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Associate Program Material Stereotypes and Prejudice Worksheet Please complete the following exercises, remembering that you are in an academic setting and should remain unbiased, considerate, and professional when completing this worksheet. Part I Select three of the identity categories below and name or describe at least 3 related stereotypes for each: - Race - Ethnicity - Religion - Gender - Sexual orientation - Age - Disability | Category | Stereotype 1 | Stereotype 2 | Stereotype 3 | | Race | Black people are good at | Asians are smart. | Hispanics don't speak english. | | | basketball. | | | Gender | Women are not as good at sports. | Men are messy | Women aren't as smart as men. | | Disability | People with them are different | Its's a sickness | They are a menace to society. | | | from a fully functional human | | | being . | | | Part II Answer each question in 50 to 100 words related to those stereotypes. Provide citations for all the sources you use. What are the positive aspects of stereotypes, if any? I don't think there are any positive aspects to stereotypes. If anything they make people act a little more careful around people they don't know. I think that might be the only positive thing that came come out of it. Everything else can sometimes be very hurtful to other people. What are the negative aspects of stereotypes? Sterotypes are just bad in general. They can hurt other peoples feeling along with giving yourself a bad image. No one likes a people that judge others before getting to know them. That's pretty much what sterotyping is, assuming that a person with act or be like society has made them out to be. Part III Answer each question in 50 to 150 words related to those stereotypes. Provide citations for all the sources you use. Define stereotypes and prejudice. What is the difference between stereotyping and prejudice? Use examples to

illustrate the differences. Sterotyping is when someone assumes another's characteristics. Some examples are that all Mexicans are illegal immigrants, and Asians are good at math. It might not seem hurtful but it can be to some people. Prejudice is when someone prefers one kind of person over another. An example is when people say they don't like Black people because they smell bad. The difference between the two is that stereotyping happens because of the image that society has set for certain groups of people and prejudice is when someone hates someone they don't like another because of their race. What is the relationship between stereotyping and prejudice? I think that once someone is prejudiced they will start to stereotype others. They are both bad traits to have but once an individual is prejudiced it is much easier for them to start stereotyping others. I think they have a relationship because once you acquire one of the traits, the other will follow. What can be done to prevent prejudice from occurring? I think that people see prejudice happening around them on a daily basis. This makes it easier for them to forget that something is wrong. We as a society are getting so used to prejudice that it takes some effort to see that it's happening and to do something about it.