



**Issues covered:**  
**Constitutional Rights**  
**Citizenship**  
**Education**

**Length: 9:06**

**Marlene Schwartz, PhD**, Director of the University of Connecticut’s Rudd Center for Food Policy and Health

Registered dietitians and other online influencers are being paid to post videos that promote diet soda, sugar and supplements on Instagram and TikTok. Prof. Schwartz discussed the little-known tactic often used by the multibillion-dollar food, beverage and pharmaceutical industries to sway consumers faced with often-contradictory health messages about popular products. She offered suggestions to help viewers recognize these paid messages.

**Issues covered:**  
**Consumer Matters**  
**Personal Health/Nutrition**

**Length: 8:11**

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**Devin Mann, MD**, Professor in the Departments of Medicine and Population Health at NYU Grossman School of Medicine

Dr. Mann led a study of healthcare consumers that found that most of ChatGPT’s responses to people’s healthcare-related queries are nearly indistinguishable from those provided by human physicians. He believes the chatbots will be great tools for healthcare providers to communicate with patients, improve quality of care and reduce misdiagnoses and errors.

**Issues covered:**  
**Artificial Intelligence**  
**Personal Health**

**Length: 9:02**

**Gary Painter, PhD**, Academic Director of the Carl H. Lindner College of Business real estate program, Professor of Real Estate at the University of Cincinnati

Prof. Painter shared his research that Americans who pay more than 30% of their income toward rent are forced to make trade-offs in other areas of their lives that can last for years and contribute to many social ills. He said while some trade-offs, such as buying less clothing, might not have severe long-term consequences, some rent-burdened residents reported cutting back on medicine and other health care that could have cascading effects.

**Issues covered:**  
**Housing**  
**Poverty**  
**Economy**

**Length: 8:18**











