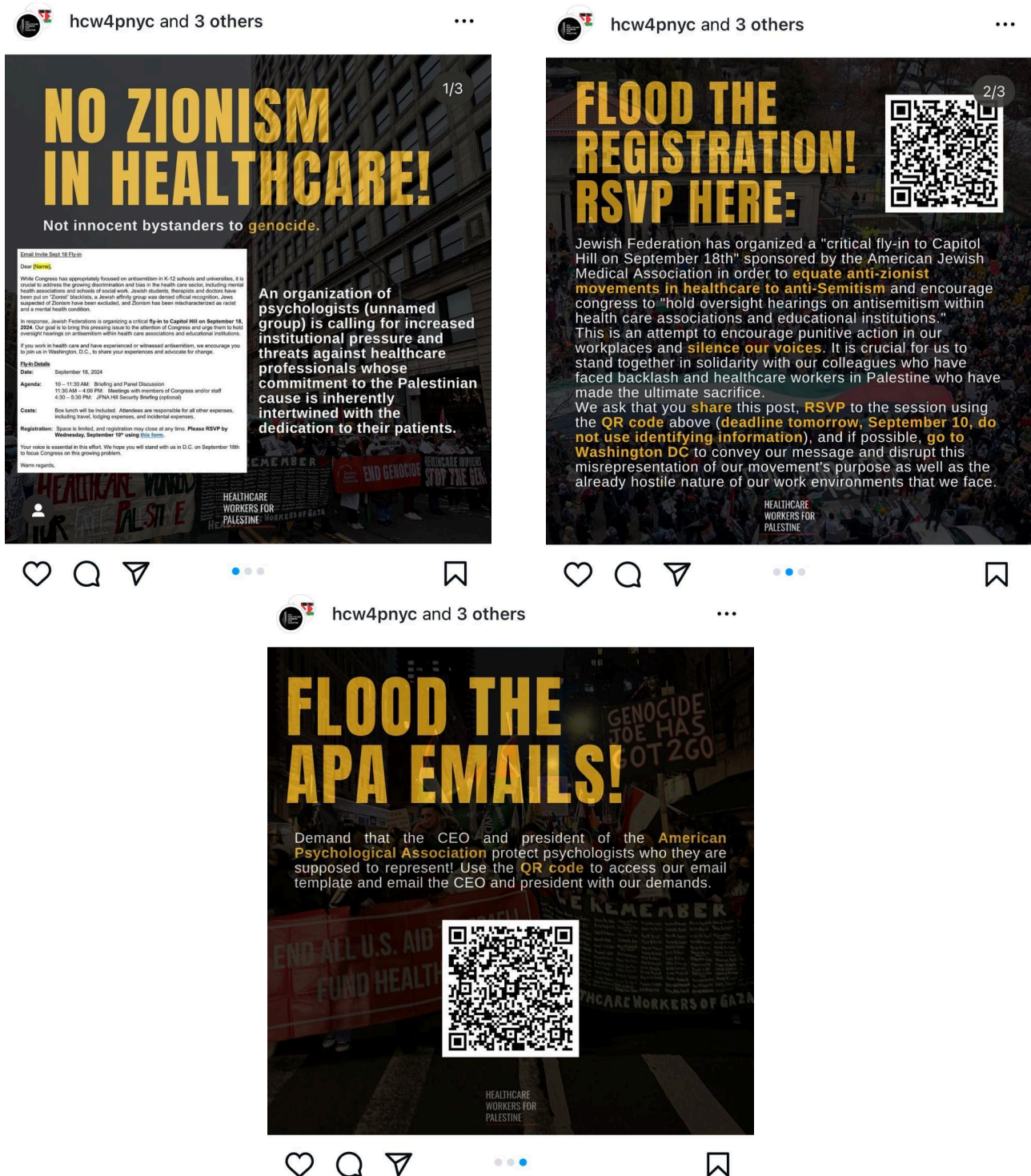


Efforts to boycott or exclude Zionists from health care settings, among others, is a form of antisemitism because it excludes the vast majority of Jews based on their sincerely held beliefs and identity. Note the call to “disrupt” the meetings planned by Jewish Federations on Capitol Hill through false identities.

The below screenshots came from an Instagram post by Health Care Workers for Palestine - NYC on September 9, 2024. As of 9/13 the post has 707 likes.



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hcw4pnyc There is no place in healthcare for zionism.

As many of our colleagues have faced suspension and expulsion from their positions in health for simply advocating for the Palestinian cause and for the rights of Palestinians living under the horror of genocide, occupation, and the complete destruction of the healthcare system, we are facing yet another threat against our community. An organization of psychologists (unnamed group) has falsely characterized the nature and mission of our movement and is calling for increased institutional pressure and threats against healthcare professionals whose commitment to the Palestinian cause is inherently intertwined with the dedication to their patients.

Jewish Federation has organized a "critical fly-in to Capitol Hill on September 18th" (see above) sponsored by the American Jewish Medical Association in order to equate anti-zionist movements in healthcare to anti-Semitism and encourage congress to "hold oversight hearings on antisemitism within health care associations and educational institutions." This is an attempt to encourage punitive action in our workplaces and silence our voices. It is crucial for us to stand together in solidarity with our colleagues who have faced backlash and healthcare workers in Palestine who have made the ultimate sacrifice.

We ask that you share this post, RSVP to the session using the QR code above (deadline tomorrow, September 10), and if possible, go to Washington DC to convey our message and disrupt this misrepresentation of our movement's purpose as well as the already hostile nature of our work environments that we face.

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