Working Conditions Matter:  
Social, Health, and Policy Perspectives on the Nail Salon Industry and the Boston Response

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What are the human costs of an $8 manicure? In May 2015, the New York Times investigation into New York’s nail salon industry brought an immediate response by Gov. Andrew Cuomo to address the wage and health injustices that face thousands of workers. This panel brings together experts from social work, public health, and public policy to discuss the working conditions in Boston’s nail salon industry and how our city is addressing the issue.

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