## INTRODUCTION





## Introduction to Innovations in Hepatitis Elimination

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With this July 2020 issue, *Clinical Liver Disease* launches the series Innovations in Hepatitis Elimination to publish the operational research that advances progress toward hepatitis elimination. The series will focus on studies guiding the scale-up of hepatitis B vaccination, hepatitis B and hepatitis C testing and treatment, and other interventions necessary to achieve the goals for hepatitis elimination. Operational research includes three areas of study: evaluations of existing programs, revealing the effective strategies in hepatitis prevention, testing, and treatment currently in the field; studies of new implementation strategies opening new options for expanding access to these interventions for target populations; and the innovations in technology that improve hepatitis vaccines, diagnostics, and therapies.

To strengthen the evidence base for hepatitis elimination in resource-constrained settings, *Clinical Liver Disease* encourages submissions from researchers in low- and middle-income countries and from studies of marginalized populations at risk for viral hepatitis globally. The Coalition for Global Hepatitis Elimination (CGHE) will provide editorial assistance for the series, including helping authors prepare reports, reviewing draft manuscripts, and forwarding submissions to *Clinical Liver Disease*. Instructions for preparation of manuscripts for *Clinical Liver Disease* are available online (https://aasldpubs.onlinelibrary.wiley.com/hub/journal/20462484/about/author-guidelines). To request editorial assistance and submit draft manuscripts, authors can contact CGHE at jward@taskforce.org.

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