

Call for Papers

Research, Practice, and Policy Issues in Aging and Health

The Faculty of Health Sciences at the American University of Beirut, Center for the Study on Aging in Lebanon, Eastern Michigan University, and the University of Michigan are planning a special issue of the *Lebanese Medical Journal (LMJ)* on research, practice, and policy issues in Aging and Health. We invite contributions from public health researchers, practitioners, and scholars from diverse disciplinary backgrounds. The goal of the special issue is to shed light on the state of knowledge on aging and health in Lebanon and to inform future policies.

Original empirical, conceptual, review, and think-piece manuscripts are solicited in the following areas:

- Health conditions that affect older adults
- Aging and mental health
- Health and social care for older adults
- Culture, family, and the meanings of healthy aging
- Other policy-relevant topics

Submission Process

- Potential contributors are asked to submit a 1,000 word extended abstract by June 30, 2011. An extended abstract should include the title and names of authors, and present a clear picture of the aims and significance of the proposed manuscript for the purpose of facilitating an informed review by the editorial team.
- Decisions about abstracts will be relayed to authors by July 30, 2011.
- Authors of selected abstracts will be invited to submit full manuscripts by October 30, 2011. Manuscripts should conform to the *LMJ's* guidelines with respect to length, referencing style, and format: <http://lebanesemedicaljournal.org/>
- All submitted manuscripts will undergo an external peer review by international and regional scholars. Based on the review, a manuscript may be accepted pending minor or major revisions, or rejected.

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