

HIV is not a Crime: Film Screening & Discussion

HIV criminalization, the inappropriate use of one's HIV status in criminal prosecutions, is a growing and potentially dangerous phenomenon. About two-thirds of all states now have HIV-specific criminal statutes, creating a "viral underclass" in the law based on an immutable characteristic. What are some of the implications of this type of criminal law policy? In what situations does the law consider HIV to be a "deadly weapon" and is it doing so appropriately? What should the remedies for such situations be?

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