Public Health

Instructions

Hi This is a discussion Post.

Class,

Here is one of your Topic 2 Resources: Read

"HHS Action Plan to Reduce Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities: A Nation

Free of Disparities in Health and Health Care," located on the U.S.

Department of Health and Human Services - Office of Minority Health website.

URL:https://minorityhealth.hhs.gov/npa/files/Plans/HHS/HHS\_Plan\_complete.pdf

In addition to discussing the role of

unconscious bias, discrimination, and structural racism in health care, it is

important to consider what can be done to change it. In this document, the HHS

outlines their action plan. I encourage you to review it, and reflect here.

Main Question

Why do certain population

groups experience differences in care? Discuss the role of unconscious bias,

discrimination, and structural racism in health care. Describe how these

factors contribute to health disparities and health outcomes. Discuss how

determinants of health, such as political, social, or economic factors also

contribute to health outcomes. 275 words.