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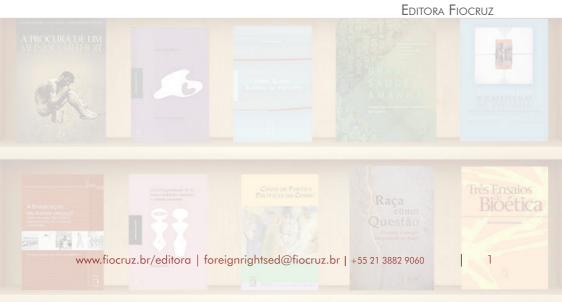
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# BIRTHING SCENES AND BODY POLITICS

## CENAS DE PARTO E POLÍTICAS DO CORPO

Rosamaria Giatti Carneiro

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# Synopsis

Brazil is the world's leading country in cesareans. Here, 52% to 88% of deliveries are surgical in public and private health networks, respectively. But it is not only the high number of caesarean sections that draws attention, but what's behind it: cesareans are the choice of most pregnant women and the professionals who care for them. In this work, the author – anthropologist and feminist – researched a group who chose to give birth differently: the most natural way possible. She lived from 2008 to 2010 in the city of São Paulo with about 60 women who had given birth and were again pregnant but did not expect to repeat the previous painful experiences. Rosamaria Carneiro also had contact with firsttime pregnants who wanted to study possibilities to decide which option to choose, accepting no impositions. "Few cases and a lot of density has always been my goal. But more than that, the content is the result of an ethnographic research, eminently qualitative about sexual and reproductive healt", she says.

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- 2. In the Field and in the Game: delivery practices, emotions and translations
- 3. In the Name of Experience: birth, sexuality and spirituality
- 4. Feminisms, Deliveries and Maternity: history, reversibility and subjectivation

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## About the author

Rosamaria Giatti Carneiro is an anthropologist, PhD in Social Sciences (Institute of Philosophy and Human Sciences of Campinas State University). Associate professor of the Public Health Program at the University of Brasília and of the Postgraduate Program in Science and Technology in Health of the same university.



THE (UN) LEARNING OF ONESELF: transsexualities, interaction and health care

O (DES) APRENDIZADO DE SI: transexualidades, interação e cuidado em saúde

Rodrigo Borba

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Year: 2016

ISBN: 978-85-7541-474-3

Pages: 244 Price: R\$ 49,00 Format: 16 x 23 cm Weight: 0,350 Kg

# Synopsis

Bianca and Leandro were a couple. "Bianca showed her body with rounded shapes decorated by dresses, makeup and high heels, but still she had a penis; Leandro used bands to tighten the breasts and a rolled up sock in his underwear to create volume in pants. A woman with a penis; a man without one? A boy becomes a woman and dates a girl who becomes a man? She is he? He is she?". From the initial shock came the motivation for the doctoral work about candidates to the transsexualizing process in a public hospital. In this research, UFRI professor Rodrigo Borba found a glaring mismatch between what health services understand how transsexuality is and the varied ways in which transgender people actually experience their identity in everyday life. As a result, discursive obstacles remain in the way of a full and humanized health care for transgender individuals. The author argues that we have to relearn how to look after the health of transgender individuals, this way respecting them effectively as people and valuing the particular forms of experiencing transsexualism. Respecting and valuing especially "who we can be, beyond the conventionalized standards on our bodies: an everyday challenge in our times", as recalls UFRI professor Luiz Paulo Moita Lopes, advisor on the thesis which became this new volume from the Anthropology & Health collection.

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- 1. Recipe to Become a True Transsexual: subjections and resistance
- 2. The Transsexualizing Process and the Construction of Research
- 3. (Un) Learning *to Be*: socialization trajectories and (meta) pragmatics of social identification
- 4. Interactional Production of *True Transsexuals*: the transsexualizing process as a socialization path
- Sex, Lies and Pathologisation: discursive obstacles to comprehensive care and humanized health of transgender people
- 6. Relearning to see and hear

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#### About the author

Rodrigo Borba is PhD in Applied Linguistics, professor at the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro; He worked as a visiting researcher of the Centre for Language, Discourse and Communication at the University of London and the Department of English Language and Applied Linguistics at the University of Birmingham, UK.



WOMEN'S DICTIONARY OF INFAMY: reception and diagnosis of women in situations of violence

DICIONÁRIO FEMININO DA INFÂMIA: acolhimento e diagnóstico de mulheres em situação de violência

Elizabeth Maria Fleury-Teixeira Stela Nazareth Meneghel (editors)

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Year: 2015

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# Synopsis

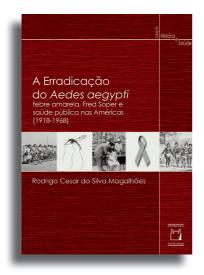
The work brings a rich panorama of the recurring concepts in the feminist and women's agenda and goes beyond by presenting themes and meanings in its historical, political and social dimension. The work explains phenomena involving various aspects, types and scenarios of violence and also forms of resistance, as well as information on scientific analyzes that have sustained the creation of procedures, standards, approaches and techniques that are now regulated and operating in various public sectors in regular and/or embryonic form. Furthermore, there was a major concern: to provide readers the most important notions about concepts of freedom, human rights, justice, aspects of male education that lead to the practice of violence and other topics. The 'Dictionary' is the result of a work that brought together many voices: more than one hundred collaborators, researchers and/or professionals from universities, government agencies, public health services, social security, public security, from legal and policing field, and non-governmental organizations worked collectively in choosing and preparing meaningful entries.

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## About the editors

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THE ERADICATION OF AEDES AEGYPTI: yellow fever, Fred Soper and public health in Americas (1918-1968)

A ERRADICAÇÃO DO AEDES AEGYPTI: febre amarela, Fred Soper e saúde pública nas Américas (1918-1968)

Rodrigo Cesar da Silva Magalhães

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Year: 2016

ISBN: 978-85-7541-479-8

Pages: 420 Price: R\$ 60,00 Format: 16 x 23 cm Weight: 0,585 Kg

# Synopsis

Eleven countries and territories of the Americas, including Brazil, have been declared officially free of the Aedes aegypti during the XV Pan American Sanitary Conference, held in Puerto Rico in 1958. This event is part of an important chapter in the history of health that the author of this book tells when analyzing the period between 1918 and 1968. In 1918 the Global Campaign for the Eradication of Yellow Fever had begun, led by the Rockefeller Foundation. In 1968 the Continental Campaign for the Eradication of Aedes aegypti ended, launched in 1947 under the auspices of the Pan American Health Bureau, today known as the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO). The second campaign was a continuation to the first, but in a renewed international context. It was being built "a new pattern of relationships of international organizations and the US government with the countries of Latin America, especially Brazil, with higher prevalence of these." If, in the first decades of the twentieth century, the American republics held few diplomatic contacts and almost no dialogue in areas such as politics and economics, they started to strengthen their relations in the context of health cooperation. Therefore, the reformulation of the campaign and its relaunch "resulted in an unprecedented joint of the American republics to jointly tackle a health issue affecting all of them," says Rodrigo Cesar.

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- 2. Fred Soper and the Reorganization of the Global Campaign for Eradication of Yellow Fever from the Rockefeller Foundation in the 1930's
- 3. Latin American Health Cooperation and the Origins of the Continental Campaign for the Eradication of *Aedes aegypti*
- 4. From South America to the Battlefields in Europe: new campaigns, new institutions and the rehabilitation of the concept of eradication
- The New Post-World War II International Scenario and the Apogee of the Continental Campaign for the Eradication of Aedes aegypti
- The "Soper Eradication Era" and the Apogee of the Continental Campaign for the Eradication of Aedes aegypti
- 7. The Cold War Comes to America: origins, controversies and consequences to the Eradication Program of *Aedes aegypti* in the USA

Conclusion: international health, eradication of *Aedes aegypti* and the strengthening of inter-American relations

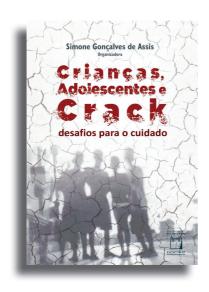
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## About the author

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CHILDREN, ADOLESCENTS AND CRACK:

challenges for health care

CRIANÇAS, ADOLESCENTES E CRACK: desafios para o cuidado

Simone Gonçalves de Assis (editor)

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Year: 2015

ISBN: 978-85-7541-471-2

Pages: 402 Price: R\$ 64,00 Format: 16 x 23 cm Weight: 0,560 Kg

# Synopsis

Crack is a drug of rapid absorption that causes instant impact on the overall health of users and causes clinical and psychiatric compromise. This book covers the use of the drug by children and adolescents and the consequences due to substance use by parents or guardians. The work brings together ten chapters and it is based on the results of two researchs conducted by the Oswaldo Cruz Foundation. The authors work in different fields of knowledge and give the work an interdisciplinary view on the subject. They sought to identify how many and who are these young people and then draw a profile, and also reflect on existing forms of care in some Brazilian cities. According to the editor, crack is a public health problem that affects many Brazilian families, "most because of the striking effects on individuals and society than necessarily the numbers achieved. In studies that measure the prevalence existing in the country, crack use tends to achieve as little as 1% of general population, whereas other problems such as alcohol use covers much greater proportions."

#### Preface

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- Foundations for Crack Study in Childhood and Adolescence
- 2. How many Children and Adolescents Regularly Use Crack and Similar Drugs in Brazilian Capitals?
- 3. Health Care to Child and Adolescent Crack Users in Manaus
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- The Paradox in Health Care of Crack Users in Salvador: between technical reference and fragility of the joint network
- 6. The City of Rio de Janeiro and Crack
- 7. Portrais of a Special Moment in the Approach to Crack User in São Paulo
- 8. Curitiba: between the work in the ideal network and the real network
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#### About the editor

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# O TABU DA MORTE

José Carlos Rodrigues

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# Synopsis

Humanity undergoes a series of transformations throughout its history, but two points remain unchanged: men are born and they die. "This seems an obvious statement, however, it is not", says the author. Despite the title, the purpose of the book is not to study death itself, as it might seem at first glance. In fact, from a thorough analysis of how different civilizations culturally appropriated death – a much more 'sociological' than 'biological' problem – the author seeks to deconstruct the western myth of life. In the Middle Ages, the death bed was common. It caused pain, but not great distress because a rupture between life and death could not be seen. It worked as a passage to another life, a paradise. From the 13th century until the 17th, the death bed gains a dramatic meaning, associated with the development of individualization and the uncertainty about paradise – Death is revealed thus as a form of social control, because "life in the other world will depend on the behavior individuals have in the earthly world". In the Enlightenment, the separation between body – object of medical science anatomy – and soul – object of the Christian funeral liturgy - is accentuated. Relations between death and history remain till contemporary funeral practices, where death – "a hateful and terrible event" – is transferred to the hospital and from there to undertakers - that is, death also professionalized. "Men have produced and continue to produce a wide variety of representations about their death and that of others", he adds. In fact, man is the only being to be aware of death - and it is this awareness, with varying nuances according to time and place, which originates the human way of looking at life and the world.

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- 2. Semantization of the Absurd: between two worlds
- 3. From a World to Another
- 4. Image of Death and Image of Society
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- 6. Death and Communication
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#### Part II – From Community to Individual

- 8. The Medieval Community of the Living and the Dead
- 9. From the Great Awakening to the Weighing of the Soul
- Body and Soul: bourgeois biography and death angst
- 11. Hygiene, Science and Medicalization: 'natural' death
- 12. The Romantic Death
- 13. A Funeral Revolution

## Part III - From Individual to Species

- 14. Another Way of Dying
- 15. Dead Labor and Consumerism
- 16. Dead Nature
- 17. On War
- 18. The Other World

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## About the author

Iosé Carlos Rodrigues majored in Social Sciences and in Law at the Fluminense Federal University (UFF); he holds a MS and a PhD in Anthropology from the National Museum of the Federal University of Rio de Ianeiro and the University of Paris VII, respectively; he is an associate professor at the Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Ianeiro (PUC-Rio) and full professor of anthropology at UFF.



BRAZIL HEALTH TOMORROW: the Economic-Industrial Health Care Complex

BRASIL SAÚDE AMANHÃ: complexo econômico-industrial da saúde Carlos Augusto Grabois Gadelha Paulo Gadelha

José Carvalho de Noronha Telma Ruth Pereira (editors)

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# Synopsis

This volume is dedicated to the reflection on the economic-industrial health care complex (EIHCC) from the proposition that the articulation between technological advance, productive development and health promotion is fundamental to guarantee effectiveness in the formulation of public policies for the sector. The editors and the authors of the book defend the need to combine concepts from several areas of science to strengthen the EIHCC, in view of the "profound disarticulation of technological and productive skills and the loss of opportunities to advance in the structuring of a public health system", effects of the neoliberal economy direction that prevailed in the 1990s. The five chapters are presented as part of an "integrated, systemic and political economy vision", analyzing aspects related to production and innovation within the EIHCC, and seeking to consolidate political and academic foundations to build "a national project based on social progress and the productive structure". The book integrates a series of publications resulting from the Brazil Saúde Amanhã initiative, a multidisciplinary research network, coordinated by Fiocruz, with the support of the Ministry of Health.

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- Generation and Innovation Trajectories in Health Services
- 2. Basic Chemical Industry in Brazil: potentialities, challenges and strategic niches
- 3. Biotechnology in Brazil: challenges and strategic niches
- 4. Mechanical, Electronic and Materials Bases
- 5. The Economic-Industrial Health Care Complex, Safety and Strategic Autonomy: the insertion of Brazil in the world

## About the editors

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Telma Ruth Pereira: doctor; collaborator of the Brasil Saúde Amanhã initiative.



# IN SEARCH OF A BETTER WORLD: notes on cynicism in health

À PROCURA DE UM MUNDO MELHOR: apontamentos sobre o cinismo em saúde Luis David Castiel Caco Xavier Danielle Ribeiro de Moraes

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# Synopsis

Cynicism is among us – and manifests itself even in the context of academic publications as well as in medical-sanitary conduct and prescriptions. Written as an essay with good hints of ironic humor – also in the form of cartoons -, the texts of this book are intended "to consider the naturalization of cynicism that surrounds us and also the many sanitary practices on how to demarcate and dimension the confrontation before the powers which hinder access to a better world." From well-articulated and accessible philosophical/conceptual grounds of the term cynicism and a critique of globalized neoliberal capitalism, the authors scrutinize science and expose its weaknesses and incongruities. The texts that compose the work have in common "the concern with the proliferation of cynical statements in the field of health that is inextricably related to many of the present precarities", with emphasis on health inequities. Although science intends to be the most faithful representation of reality, free from the subjectivity that distorts evidences, the production of scientific truth presents problems – and so often ends up serving the economic and political domain. Thus, the essays presented here, "though concern us with their revelations, they encourage us to resist in these times when cynicism gains such ominous proportions among the Brazilian political class," as the researcher Gil Sevalho of the National School of Public Health (Ensp/Fiocruz) synthesizes in the Preface.

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Part I: A Philosophical Introduction to Cynicism

 An Essay on Cynicism, between Dogs and Mice

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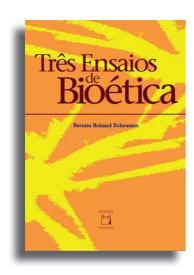
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- 4. Publicationist Cynism in the Sanitary Academic Context: symptomatic test in the form of copy and paste
- Risks and the Promotion of Self-Control in Food Health: moralism, biopolitics and humor
- 6. Access to the Champs Elysées: the promotion of expanded health and improvement technologies in search of the most eternal longevity possible
- 7. Microdeath: the hyper preventive communication of risks
- 8. The Phantasmagoria of Health Risks and the Present of the Future I: preemptive hyper prevention and digital self-monitoring
- 9. The Phantasmagoria of Health Risks and the Present of the Future II: medicamentality

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# THREE ESSAYS ON BIOETHICS

## TRÊS ENSAIOS DE BIOÉTICA

Fermin Roland Schramm

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# Synopsis

Readers interested in the theoretical development of bioethics and, at the same time, in their application to the solution of moral conflicts will surely find valuable materials in this book. Each chapter places bioethics in a different context: clinical, genomic and of biosafety. In the first essay, it is discussed the possibilities of this 'toolbox' called bioethics in order to understand and try to solve conflicts of interests and values in the scope of the relations between professionals and health services users. In the second, the author applies the bioethics tools to the case of moral conflicts involving genomics, contemplating arguments favorable and contrary to the practices of genetic engineering and contributing to critical thinking without prejudice on the subject. Finally, the third chapter deals with the interface between bioethics and biosafety, which have common concerns, such as the issue of risks, but with different approaches - while bioethics deals with moral values, biosecurity makes use of technical, administrative and legal actions.

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- Conceptual Issues in Clinical Bioethics: is a realistic metabioethics possible?
- 2. Bioethics and the Morality of Genomics
- 3. Bioethics 'and/or' Biosafety: a possible interface in the evaluation and management of biotechnology practice?

#### References

#### About the author

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# GLOBAL HEALTH: present perspectives SAÚDE GLOBAL: olhares do presente

Helena Ribeiro

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Year: 2016

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Pages: 106 Price: R\$ 15,00 Format: 12,5 x 18 cm

Weight: 0,125 Kg

# Synopsis

In the field of health it is evident the need for new approaches that take into account the relationship of the local with the global/universal. Composed of very dynamic processes in time and space, and guided by values such as ethics, justice and solidarity, global health is a field with great potential for growth and which increasingly attracts the attention of academic institutions. This book describes the emergence of this field of study and presents some definitions of the term global health; it contextualizes global environmental health and discusses the major ecological problems faced by humanity; it focuses on some of the social determinants of noncommunicable diseases and shows that infectious diseases still constitute relevant and urgent global issues; it also addresses some cross-border socio-environmental and health issues in our continent. The book, therefore, presents the foundations of global health and seeks to arouse interest and vocations to the field, where health actors must work together with the communities themselves and professionals from other sectors, such as law, agriculture, environment, engineering, diplomacy, sociology, anthropology, geography and communication. "It is argued in favor of compromise with everyone in the world, in non-asymmetric relations, in which the knowledge and culture of all peoples have valid contributions that can be added in the construction of global health as emerging science", affirms the author.

#### Presentation

- Health in the World and the Globalization
- 2. Environmental Problems and Planetary Demographics
- 3. Culture, Life Habits and Chronic Noncommunicable Diseases
- 4. Surveillance of Infectious Diseases
- 5. Global Health in South America: the socio-environmental dimension

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A MATTER OF RACE: history, science and identities in Brazil

RAÇA COMO QUESTÃO: história,

ciência e identidades no Brasil

Marcos Chor Maio Ricardo Ventura Santos (editors)

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Year: 2010

ISBN: 978-85-7541-193-3

Pages: 316 Price: R\$ 38,00 Format: 16 x 23 cm Weight: 0,410 Kg

# Synopsis

The work is a collection of essays non chronological and carefully selected by the editors, ranging from biology to social sciences, anthropology and history, with varied approaches. By analyzing discussions about the hygienist thinking and trajectories of physical anthropology in nineteenth-century Brazil, the articles cover up the current correlations of racial thought with genomic technologies. A precious material for those studying and interested in issues related to race in Brazil.

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- 1. Between Natural Wealth, Human Poverty and the Imperatives of Civilization, It is Invented the Investigation of the Brazilian People
- 2. Race, Disease and Public Health in Brazil: a debate on the hygienist thinking of the 19th century
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- 4. Skulls, Bodies and Measures: the formation of the collection of anthropometric instruments of the Sector of Biological Anthropology of the National Museum at the end of the 19th century beginning of the 20th century
- 5. 'Semite Stock': the presence of the Jews in "Casa-Grande & Senzala"
- Scientism and Antiracism in the post-WWII: an analysis of the first Unesco Race Declarations
- 7. Anthropology, Race and the Identity Dilemmas in the Age of Genomics
- 8. On the Razor's Edge: race, genetics and identities
- The Color of Bones: scientific narratives and cultural appropriations about 'Luzia', a prehistoric skull of Brazil
- Racial Quotas Policy, the 'Eyes of Society' and the Uses of Anthropology: the case of the entrance exam of University of Brasília (UnB)
- 11. Social Policy with Racial Cuts in Brazil: the case of black population health

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CONTEMPORARY FAMILY AND HEALTH: meanings, practices and public policies
FAMÍLIA CONTEMPORÂNEA E SAÚDE: significados, práticas e políticas públicas
Leny A. Bomfim Trad (editor)

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# Synopsis

This is a collection resulting from interdisciplinary work of wide-ranging research in family studies in Brazil. Since the definition of the object - family -, this book has as its starting point the rapid and continuous changes undergone by this institution, which are reflected in its internal composition. In gender and intergenerational relations, and in the context of a feeling of kinship and belonging, the work indicates that the family is currently the target of public policies and programs applied to the health sector in Brazil, problematizing the pertinence of their respective guidelines according to the social needs and cultural possibilities of the Brazilian family.

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