

## Public health

**Depriving patients of a drug  
that is of proven necessity  
in order to offer a long-shot bet  
to people with coronavirus  
is bad policy.**

**Financial Times editorial, April 8, 2020,  
commenting on Trump's continual touting of  
hydroxychloroquine as a "game changer,"  
which has made it virtually unavailable to  
malaria, lupus and rheumatoid arthritis  
patients, who depend on it**