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Museum Exhibit Essay Rubric

Requirements	Score		
	Fails to Meet Expectations	Partially Meets Expectations	Meets Expectations
Content			
Disease Facts:			
Disease and name of virus/bacteria identified	0	1	2
Time period and location of when/where disease was a major concern clearly stated	0	1	2
Symptoms:			
Lists multiple symptoms of disease	0	1	2
Identifies and lists which body systems are targeted by each disease symptom	0	1	2
Disease state:			
Explains HOW the symptom is a deviation from normal system/organ function	0	1	2
Explains HOW other body systems/organs will be effected if interact with the 'infected' body system	0	1	2
Actions of the Virus/Bacteria:			
Describes in detail infecting agent's life cycle in the body	0	1	2
Identifies how the infecting agent gets inside the body (think transmission)	0	1	2
Historical Impact:			
Explains multiple ways of how the disease impacted the world in the past	0	1	2
Answers the question: Does the disease affect us still today?	0		1
Writing			
Sources are cited at the end of the paper	0		1
Writing is understandable and checked for grammar and spelling	0	1	2

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