Introduction to the course project

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Task

- You have been allocated to groups
- During the course of the week you need to develop a research proposal that will be assessed by an expert panel on Friday
- There will be a prize for the best proposal!
- Each day you will have allocated time to work on your group
- Aim – to put into practice what you learn throughout the course
Task

- Identify a health system problem in China
- Generate a research question
- Design a research strategy to answer the question
- Prepare a 10-15 minute presentation to present to the funding panel on Friday

Keep in mind:
- Not just what you are doing, but how and why
- Rigour
- Reflexivity – what is your role as a researcher? Consider your own bias and values
1. Background to the problem
2. What is already known (literature review)
3. Research Question
4. Study design
   a) Research Strategy
   b) Study approach
5. Methods (Data, respondents, sample size, analysis plans)
6. Ethics issues
7. Dissemination and pathways to impact
GOOD LUCK!
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