**Biological citizenship: forms of governance and resistance to biomedical knowledge in the Czech Republic**

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The project explores conceptualisations of (non)health both on the level of social prescription and on the level of individual experience. Using the concept of biological citizenship, the project explores health (or conceptualisations thereof) as both a site of disciplination and governance as well as a potential site of agency, activist engagement and resistance to (biomedicalised) power. We propose to analyse the ways in which health and individual ‘biology’ facilitate emergence of novel forms of collectivities and explore (and complicate) the links between collectivities created on the basis of biology, forms of resistant knowledge and political agency. The project focuses on two case studies: people living with HIV/AIDS and parents critical to compulsory vaccination; both phenomena so far under-researched in the Czech context.

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