**Ethical Dilemma Paper Grading Rubric**

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| **Criteria** | **Levels of Achievement** |
| **Content 70%****231 points** | **Advanced 90-100% (A)** | **Proficient 70-89% (B-C)** | **Developing 1-69% (< D)** | **Not present** |
| **Content**  | **208 to 231 points**The paper exceeds content requirements:Text is written in a coherent, succinct manner.Points are presented with exceptional logic and insight.Points are supported by proper use of references (in text citations present where necessary).Content is relevant in regards to—and sufficiently fulfills—assignment requirements:* The paper identifies the ethical dilemma.
* The paper identifies who is involved in the ethical dilemma.
* The paper identifies whom the dilemma impacted (or could potentially impact) and how.
* The paper describes the competing values present in the dilemma from the list of 6 social work values in the NASW Code of Ethics.
* The paper describes the student’s first “gut” solution to the problem.
* The paper uses the morality framework (Step 1).
* The paper uses the morality framework (Step 2).
* The paper describes at least 2 alternative solutions and provides a rationale for each.
* At least 1 of the solutions must reflect a biblical worldview, and this solution must be supported with Scripture.

Assignment is of proper length. | **162 to 207 points**The paper meets content requirements:Text is written in a coherent, succinct manner.Points are presented with exceptional logic and insight.Points are supported by proper use of references (in text citations present where necessary).Content is relevant in regards to—and sufficiently fulfills—assignment requirements:* The paper identifies the ethical dilemma.
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Assignment is of proper length. | **1 to 161points**The paper meets some of the content requirements:Text is written in a coherent, succinct manner.Points are presented with exceptional logic and insight.Points are supported by proper use of references (in text citations present where necessary).Content is relevant in regards to—and sufficiently fulfills—assignment requirements:* The paper identifies the ethical dilemma.
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| **Structure 30%****99 points** | **Advanced 90-100% (A)** | **Proficient 70-89% (B-C)** | **Developing 1-69% (< D)** | **Not present** |
| **APA Format** | **30 to 33 points**The paper exceeds structure requirements:-Follows proper APA format, doubled spaced, and 12pt. Times New Roman font | **23 to 29 points**The paper meets structure requirements:-Follows proper APA format, doubled spaced, and 12pt. Times New Roman font | **1 to 22 points**The paper meets some of the structure requirements:-Follows proper APA format, doubled spaced, and 12pt. Times New Roman font | **0 points**Not present. |
| **Grammar/ Punctuation/Spelling** | **30 to 33 points**The paper exceeds structure requirements:-Free from misspelled words, run on sentences, and uses correct punctuation | **23 to 29 points**The paper meets structure requirements:-Free from misspelled words, run on sentences, and uses correct punctuation | **1 to 22 points**The paper meets some of the structure requirements:-Free from misspelled words, run on sentences, and uses correct punctuation | **0 points**Not present. |
| **Organization** | **30 to 33 points** The paper exceeds organization requirements:-Ideas and arguments are understandable- The paper is organized (introduction, supporting paragraphs, conclusion)-Proper use transition statements when moving from one idea to the next-The paper flows well | **23 to 29 points**The paper meets organizationrequirements:-Ideas and arguments are understandable- The paper is organized (introduction, supporting paragraphs, conclusion)-Proper use transition statements when moving from one idea to the next-The paper flows well | **1 to 22 points**The paper meets some of the organization requirements:-Ideas and arguments are understandable- The paper is organized (introduction, supporting paragraphs, conclusion)-Proper use transition statements when moving from one idea to the next-The paper flows well | **0 points**Not present. |