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Investigating the Vaccine Controversy

As discussed in class, you will be conducting research and writing a position paper on your thoughts about the vaccine controversy. To help you with the process, I would like you to begin your research and complete the following.

1. Make a list below of the different types of vaccines you came across in your research.

- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____
- _____ protection against: _____

2. Make a list of some companies that produce vaccines.

- _____ vaccine produced : _____
- _____ vaccine produced : _____
- _____ vaccine produced : _____
- _____ vaccine produced : _____
- _____ vaccine produced : _____

3. Make a list of the components that go into a vaccine.

- _____ purpose: _____
- _____ purpose: _____
- _____ purpose: _____
- _____ purpose: _____
- _____ purpose: _____
- _____ purpose: _____

4. Pick three of the components you listed above and identify any concerns, risks, or problems that are associated with this component.

1. _____ problems, risks, concerns:

2. _____ problems, risks, concerns:

3. _____ problems, risks, concerns:

Staying Focused

Now that you have conducted some research, you must narrow down and identify your research focus. **Note: When making your decisions, make sure your choices are related for example, do not list a component that is not used in your vaccine of choice or a company that does not make that vaccine.**

Which vaccine do you want to focus your research on?

Choice 1: _____

Choice 2: _____

Which company do you want to focus on in your research?

Choice 1: _____

Choice 2: _____

Which component do you want to get into details on in your research?

Choice 1: _____

Choice 2: _____