

Vocabulary Preview

Deliberation Topic: Who is Responsible for Today's Opioid Epidemic?

Directions:

1. First, define these terms and phrases before reading the background article or using the videos from C-SPAN Classroom Deliberations. Try searching Google or a dictionary for a definition.
2. Then, as you watch the videos and read the articles, write down quotes from people using these words in context.
3. Finally, use these words in your deliberations and writing activities after you understand all sides of the issue.

Term	Definition	Explanation/Quote
Cartel		
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)		
Cocaine		
Customs and Border Protection		
Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)		
Department of Homeland Security (DHS)		
Department of Justice (DOJ)		
Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA)		
Epidemic		
Fentanyl		
Fentanyl-Related Substances (FRS)		
Food And Drug Administration (FDA)		

Illicit		
Mandatory Minimum		
McKinsey and Company		
Narcotic		
Opioid		
Overdose		
Oxycodone		
Oxycontin		
Pharmaceutical		
Prescription Drug		
Public Health Emergency		
Synthetic		
Withdrawal		