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Should Hospitals Focus on Care or Diversity?

A recent article was titled, “86 hospital and health system diversity, equity and inclusion officers to know.” The article says these officers are creating inclusive environments where everyone feels welcomed, valued, and safe.” Is this necessary?

I used to work in an emergency room where we treated patients according to their conditions, not their color. We didn't focus on diversity, equity, or inclusion. We focused on saving lives and treating injuries.

With diversity, equity and inclusion officer salaries over \$100,000, why are they dividing patients and health care workers into identities rather than uniting them in common humanity? Wouldn't that be a better use of precious financial resources? Isn't it better to actually focus on care?

“86 hospital and health system diversity, equity and inclusion officers to know I 2023,” Anna Falvey and Claire Wallace, Becker's Hospital Review, updated May 23, 2023: <https://bit.ly/42cuguP>

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