

Response Summary:

From Questions to a Problem Worksheet

You are no longer a mere data collector, but a researcher interested in understanding something better. List your topic of interest (from the Topics Worksheet) below into a complete sentence.

Goal: To generate questions based on the topic of interest in the Topics worksheet

Objectives: Students will transition from a broad topic to a specific question

Outcomes: Students will answer who/what/when/where/whether/why/how

1. Student Information *

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3. Purpose *

- Assignment 3

Evaluate

4. Identify the significance of your topic by completing the following sentences *

Topic: the topic I am studying is	Covid-19
Question: because I want to find out what/why/how	We want to find out which demographics were mostly affected due to the virus. Out of those who were affected which demographics received the most amount of care and why is that? The way in which we can do this is by drawing correlations from different data points and visualize that data to see if any meaningful takeaways can be made.
Significance: in order to help my reader understand	In order to help my readers understand if any certain demographics were effected more than another or if any certain demographic received a different kind of care than others during Covid-19.

5. Use the space below to determine if your problem is a practical or conceptual problem by answering the following questions about your topic. *

What's the situation or condition you desire to address, and why is it important?	The situation that we are desiring to address is the recent pandemic caused by the Covid-19 virus. It is important because this pandemic affected the whole population in the worst ways possible.
What's the undesirable consequences caused by that condition including costs that you (or your readers) don't want to pay?	The consequences of this virus were devastating to all. Many lives were lost and many who did survive were left into crucial debt from all of the medical care. This can be due to having access to different kinds of health care, which can differ from demographic to demographic.
Why are these consequences important?	The consequences are important because they are often gone unnoticed.
What do we do about it?	We can highlight these consequences and learn from them.

6. Practical vs Conceptual Problem: complete one of the two questions about your problem *

Refer to Chapter 4: From Questions to a Problem, pg 50 - 57 of *The Craft of Research* by Booth et al., 2016 (available via Purdue Online Library catalog)

Practical Problem: What do you want your reader to do?	We want our readers to make themselves aware of the problem and do whatever they can to prevent this from happening in the future.
Conceptual Problem: What should the reader think?	Our reader should think about how important it is to be aware of the ways different demographics can be treated, in situations like the recent pandemic.

7. Significance: Explain why you want your reader to know and care about the topic. *

We want our readers to know and care about our topic because we think it is important for them to be aware of the ways in which different demographics receive care for things like the pandemic.