Advancing Health Systems Research and Practice in the United States

In the US, health care costs are 18% of our GDP - among the highest in the world.

But only

Yet, unacceptable health outcomes and disparities exist in many populations.

People of color in the US unilaterally face more challenges accessing health care than their white peers. American life expectancy at birth is a full 3 years less than other comparable countries.

The physical and financial health of the nation is at stake.