

## Shaping Access to Reproductive Health Care: Financing and Delivery Systems [A Two-Part Webinar Series](#)

**Part I: June 7, 2024 | 12:00-1:30pm ET**

**Part II: June 12, 2024 | 12:00-1:30pm ET**

### BACKGROUND

The [Standing Committee on Reproductive Health, Equity, and Society](#) of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine will organize a two-part webinar to examine issues around financing and delivery of reproductive health care services in the U.S. Speakers will discuss the ways in which public and private—financing, institutions, and systems—shape equitable access to comprehensive reproductive health care.

Part I will focus on the coverage and limitations of public and private reproductive health care financing, the relationship between financing mechanisms and equitable access to reproductive health care, and strategies to increase access to comprehensive reproductive health care services.

Part II will focus on the influence of public and private institutions and systems on access to and delivery of reproductive health care services.

### PART I: SHAPING ACCESS TO REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH CARE THROUGH FINANCING

**Friday, June 7, 2024**

#### **12:00 Welcome & Opening Remarks**

**Tracy Weitz**, Professor, Sociology, American University; Member of the Standing Committee on Reproductive Health, Equity, and Society

#### **12:10 Panel Presentations**

- **Reimbursement for Abortion Services Under Medicaid**  
**Brittni Frederiksen**, PHD, MPH, Associate Director, Women's Health Policy, KFF
- **Reproductive Justice and Financing Infertility Care**  
**Kimberly Mutcherson**, JD, Professor of Law, Rutgers Law School
- **Financing Reproductive Health Care: Role of Statewide Contraceptive Access Initiatives**  
**Amal Khoury**, PHD, Professor and Chair, Department of Health Services Management and Policy; Director, Center for Applied Research and Evaluation in Women's Health, East Tennessee State University
- **The Role of the Private Sector Post-Roe in Enabling Access to Care**  
**Jen Stark**, Co-Director, Center for Business & Social Justice, BSR

#### **1:00 Moderated Q&A**

*Tracy Weitz, Moderator*

The public is invited to submit questions for consideration during this session.

#### **1:30 Adjourn**

## MEETING NOTES

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- The webinar recordings and presentation materials will be archived online here: <https://www.nationalacademies.org/our-work/shaping-access-to-reproductive-health-care-financing-and-delivery-systems-a-two-part-webinar-series>
- A proceedings summarizing both webinars will be published by the National Academies Press in the months following the event.
- Signup to receive updates on National Academies activities and resources around reproductive health <https://www.nationalacademies.org/topics/reproductive-health-equity-society>