue, 5/2/17

Grading Type: Numeric

Points Possible: 40

Points Earned: [0](#)

Deliverable Length: 400-600 words

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Assignment Details

Assignment Description

Primary Discussion Response is due by Friday (11:59:59pm Central), Peer Responses are due by Tuesday (11:59:59pm Central).

Reflective Summary: Review and reflect on the course so far. Based on what you have learned so far in this course, write at least 400–600 words on the following:

- Assuming that males are more violent than females; does that mean crime has a biological rather than a social basis (because males and females share a similar environment)? Would you classify this as an individual or a societal issue? Explain.
- Give examples of theories of criminology that might explain gender differences in why certain crimes are committed. Select an example of two or three crimes to respond to this question.

Responses to Other Students: Respond to at least 2 of your fellow classmates with at least a 100-word reply about their Primary Task Response regarding items you found to be compelling and enlightening. To help you with your discussion, please consider the following questions:

- What did you learn from your classmate's posting?
- What additional questions do you have after reading the posting?
- What clarification do you need regarding the posting?
- What differences or similarities do you see between your posting and other classmates' postings?

For assistance with your assignment, please use your text, Web resources, and all course materials.

Reading Assignment

Schmallegger, Chapters 7 & 9

Assignment Objectives


- Discuss the major biological, psychological and sociological theories of crime
- Use team and problem-solving skill to collaborate on a project

Other Information

There is no additional information to display at this time.

Legend

 Extra Credit

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