**TITLE:**  Patient A: a play/movie, survey about a person infected with HIV/AIDS through no fault of their own

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**RESEARCH PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

A project in the medical humanities for producing videos on HIV/AIDS- working with the theater person in arts in medicine.

We want to produce the play “Patient A” (for usage rights and to pay for script copies) and to develop a survey to use in order to evaluate the impact of the play- which reflects on the idea of the “innocent” victim, or someone who became infected through no action of their own. The play explores the whole notion of stigma and why there might be more empathy for an innocent victim.  Ideal would be to find a medical student/s who would like to be in the play and/or develop, administer, and analyze the survey!