EPHE 380 Lab Research Paper Grading Rubric – Discussion

Criteria	Beginning	Developing	Accomplished	Exemplary	Total
Results Summary and what do results mean?	**0.0-09 Points** Poor verbal summary that does not clearly review results or hypothesis(es). No interpretations offered.	**1.0-1.2 Points** Verbal summary does not clearly review results. A fair attempt made to revisit hypothesis(es). No clear (or poor) interpretation offered.	**1.4-1.6 Points** Verbal summary clearly match that in results. A good attempt made to revisit hypotheses. An interpretation is offered.	**1.8-2.0 Points** Verbal summary of results clearly match that in results and also revisit hypothesis(es) stated in Introduction. Clear interpretation of results is offered. Statements are specific and concisely written.	/2.0
Results in relation to Theory, larger picture and Conclusion	**0.0-09 Points** Poor attempt at describing how the present study addresses larger theory and how it adds to literature.	**1.0-1.2 Points** Discussion at this point only provides a satisfactory attempt to add to literature and theory. Conclusion may seem inadequate.	**1.4-1.6 Points** Discussion shows a good attempt addressing how the present study adds to literature and theory. Conclusion is fair or good but not to the level of Exemplary.	**1.8-2.0 Points** Discussion at this point clearly and adequately addresses how the present study adds to literature and theory. Also, a clear description regarding next steps (while being as concise as possible).	/2.0
Writing Quality & Adherence to Format Guidelines	**0.0-0.4 Points** Paper shows a below average/poor writing style using APA guidelines and appropriate standard English. Frequent errors in spelling, grammar, punctuation, spelling, usage, and/or formatting errors. Section is lacking in length.	**0.5-0.6 Points** Paper shows an average and/or casual writing style using APA guidelines and standard English with some errors in spelling, grammar, punctuation, usage, and/or formatting errors. Section is somewhat lacking in length	**0.7-0.8 Points** Paper shows above average writing style and clarity in writing using APA guidelines and standard English with little errors in grammar, punctuation, spelling, usage, and/or formatting errors. Section meets the required length.	**0.9-1.0 Points** Paper is well written and clear using APA guidelines and standard English characterized by elements of a strong writing style and basically free from grammar, punctuation, spelling, usage, or formatting errors. Section meets the required length.	/1.0
				TOTAL POINTS (sum of 4 Criteria)	/5

* Papers submitted late, for any reason, will be assessed a grade of 0%.