

## Resources & Updates: Fall 2021

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### New Research

- October 2021: [Faith-Based Organizations and SARS-CoV-2 Vaccination: Challenges and Recommendations](#). (Levin, Idler, and VanderWeele)
- October 2021: [Pew polling report on religion and COVID-19](#)
- September 2021: [Religious or spiritual coping, religious service attendance, and type 2 diabetes: A prospective study of women in the United States](#). (Spence et al.)
- June 2021: Special Issue in Religions "Pandemic, Religion and Non-religion"
- June 2021: [Psychological and spiritual outcomes during the COVID-19 pandemic: A prospective longitudinal study of adults with chronic disease](#) (Davis et al.)
- March 2021: [Religion and the World Health Organization: an evolving relationship](#). (Winiger & Peng-Keller)
- February 2021: [Religious service attendance typologies and African American substance use: a longitudinal study of the protective effects among young adult men and women](#). (Hodge et al.)
- January 2021: [Religion and Measles Vaccination in Indonesia, 1991–2017](#). (Harapan et al.)
- June 2020: [Building towards common psychosocial measures in U.S. cohort studies: principal investigators' views regarding the role of religiosity and spirituality in human health](#) (Shields and Balboni)

### NIH Spirituality Listserv

- **New Listserv:** If you would like to join the newly subscribable NIH Spirituality, and Health Scientific Interest Group Listserv, [click here](#).

### Upcoming Conferences & Webinars

- **Ongoing conference:** World Health Organization and Religions for Peace Global Virtual Conference, October 20-December 3, 2021: [Conference Website](#)
- **Upcoming Webinar:** December 14, 2021: NIH Religion, Spirituality, and Health Scientific Interest Group, "Religion, Spirituality and Health: Review, Update, and Future Directions". [Sign up here](#).
- **Upcoming conference:** Conference on Medicine and Religion, March 13-15, 2022: [CMR conference website](#)

### Recent Conferences & Webinars

- American Public Health Association Annual Meeting, October 22-27, 2021: [Caucus on public health and the faith community sessions](#)
- March 2021: Webinar: [Sacred Work Science, Religion & Human Health](#) (Dr. Ellen Idler, Dr. Emmanuel Y. Lartey)