Weekly Review: State Quarantine Battles Wait Out 21-Day Incubation Periods

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The debate over travel restrictions on persons arriving from the Ebola ravaged region in West Africa shifted this week to posturing over the effectiveness and legality of varying state-level quarantine requirements. Last weekend’s imbroglio over initial strict quarantine rules in New York and New Jersey shifted to less stringent home-based quarantines and monitoring protocols in other states. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention offered new monitoring guidelines, which helped states to minimize quarantine rules. Full story

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