Final Paper Sociology of Families

Based on one of the social policy debates presented in chapter 13 of your textbook write a thoughtful analysis of at least one of the issues presented.

- Select a policy issue:
  - Defining Marriage
  - Controlling sexuality and reproduction
  - Dealing with welfare and poverty
  - Working Families and Childcare
  - Dealing with Vulnerable Populations: Policies on poor children

- Outline the set of policies surrounding your issues as they currently stand and provide unbiased scientific data regarding the outcomes and effectiveness of these policies.

- Provide a comprehensive analysis of the strengths and weaknesses of the current policies.

- Make a reasoned suggestion regarding the future development, implementation or transformation of the policies.

Notes

- This is an analytic paper, not an opinion paper and should be written as such.
- Students are expected to use outside research from 2-3 academic sources as well as material provided in the text. Sources from biased sources will not be accepted
- Length 3-5 pages, 12 pt. Times or Times New Roman Font
- Proper citation is required. You must use both in text sources and a works cited page.

Due Dec 11 in my office by 5pm.