



Call for Papers

COVID Impact on Nursing: What We Have Learned and Moving Forward

The **Journal of Radiology Nursing** is planning a special issue in 2023 on Nursing and the impact of the COVID pandemic. Sample topics include:

- How COVID has changed nursing: new emphasis on self-care
- Nursing leadership and care delivery innovations, including telehealth
- Staff safety: Education (cross training, etc.), vaccine hesitancy
- Providing quality care during a pandemic: health equity, pediatric patients
- Lessons learned from the pandemic and pandemic preparedness
- Moral distress; patient loss, grief and guilt; PTSD and nursing
- Working on an unfamiliar unit; the unsafe staff assignment and liability
- Supporting colleagues during the pandemic: relationships and civility
- Local community response/support for nursing
- Separating home and work on the psychological front; mental health services for staff and patients
- Reevaluating my nursing career and goals: retirements and resignations
- My staff graduated early: Mentoring the new graduate nurses: new challenges
- Limiting family members/visitors during COVID: What has been the price?
- Communication changes for patients/families/staff; patient advocacy, vaccine education
- Compensation changes (e.g., hazard pay, overtime, etc.); patient volumes
- Going back to school during the pandemic: Did I miss out?
- Effects of the pandemic on nurse recruitment and the rise of nurse retentionist positions
- Procedure stat changes during the pandemic: A business viewpoint
- What is Long COVID?

We are seeking original research and review manuscripts (4000 words), case studies (1000-1500 words), humanities features (3000 words max), and short communications (1000-1500 words). Authors should submit an abstract, 3-5 keywords, and several highlights. Authors also may include links to websites, video demonstrations, images for which patient consent has been obtained, forms, documents, or figures (some of which may be online only). *Authors are responsible for obtaining permission to reuse copyrighted material before submitting to the journal and must include that permission at submission.*

Manuscripts should be submitted by July 1, 2023. Authors should consult the [Guide for Authors](#).

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