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Overcoming Some Challenges

Weekly Report 10/31 to 11/7

During this week, I was able to catch a breath and work on upcoming assignments and have myself prepared for the future as I am given even more freedom to expand on my topic and explore my own original work. Even though I have been given a couple of weeks to plan my original work proposal, I have kept it in the back of my mind and have been having some difficulty thinking of what I want to focus on. Hearing some feedback from other ISM 2 students might help as I would realize how broad or how detailed I should be planning for my original work this year. I know it would be beneficial to finish the work and be the most prepared now, but I want to expand on how I want to clarify my interests in pharmacy.

This break was well-needed (and felt pretty well-deserved after the past couple of weeks filled with assessments and assignments to complete). But, I feel accomplished to have achieved the place I'm at right now and constantly working to improve the appearance of my digital portfolio and binder. Hopefully, this upcoming week, I will be able to land a couple more interviews with inpatient pharmacists to see if I have a connection with anyone (and find a possible mentor??).