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KINE 306 – Library Assignment

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Part A: Compare the two **non-scholarly** online health resources provided below by filling out the table.

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|  | **Source A** | **Source B** |
|  | [http://www.healthcentral.com/copd/c/215658/167244/cigarettes-cigarettes](http://www.healthcentral.com/copd/c/215658/167244/cigarettes-cigarettes%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) | [https://www.drugabuse.gov/publications/drugfacts/electronic-cigarettes-e-cigarettes](https://www.drugabuse.gov/publications/drugfacts/electronic-cigarettes-e-cigarettes%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) |
| 1. When was it created/last updated?
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| 1. Is the information available in languages other than English?
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| 1. Who created the content? Do they have expertise on this topic?
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| 1. Who sponsors the site? How is the site funded? (The "About us" section may help.)
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| 1. Is there advertising? If so, what are they advertising?
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| 1. What is the goal or purpose of this website? (Ex. Entertain, Inform, Sell, Educate, Convince, etc.)
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| 1. Would you consider this to be an authoritative health resource for the topic? Why or why not? (Think about what you learned in responding to each of the previous questions.) At least 3 sentences.
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| 1. Write an APA citation for ONE of these two sources. (Use the APA handout for help.)
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Part B: Find a **scholarly** article on your topic

1. Write one or two sentences describing your controversial health topic:
2. List at least 5 keywords to help you in your search. They could be synonyms, related terms, or broader terms than your main topic:
3. Find one scholarly article on your topic using one of the recommended databases for this class. Fill in the table below with the article information.

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| Author(s) |  |
| Article Title |  |
| Journal Title |  |
| Year |  |
| Volume |  |
| Issue (if applicable) |  |
| Page Range |  |
| URL |  |
| DOI |  |
| Database used |  |

1. Write the citation for your scholarly article in APA format:
2. What makes this source different from the non-scholarly sources you evaluated in **Part A** of this assignment? At least 3 sentences.