






Institutionalizing Public Health Lessons from COVID-19

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1. Round 1

1.1 Reviewer 1

Reviewer:

The sentence “Studies from both developed and developing contexts...” lacks citation identifiers. To ensure traceability, refer to citations (2, 3) by the authors’ names and years, at least once for clarity.

The authors mention “community tracing teams in Georgia,” but it is unclear whether Georgia refers to the U.S. state or the country. Please clarify.

Authors revised the manuscript and uploaded the updated document.

1.2 Reviewer 2

Reviewer:

The claim that “vaccine nationalism undermined global solidarity” is compelling, but consider quantifying this statement (e.g., using COVAX distribution figures or inequity metrics) to strengthen the impact.

The concept of “subsidiarity” is introduced but not defined. It would help readers unfamiliar with governance theory to add a concise definition.

The term “institutionalized elderly populations” could be more precise. Are you referring to nursing homes, long-term care facilities, or psychiatric institutions? Specify for clarity.

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2. Revised

Editor’s decision after revisions: Accepted.

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