***WHO???:*** Noticeably missing from the global organization list your researched is WHO.

**I. First – find out information on WHO:** **Research the following questions on the Who website and send responses to me by email. 10 pts:**

World Health Organization (WHO):

* 1. Overview of its mandate: functions and services provided
* 2. Organization and headquarters:

 Who is the Current Director-General?

 Where is its central location?

* 3. Read through the WHO brochure to find out more about WHO and how it is funded.

 http://www.who.int/about/brochure\_en.pdf

* 4. Search the WHO Website for ‘Infectious Diseases’

 What are the 6 WHO regions for which data is collected?

* 5. Open the Neglected Parasitic Diseases file on my website.

*You will be assigned a disease from the list to investigate – beginning with the WHO website:*

* 6. When an infectious disease is described, WHO provides information in several major categories. Scroll down and list these categories of information. (briefly describe these for your disease) Think about the TRIADs of Descriptive and Analytic Epidemiology.
* 7. Summarize the WHO’s response for your disease.
* 8. Now research another agency around the world that focuses in providing aid to victims of the disease you have been assigned.

Distinguish between governmental agencies and NGO’s (Non-governmental organizations).

**II. Visual discussion – PPT, Prezi, narration,combo: 40 pts -**

 ***Use Screencastomatic.com –free version- to narrate and follow your visuals***

**Limit your presentation to 5 minutes – no more than 5 visuals**

* Briefly describe the disease; it’s general symptoms and expected outcomes (sickness/death Percentages?)
* For your disease, what organization has the greatest impact on alleviating human suffering from this disease and how are they funded? (include: organization name/logo/web address)
* Summarize and describe the organization’s efforts being made on behalf of the disease sufferers. If WHO is involved, explain their role.
* What are the obstacles to providing a cure or care to its victims? This can and most likely will include socio-economic, demographic, geographic, cultural and political issues. That doesn’t even include medical care or pharmaceutical aid.
* What is your overall evaluation of the efficiency, quality, funding and success of this organization?