



Post COVID-19: A Reset is Required.... but of What?

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In 2020, the 50th annual meeting of the World Economic Forum was held which was titled "The Great Reset" with a theme of rebuilding society and the economy in a more sustainable way following the COVID-19 pandemic. Many have described their response to the Covid crisis in three phases: response, recovery, and reset. Reset in the setting of healthcare and, in particular, emergency medicine needs recognition of the effects that dynamic adaptation and the sustained response have had on systems and the delivery of care.

It needs to be understood additionally that a return to the pre-pandemic method and environment of emergency care delivery will not be equitable or safe for the public. New paradigms are required.