

### WHLC Dobbs Series

#### **Fireside Chat: The Effect of Dobbs on Health Equity**

Webinar

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**Wednesday, November 9, 2022**

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. PT

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. CT

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. ET

Complimentary Program via Webinar

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**The Women in Healthcare Leadership Collaborative (WHLC)** continues the **WHLC Dobbs Series** focused on the far-reaching impact of the recent Supreme Court decision in *Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization*.

Please join us on **November 9th at 2:00 pm ET / 11:00 am PT** for a virtual fireside chat to discuss the impact of *Dobbs* and state anti-abortion laws on **health equity**. We look forward to facilitating a timely discussion on, among other issues: (1) racial disparities in access to obstetrics and related care; (2) lack of trust in the healthcare system as an increasingly significant barrier to care; and (3) the adoption of innovative care delivery models that address health equity post-Dobbs in the context of a shifting legal landscape.

Presented By:

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3. **Audrey Crowell (moderator)**, *Associate*, Sheppard Mullin
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