

# How Have Young Women Been Economically Impacted by COVID-19?



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# SUMMARY

The topic I will discuss is: how have women of color (specifically young women) been economically affected from COVID-19? I chose this topic because many young women, since the start of the pandemic, are either struggling to receive jobs, are single mothers that do not have the necessary resources to provide for their children, or are struggling to help assist their families financially.

Through this project, I learned that there are many different ways women have struggled since 2020, and many have suffered because of the inequalities they are subjected to. This project has opened my eyes, and I hope we can achieve equality between women and men, in the future. I understand that it will take a long time for women to have access to the opportunities of men, but we must fight to make this a reality.

If the ERA was published, it would greatly impact women in the workforce, especially since COVID-19. There is already a wage gap, and since the pandemic women are now struggling even more.

# THE STORY

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by COVID-19?**

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<https://youtu.be/OUZljGQ9mzc>

# MORE RESOURCES

To know more:

<https://wphfund.org/covid19projects/>

To learn:

<https://nwlc.org/>

To help:

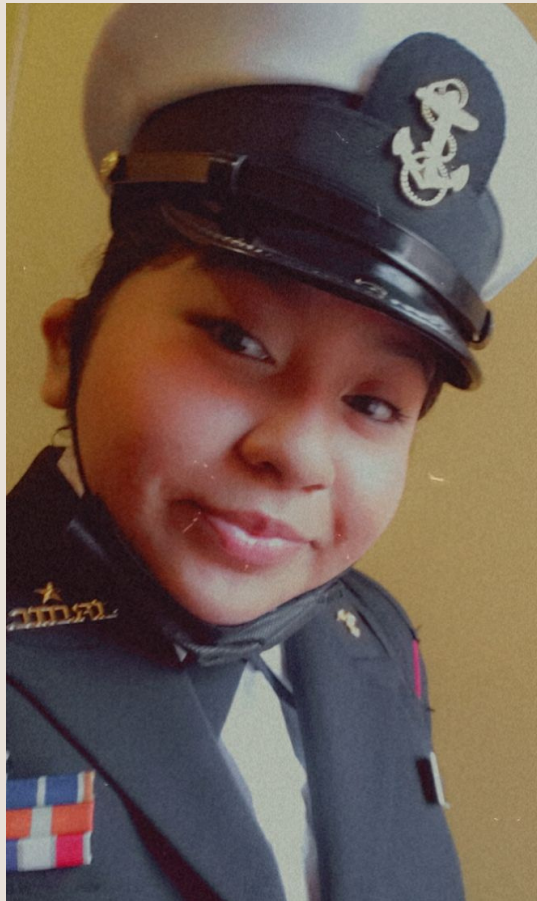
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