**Rubric for Self-As-Other Paper**

(100 points)

Does the paper meet the structural requirements for the assignment? (10 points total)

* Paper includes a reference page. (yes=5 points; no=0)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5

* Paper is at least 3 pages of text and no more than 5 pages (not including cover page or reference page) (yes=5 points; no=0)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5

Does the paper address all of the requirements for content? (80 points total)

**Full points:** Addresses the requirement completely and in depth. Student’s reflections go deeper than description and demonstrate insight into culture and diversity as they relate to that event.

**3/4 points:** Addresses the element but does so in a shallow or incomplete fashion. Paper tends to be overly descriptive or emphasizes obvious issues relevant to that event rather than deeper insights.

**1/2 points:** Student’s discussion is primarily descriptive of the event; reflections are on target but poorly articulated. Or, student may only partially address the requirement or briefly mention it with very little or no depth.

**No points:** Student does not address this requirement.

* Describe the event in sufficient detail for a non-participant to form a Gestalt. (10 points) SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/10
* Explain your rationale for selecting this event and outline any research you conducted prior to attending (i.e., internet search, informal interviews, etc…). (5 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/10

* Prior to your visit, what beliefs or stereotypes did you hold about this group? Where did these come from? (5 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5

* How did you present yourself to the people there? (5 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5

* During the event, what did you observe/experience that confirmed your beliefs or stereotypes? …that contradicted them? (10 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/10

* What similarities exist between you and members of this different group? (5 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5

* Describe your thoughts and feelings during and after the event.[[1]](#footnote-1) (10 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/10

* Make at least **two** specific (**use APA citations**) and strong connections between your experience and course material. (25 points: 10 points for each connection and 5 points for APA style)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/25

Is the paper well written, following APA style? (10 points total)

**Full points**: Yes, meets this requirement throughout the paper.

**Half points:** 0-5 errors/places of disorganization/confusion

**No points:** 5+ errors/ places of disorganization/confusion

1. Paper is well organized, thoughts are easy to follow and clear (5 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5

1. Paper is free of grammatical/spelling errors (5 points)

SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/5

1. TOTAL SCORE:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_/100 [↑](#footnote-ref-1)