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SOC 112 Module Three Worksheet Guidelines and Rubric

The purpose of this worksheet is to help you better understand what statuses and roles are and how they influence our behavior. This worksheet will also help you prepare for Milestone Two by getting you to begin breaking down an issue into sociological concepts. This activity is adapted from Ferris, K., & Stein, J. (2016). *The real world: An introduction to sociology.* New York, NY: W. W. Norton.

Answer the following questions in the Module Three Worksheet. You will need to answer each question as it relates to each of the three different statuses you identified. You will also need to support your responses with at least one scholarly source. Your answers to these questions as well as your ability to clearly convey your responses will be graded using the rubric below.

1. Describe three different statuses that you occupy in society.
2. Identify whether each status is ascribed or achieved.
3. Explain what the role expectations are for each status.
4. Provide one example of role conflict.
5. Provide one example of role strain.
6. Provide one example of a status that might be subject to social inequalities. For example, mothers tend to make less money in the workplace, an experience known as the motherhood penalty.

Guidelines for Submission: This assignment will be completed using the worksheet provided. All citations should be completed using APA format.

Critical Elements	Proficient (100%)	Needs Improvement (75%)	Not Evident (0%)	Value
Status in Society	Describes three different statuses that you occupy in society	Describes three different statuses that you occupy in society, but lacks detail	Does not describe three different statuses that you occupy in society	15
Ascribed or Achieved	Correctly states whether status is ascribed or achieved	Incorrectly states whether status is ascribed or achieved	Does not state whether status is ascribed or achieved	15
Role Expectations	Explains the role expectations of each status	Explains the role expectations of each status, but lacks detail	Does not explain the role expectations of each status	15
Role Conflict	Provides an example of role conflict	Provides an example of role conflict, but lacks detail	Does not provide an example of role conflict	15
Role Strain	Provides an example of role strain	Provides an example of role strain, but lacks detail	Does not provide an example of role strain	15
Social Inequality	Provides an example of a status that might be subject to social inequalities	Provides an example of a status that might be subject to social inequalities, but lacks detail	Does not provide an example of a status that might be subject to social inequalities	15

Articulation of Response	Submission has no major errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization	Submission has major errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization that negatively impact readability and articulation of main ideas	Submission has critical errors related to citations, grammar, spelling, syntax, or organization that prevent understanding of ideas	10
			Total	**100%**