



Amid a consequential year in U.S. health law and policy, the Petrie-Flom Center has continued its mission of providing interdisciplinary analysis and engaging the public on these matters.

After the Supreme Court's *Dobbs* ruling, Petrie-Flom Center faculty and affiliates provided analysis for media outlets ranging from the [New York Times](#), to the [Washington Post](#), to [PBS NewsHour](#), to the [Boston Globe](#), to [Bloomberg](#). We also organized public events and analysis of [reproductive rights litigation in Latin America](#), the [post-Roe legal landscape in the U.S.](#), and [the problems with the adoption rhetoric deployed in Dobbs](#).

Throughout the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, our blog, [Bill of Health](#), has provided comprehensive coverage of public health and policy developments, and has hosted focused [digital symposia](#) on topics including [Health Law and Policy in an Era of Mass Suffering](#) and [Health, Disability, and the Future of Work](#). In the past year, [Bill of Health](#) published over 240 posts and was cited in outlets ranging from the [Los Angeles Times](#) to the [New York Review of Books](#).

Our research initiatives, [Diagnosing in the Home: The Ethical, Legal, and Regulatory Challenges and Opportunities of Digital Home Health](#) and the [Project on Psychedelics Law and Regulation \(POPLAR\)](#), have continued to make significant scholarly contributions in publications ranging from [JAMA](#) to the [Harvard Law Review Forum](#), and reach the public through [high-profile events](#) and [the media](#).

In short, the past year has been productive for the Petrie-Flom Center. To catch up on all our recent work, watch our past events [here](#), read our media commentary [here](#), and browse our scholarship [here](#). We are thankful for your interest and engagement with our work, and look forward to continuing our robust research, [events](#), and communications initiatives in the coming year. We wish you a happy and healthy new year.

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## Upcoming Events

### *What Magic Can Teach Us About Misinformation*

#### DATE

January 13, 2023, 12pm ET, Online

Register for "What Magic Can Teach Us About  
Misinformation"

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# Climate Change and Health: A Health Policy and Bioethics Consortium

## DATE

February 10, 2023, 12:30pm ET, Online

Register for "Climate Change and Health: A Health Policy and Bioethics Consortium"

## **Affiliate News and Scholarship**



### **This month on *Bill of Health*:**

**"Mainstreaming Reproductive Genetic Innovation,"** by Myrisha S. Lewis.

**"Physician-Led Advocacy for the Future of Reproductive Health Care,"** by Katie Gu.

**"Sutures for Ukraine: The Medical Case for City Diplomacy,"** by Vrushab Gowda, Leslie Appleton, and Jesse Ehrenfeld.

**"Could Amtrak's Quiet Car Be a Model for COVID-19 Travel Policies?"** by Terri Gerstein.

**"The Not-So-Sacred Human Genome: What South Africans Think About Heritable Human Genome Editing,"** by Donrich Thaldar.



### **I. Glenn Cohen (Faculty Director)**

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NEW SCHOLARSHIP

**"The FDA Struggle to Withdraw Makena: Problems with the Accelerated Approval Process,"** by Daniel G. Aaron, I. Glenn Cohen, and Eli Y. Adashi in *JAMA*.



### **Carmel Shachar (Executive Director)**

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NEW COMMENTARY

**"He showed me what it meant to lead with love,"** by Brett Milano, featuring Carmel Shachar in *Harvard Law Today*.

### **Holly Fernandez Lynch (Former Executive Director)**

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NEW SCHOLARSHIP

**"Preapproval Promises to Voluntarily Withdraw FDA-**



**Approved Drugs,**” by Holly Fernandez Lynch and Rachel E. Sachs in *JAMA*.



**Alicia Ely Yamin (Senior Fellow in Global Health and Rights)**

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NEW COMMENTARY

Panelist, Harvard Human Rights Program, **preview of report** from UN Working Group on Discrimination Against Women and Girls on poverty and human security, November 29, 2022.



**Ismail L. Ali (Affiliated Researcher)**

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NEW SCHOLARSHIP

**“Revisiting the Drug Conversion Tables and Their Treatment of MDMA,”** by Jonathan Perez-Reyzin, Leslie Booher, and Ismail L. Ali in *Federal Sentencing Reporter*.



**Jonathan Perez-Reyzin (Affiliated Researcher)**

NEW SCHOLARSHIP

**“Revisiting the Drug Conversion Tables and Their Treatment of MDMA,”** by Jonathan Perez-Reyzin, Leslie Booher, and Ismail L. Ali in *Federal Sentencing Reporter*.



**Abigail Moncrieff (Former Academic Fellow)**

PROFESSIONAL UPDATE

Appointed as **Co-Director** of the **Center for Health Law and Policy** at CSU College of Law.



**Christopher Robertson (Former Academic Fellow)**

**@ProfCRobertson**

NEW COMMENTARY

**“Health Insurance Sales Pitch: We Are Our Best Selves,”** by Christina Ho, featuring Christopher T. Robertson in *Jotwell: Health Law*.



## Rachel E. Sachs (Former Academic Fellow)

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### PROFESSIONAL UPDATE

Rachel E. Sachs named to the **Editorial Board** of *Health Affairs Scholar: Emerging And Global Health Policy*.

### NEW SCHOLARSHIP

**“Preapproval Promises to Voluntarily Withdraw FDA-Approved Drugs,”** by Holly Fernandez Lynch and Rachel E. Sachs in *JAMA*.

### NEW COMMENTARY

**“Broken promises? FDA needs more power to remove drugs from marketplace, JAMA analysis finds,”** by Katherine Lewin, featuring Rachel Sachs in *Endpoints News*.

**“Congress has a chance to close the FDA’s Theranos loophole,”** by Rachel Cohrs and Sarah Oweremohle, featuring Rachel Sachs in *STAT+*.



## Michelle Meyer (Former Academic Fellow)

### NEW SCHOLARSHIP

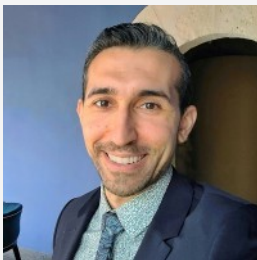
**“Exploring access to genomic risk information and the contours of the HIPAA public health exception,”** by Jennifer K. Wagner, Juhi K. Tanniru, Courtney A. Chane, and Michelle N. Meyer in *Journal of Law and the Biosciences*.



## Marcelo Corrales Compagnucci (Former Visiting Researcher)

### NEW SCHOLARSHIP

**AI in eHealth** edited by Marcelo Corrales Compagnucci et al. and published by *Cambridge University Press*.



## Daniel G. Aaron (Former Student Fellow)

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### NEW SCHOLARSHIP

**“The FDA Struggle to Withdraw Makena: Problems with the Accelerated Approval Process,”** by Daniel G. Aaron, I. Glenn Cohen, and Eli Y. Adashi in *JAMA*.

## ***Selected Opportunity Listings***

We choose a few upcoming opportunities to feature each week. To see [the full list, check our](#)

[site](#). To post your own, [get in touch!](#)



**[Call For Submissions: Symposium on Disability and Climate Change](#)**

**[Fellowship Applications Open: Program on Regulation, Therapeutics, and Law](#)**

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