**Call for Papers:** Leadership in Healthcare

**Submission Deadline: June 15, 2023**

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**Details**

The healthcare industry is complex, and its leaders are tasked with navigating complexities to succeed in one of the largest sectors of the economy. Recently, healthcare has been under increased pressure. Issues such as employee turnover and burnout have accelerated, and leadership has been challenged to adapt. *Psychology of Leaders and Leadership* is soliciting articles on leadership in healthcare. Methods can include quantitative, qualitative, or mixed-methods approaches.

Potential topics include, but are not limited to…

* Adaptation of healthcare leaders in response to, and after, crises such as the COVID-19 pandemic
* The role of the leader in provider and staff wellness and burnout
* Challenges in healthcare leadership in relation to external factors (e.g., societal issues, payer models)
* Leadership in healthcare teams, and the role of the leader in creating team psychological safety
* Leading ad hoc healthcare teams undergoing increased membership change due to turnover and increases in short-term team members (e.g., travel nurses)
* How leadership influences patient safety and quality
* The emerging leadership role of Chief Informatics Officers and their effects on patients, employees, and organizations
* Diversity in healthcare leadership (e.g., leaders of color, women, LGBTQ+ leaders, etc.)
* Socially responsible leadership in healthcare
* The role of leadership at unit/department levels vs. leadership at hospital or health systems levels

Paper categories include:

* Original Research
* Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analyses
* Case Studies: The Practice of Leadership
* Theory Development and Applications
* Book Reviews

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