

# Week Two

## Overview



### Week Two: Getting Started

- Discuss the Introduction video and any questions
- Look at journal guidelines for possible journals and determine which is the best first choice
- Craft a query letter if unsure about submission
- Craft an outline for the manuscript to match the journal and the content of the project



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- insider information from experts in the field of manuscript editing and writing regarding what goes into a journal manuscript and what stays out, and
- specific methods for avoiding the most common mistakes previous DNP students have made while attempting to write their final manuscripts for submission to a journal.

## Week Two Checklist

### Engagement

- Post on Yellowdig & Tag a topic
- Keep Yellowdig alerts on to stay connected

### Connection

- Check in with your mentee or mentor about their day
- Promote self-care activity this week

### Action

- Weekly Communication with Mentor
- Complete Weekly Check-in Surveys
- Watch MDM Videos

### Fun

- Post anything you want to ask other mentors and mentees