Review and answer the following questions, which can help you identify this information:

* **Who are you explaining this analysis to**—a decision maker
* **What do you want the audience to do with the information that you share**—make a decision
* **What is the problem that your analysis is trying to resolve?** The pattern detection analysis examined Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) participation rates in the contiguous United States for 2019.
* **Which analysis is the focus of your story**—pattern detection and space-time pattern mining (2D and 3D)
* **What are the most important aspects of this analysis?** The hot spot analysis and outlier analysis reveals meaningful patterns of high and low SNAP participation. The space-time pattern mining analysis examine how SNAP participation rates changed over time.

The information from these analyses can help decision makers distribute resources more efficiently and equitably, ensuring that healthy food is accessible to all SNAP recipients.

The answers to these questions will help you determine the scope and emphasis of your story. You will use this information to outline the story, noting potential text, images, and maps.

* **The problem that you are trying to resolve**
* **An introduction to the analysis**
* **An explanation of the analysis methodology**
* **An explanation of the analysis results**
* **The answer to the problem that you were trying to resolve**
* **A clear definition of next steps**
* **Additional resources that the reader can explore**