



The Open Access Publisher

www.ijhpr.org

Israel Journal of Health Policy Research (IJHPR), the official journal of the Israel National Institute for Health Policy and Health Services Research, is an open access, peer reviewed, online journal.

IJHPR seeks to promote intensive intellectual interactions among scholars and practitioners from Israel and other countries regarding all aspects of health policy, health services research, public health, health promotion, health economics, health care management, and the ethics, sociology, and political science of health care in Israel. The ultimate aim of these intellectual interactions is to contribute to the development of health policy in Israel and around the world.

This journal endeavors to disseminate information about the achievements and dilemmas of Israeli health care, to facilitate dialogue between experts from Israel and elsewhere, and to enhance the extent to which Israel and other countries can learn from one another's health systems.

The journal considers the following article types: original research articles, book reviews, integrative articles, meeting reports and short communications. For further details, see www.ijhpr.org/about/.

Reasons for publishing in Israel Journal of Health Policy Research:

- All articles published in the journal are open access; universally accessible online without charge.
- High visibility for your work anyone with Internet access can read your article, free of charge.
- Articles are published immediately upon acceptance.
- Authors retain the copyright of their articles.
- Electronic submission and peer-review makes the whole process of publishing your article simple and efficient.
- Publishing online means unlimited space for figures, extensive datasets and video footage.
- Commentaries by leading international scholars will highlight the significance of your work.
- IJHPR is the only health policy journal where the publication criteria include contributions to both Israel and the world.

To submit your next manuscript to *Israel Journal of Health Policy Research* go to www.ijhpr.org





www.ijhpr.org

Editors: Avi Israeli (Israel) Bruce Rosen (Israel)

Chairman of Editorial Board:

Haim Doron (Israel)

Editorial Board:

Stuart Altman (United States) Toni Ashton (New Zealand) Alik Aviram (Israel) Gabi Bin Nun (Israel) **Bishara Bisharat (Israel)** Haim Bitterman (Israel) David Chinitz (Israel) Gordon DeFriese (United States) Linda Emanuel (United States) Colleen Flood (Canada) Jacob Glazer (Israel) Marsha Gold (United States) Manfred Green (Israel) **Revital Gross (Israel)** Miriam Hirschfeld (Israel) Tuvia Horev (Israel) Ofra Kalter-Leibovici (Israel) Martin McKee (United Kingdom) Shlomo Mor-Yosef (Israel) Gur Ofer (Israel) Joseph Pliskin (Israel) Avi Porath (Israel) Richard Saltman (United States) Stephen Schoenbaum (United States) Tamar Shohat (Israel) Katherine Swartz (United States) Wynand van de Ven (Netherlands) Daniel Vardy (Israel) Pnina Zadka (Israel)

Editorial Office

For all enquiries about content or submissions please contact the Editorial Office at editorial@ijhpr.org

To submit your next manuscript to *Israel Journal of Health Policy Research* go to www.ijhpr.org