Using the headings and statement prompts below, prepare a paper using the following guidelines:

This paper should be 5-7 pages, APA standards (double spaced, 12pt font, 1" margins); 8-10 resources 3 of which must be peer-reviewed nursing studies.  The remaining resources must be academic in nature (meaning no Wikipedia-type resources).

* Healthcare Resources
  + Identify the factors influencing health care resource allocation.
  + Provide an overview of the major health care financing sources.
* Community-oriented Practice
  + Identify the major goals of community-oriented practice.
  + Provide an overview of the community-focused nursing process.
* Evidence-based Practice
  + Define evidence-based practice and discuss its role in public health nursing.
  + Provide an overview of the implementation process.
* Case Management
  + Define case management and describe the role and responsibilities of the case manager.
  + Identify the major legal and ethical issues that arise in case management.
* Disaster Preparedness
  + Identify the *Healthy People 2020* goals related to disaster preparedness and response.
  + Identify the roles of the nurse in the preparedness, response, and recovery stages of a disaster/disaster management.
* Disease Surveillance
  + Define disease surveillance and describe its use and purpose.
  + Identify state notifiable diseases.
* Quality Standards
  + Identify the key organizations who establish nursing quality standards.
  + Define quality and identify the key goals associated with health care quality.
  + Describe the major approaches to quality improvement.
* Vulnerability
  + Define vulnerability.
  + Describe the factors impacting vulnerability.
* Public Health Agencies
  + Describe the functions of the local, state, and federal public health agencies.
  + Provide an overview of the history and trends of public health nursing.