

The pandemic: Women, child care and the economy

In this section you will find research, news and policy analysis related to women, gender and the economy in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Five things the federal government can do to support women and economic growth ^[1]

Assiniboia Times, 19 August 2020

News coverage of childcare during covid-19: Where are women and gender? ^[2]

Politics & Gender, August 2020

2020: The school year we made women choose between work & care ^[3]

Romper, 11 August 2020

Study: COVID-19 associated with unemployment gap between Canadian mothers and fathers ^[4]

The Ubysey, 18 August 2020

We're sharing childcare: I've colour-coded each parent according to risk profile' ^[5]

Financial Times, 2 August 2020

The economic impact of COVID-19 has disproportionately hit women ^[6]

The Hamilton Spectator, 31 July 2020

Pandemic threatens decades of women's labour force gains ^[7]

RBC, 16 July 2020

Resetting normal: Women, decent work and Canada's fractured care economy ^[8]

Canadian Women's Foundation, July 2020

COVID-19 and gender: A policy paper ^[9]

The University of Nortre Dame, 1 July 2020

COVID-19 and the gender employment gap among parents of young children ^[10]

Canadian Public Policy, July 2020

The nearly impossible balance for working mothers during pandemic ^[11]

Policy Options, 8 June 2020

We are losers in this crisis': Research finds lockdowns reinforcing gender inequality ^[12]

The Guardian, 29 May 2020

'I had to choose being a mother'" With no child care or summer camps, women are being edged out of the workforce ^[13]

The Lily, 22 May 2020

Reform maternity leave to meet the needs of modern women ^[14]

National Post, 20 May 2020

Have women disappeared from the messaging around child care? ^[15]

Policy Options, 11 March 2019

'I feel like a 1950s housewife': How lockdown has exposed the gender divide ^[16]

The Guardian, 3 May 2020

Women juggling with caregiving take brunt of pandemic labour impact ^[17]

CTV News, 1 May 2020

COVID-19 has laid bar how much we value women's work, and how little we pay for it ^[18]

The Conversation, 21 April 2020, news article.

The COVID-19 recession will hurt women more, but it might nudge them toward equality ^[19]

Quartz, 15 April 2020, news article.

The coronavirus is a disaster for feminism ^[20]

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