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## ***THE INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF HEALTH ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT***

**The *International Journal of Health Care Finance and Economics (IJHFE)*, published since 2001 by Springer, announces a new name, additional focus, new format, and an augmented editorial board, all effective January, 2015.**

**New Name:** The new name for the journal, ***International Journal of Health Economics and Management (IJHEM)***, emphasizes its interest in and focus on health economics, health management, and the combination of the two associated with business school programs in health management, economics, and strategy.

**Additional focus:** The renamed journal will combine the health economics focus of IJHFE with the emphasis on management and policy that was part of ***Health Management, Policy, and Innovation (HMPI)***, formerly published at the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University.

**New format:** In addition to seeking to publish papers on health economics, the new name emphasizes our interest in papers in health management and policy. In addition, the journal seeks shorter papers and notes in either health economics or management that make substantive points but are too short for traditional journal article publication and too long for blogs or opinion pieces.

**Augmented editorial board:** To reflect the broadened emphasis of the journal, the senior editorial board will be expanded to include Professors David Dranove and Leemore Dafny of Northwestern (former editors of HMPI) and Professor Guy David of the Wharton School, an expert on market design and organization. Pedro Pita Barros, Robert Town, and Mark Pauly will remain as senior editors.

**Relaunch Date:** The name change and refocus are effective January 1, 2015, but the journal is now interested in receiving submissions that reflect its broader goals, to be published in the inaugural issue. The efficient electronic submission system provided by Springer will continue to characterize the journal, as will the policy of quick online publication of accepted articles ahead of formal publication in hard copy.

