



The Petrie-Flom Center is excited to [announce](#) our 2021–2022 Senior Fellow in Advanced Care, [Cheryl Matheis](#)! Cheryl is the second Senior Fellow for our [Project on Advanced Care and Health Policy](#), a collaboration between the Coalition to Transform Advanced Care (C-TAC) and the Petrie-Flom Center. As Senior Fellow, Cheryl will conduct and oversee policy analysis, public engagement, original research, and mentoring on legal issues related to changes in advanced illness care brought about by forward-thinking care delivery systems and policymakers.

On April 29, check out [Trends Transforming Advanced Illness Care: The Promise of Technology](#), organized and moderated by Cheryl, as an introduction to her work as Senior Fellow.

Please join us in welcoming Cheryl to the Petrie-Flom Center. We hope to see you at her first event!

Spotlight on Scholarship



Can Vaccine Allocation Plans Legally Respond to Racial Disparities?

Can COVID-19 vaccine allocation legally recognize the outsized burden of cases and deaths that racial/ethnic minority communities have borne during the pandemic?

[Read the full article.](#)

Upcoming Events

Triumphs & Tensions of the Telehealth Boom

DATE AND TIME

April 7, 2021 at 12:00 - 1:00 PM EDT

LOCATION

ONLINE ONLY

Learn more about "Triumphs & Tensions of the Telehealth Boom"

Mental Health Moonshot: Unlocking Federal Funds for Psychedelics Research

DATE AND TIME

April 12, 2021 at 12:00 - 1:00 PM EDT

LOCATION

ONLINE ONLY

Learn more about "Mental Health Moonshot"

Trends Transforming Advanced Illness Care: The Promise of Technology

DATE AND TIME

April 29, 2021 at 12:00 - 1:00 PM EDT

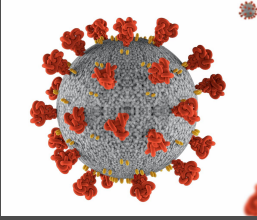
LOCATION

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Learn more about "Trends Transforming Advanced Illness Care"

Affiliate News and Scholarship

COVID-19 Coverage in *Bill of Health*



"Performance Analysis of OSHA During COVID-19," by Zoey Binder.

"A Medical Student Reflects on the Value of Time During the COVID-19 Pandemic," by Jess Ma.

"The Health Implications of Xenophobia Directed Toward Asian Americans," by Sravya Chary.

"The Future of Acute and Critical Care Nursing," by Sarah A. Delgado.

"Sports Medicine in the Era of COVID-19," by Brian Feeley and William Levine.

"Learning During the COVID-19 Pandemic: The Importance of Humanism in Medicine," by John C. Messinger.

"The Future of Medicine Post-COVID: Not a Healthy Outlook for Women," by Laura Dean, Valerie Dobiesz, and Peter Chai.

"Pandemic Highlights Need for Better Redeployment Planning," by Cory Hoeflerlin.

"Impact of COVID-19 on Health Care Providers for People with Serious Illness," by Marian Grant.

"Reflecting on the Struggle for Disability Rights a Year into the Pandemic," by Amalia Sweet.

"Scope Creep: Serving Many Roles, Health Care Providers Need a Supporting Cast," by Christian Rose.

"Providing Cancer Care in the Age of COVID-19," by Samyukta Mullangi, Johnetta Blakeley, and Stephen Schleicher.



I. Glenn Cohen (Faculty Director)
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NEW SCHOLARSHIP

"The Interstate Medical Licensure Compact: Attending to the Underserved," by Eli Y. Adashi, I. Glenn Cohen, and Winston L. McCormick in *JAMA*.

NEW COMMENTARY

"Rutgers University to require Covid vaccine for students returning to campus in the fall," featuring I. Glenn Cohen on *CNBC*.

"Washington University may require COVID vaccine as school preps for fall," featuring I. Glenn Cohen in *Fox2 Now*.

"Time for U.S. to share more COVID vaccines?" by Samantha Fields, featuring I. Glenn Cohen in *Marketplace*.

"Why 'vaccine passports' could be complicated to pull off in the US," by Alexis Keenan, featuring I. Glenn Cohen in *Yahoo! Finance*.



Carmel Shachar (Executive Director)
@CarmelShachar

NEW COMMENTARY

"Some people are lying to get vaccinated, and it's testing their friendships," by Ashley Fetters, featuring Carmel Shachar in *The Washington Post*.

"You Asked For Shots, Tuna, Metal, and Money," by Jacob Goldstein, Amanda Aronczyk, Bryant Urstadt, and Emma Peaslee, featuring Carmel Shachar in *NPR*.

"Should we judge COVID-19 vaccine line-cutters?" featuring Carmel Shachar in *Yahoo! News*.

"Is it legal to require Natick High athletes be tested for COVID-19?" by Henry Schwan, featuring Carmel Shachar in *MetroWest Daily News*.



Michael Ashley Stein (Affiliated Faculty)

NEW SCHOLARSHIP

"The Treatment of Disability Under Crisis Standards of Care: An Empirical and Normative Analysis of Change Over Time During COVID-19," by Ari Ne'eman, Michael Ashley Stein, Zackary D. Berger, and Doron Dorfman in *Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law*.



Jacob S. Sherkow (Former Edmond J. Safra Center and Petrie-Flom Center Fellow in Ethics of Technology and Biomedical Innovation)
@JSherkow

NEW SCHOLARSHIP

"EpiPen, Patents, and Life and Death," by Jacob S. Sherkow and Patricia J. Zettler in *New York University Law Review*.

NEW COMMENTARY

"Texas Doctor Spreads False Claims About COVID-19 Vaccines," by Angelo Fichera, featuring Jacob S. Sherkow in

"How are COVID-19 vaccine developers and regulators responding to variants?" by Lisa Larrimore Ouellette, Nicholson Price, Rachel Sachs, and Jacob S. Sherkow in *Written Description*.



Michelle Meyer (Former Academic Fellow)
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NEW SCHOLARSHIP

"Trends in Health Care Worker Intentions to Receive a COVID-19 Vaccine and Reasons for Hesitancy," by Michelle N. Meyer, Tamara Gjorgjieva, and Daniel Rosica in *JAMA Network Open*.

NEW COMMENTARY

"Study Finds Growing Acceptance of COVID Vaccine by U.S. Health Care Workers," by Dennis Thompson, featuring Michelle Meyer in *U.S. News*.

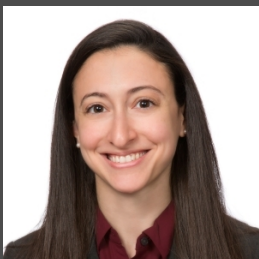
"Number of health workers open to COVID-19 vaccine doubled after FDA approval," by Brian P. Dunleavy, featuring Michelle Meyer in *UPI*.



W. Nicholson Price II (Former Academic Fellow)
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NEW COMMENTARY

"How are COVID-19 vaccine developers and regulators responding to variants?" by Lisa Larrimore Ouellette, Nicholson Price, Rachel Sachs, and Jacob S. Sherkow in *Written Description*.



Rachel Sachs (Former Academic Fellow)
@RESachs

NEW COMMENTARY

"Update on Regulatory Withdrawals of Drug Pricing Rules," by Bridget C. Dooling and Rachel Sachs in *Notice & Comment*.

"How are COVID-19 vaccine developers and regulators responding to variants?" by Lisa Larrimore Ouellette, Nicholson Price, Rachel Sachs, and Jacob S. Sherkow in *Written Description*.

"PhRMA attacks New Mexico's 'short on detail' plan for

Canadian drug imports," by Zachary Brennan, featuring Rachel Sachs in *Endpoints News*.



Rebecca Haffajee (Former Student Fellow)

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PROFESSIONAL UPDATE

Rebecca Haffajee has been **appointed Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE) and Acting ASPE** for the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.



Emily Largent (Former Student Fellow)

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NEW COMMENTARY

"No, vaccine seekers, your condo is not a congregate living facility," by Emily Largent in *The Philadelphia Inquirer*.

"The Debate Over Vaccine Mandates," featuring Emily Largent on *Coronavirus: Fact vs Fiction*.

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!](#)

MEDICAL LAW REVIEW

Call for Abstracts: Medical Law Review Special Issue



Registration Open: Birth Rights Bar Association Childbirth & the Law Virtual Conference