

Research Project and Critical Lens Notes

RESEARCH PROJ:

- Initially searched random conditions
 - Obesity
 - social media portrayal of obesity (ozempic)
 - Eating disorder
- Obesity links with mental health
- Autism
 - More accepted now compared to before
- Hypothermia in trauma patients
- Doesn't have to be attached to a specific illness
- Gender roles
- Poverty
- Changing attitudes on covid patients
 - Long enough time frame
 - Polls are allowed
 - Self-conducted surveys can be one of three "artifacts"
- More open-ended than critical lens
- homelessness
 - Causes
 - Narratives
- mention your observation of the societal shift
- If an image is used, use MLA format for citation
- Can use figures & tables
- Artifacts are found resources (informal)
 - Ex. 600-pound life, TikToks, survey
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Critical Lens

- Can you reuse outside sources? NO U SHOULDNT but you can if you really want, talk to the professor.

- two lens options (on course website) you choose one of them as your lens.
- take the authors approach/framework to their topic and apply that same approach to your topic.
- you can find that the lens isn't working you can critique the lens.
- Reflect back on what's missing from the lens.
- One example of what you're examining about the lens is: theoretical vocabulary AKA specific language you should use.
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