THE IMPACTS OF COVID-19 ON CRIME AND JUSTICE
Call for Papers for 2021 Special Issue

The COVID-19 crisis has and will have a significant impact on society. The impacts of the pandemic on the criminal and juvenile justice systems are already evident in changes to police department services and operations, corrections and incarcerated populations, court operations, resource availability for vulnerable populations, and ongoing justice reform efforts. Substantial adjustments to social and economic routines and resources could also impact crime and disorder.

Research will be needed to understand the impacts of COVID-19 on all facets of crime, criminal justice operations, and policy. To encourage inquiry in this area, the Editors in Chief of Criminology & Public Policy seek studies that examine the impacts of COVID-19 on crime and justice. Accepted papers will appear in a special issue to be published in 2021, and select papers will be featured in a congressional briefing at the U.S. Capitol.

Papers for this special issue must be submitted through the ScholarOne online submission site for Criminology & Public Policy (https://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/capp) no later than April 1, 2021. All papers will go through CPP’s normal peer-review process. For questions about this call for papers, please contact the Editors in Chief, below.

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