



## NR 394 Transcultural Nursing

### Week 3: Course Project Part 1

**Directions:** Prior to completing this template, carefully review Week 3: Course Project Part 1 Directions paying attention to how to name the document and all rubric requirements.

**Your Name:** .....

#### **Cultural Community Needs**

**1. Describe specific culture/ethnic population selected in detail.**

Nationally, the Hispanic population is ranked as the second largest ethnic population group in the United States. It is estimated that 19 percent or more than 60 million make up the national population. From a cultural perspective, Hispanics are of Mexican culture since they have a Mexican ancestry. In New York, the Hispanic population is estimated to be 2.5 million or 29 percent of the City's total population. The Hispanics population in New York is comprised of six subgroups namely; the Puerto Ricans; the Dominicans; the Mexicans; the Colombians; the Ecuadorians; and the Salvadoran. The Hispanic population is considered to be younger unlike the rest of the American population; they possess less economic wealth; and are less educated.

**2. Describe rationale for selecting this population.**