The *Journal of Health Law and Policy* is publishing a special issue focused on health equity and justice issues raised by the COVID-19 pandemic for Spring 2021.

The profound effects of the COVID-19 pandemic continue to be felt across the country and the world. We welcome submissions that shed light on legal or policy issues relating to the COVID-19 pandemic and health equity, defined broadly to include impacts that compound existing health and other inequities experienced by already disadvantaged populations, including harms to health and wellbeing and to social determinants of health such as access to health care services, employment and economic stability, food security, housing, transportation and education, among others. We also welcome submissions that highlight the differential impact of the pandemic along lines of race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation and identity, disability and health status, age, socio-economic status, immigration status, justice system involvement, and other social categories.

The *Journal* is interdisciplinary, and we welcome submissions from health law and policy, bioethics, critical legal theories, public health, ethics and other disciplines. Submissions can be empirical, descriptive, or analytical, as long as they relate to or shed light on legal or policy issues. Shorter pieces as well as full-length law review style articles are welcome. Completed pieces would be due Dec. 1, 2020.

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