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Sommario/riassunto

In many European languages the National Standard Variety is converging with spoken, informal, and socially marked varieties. In Italian this process is giving rise to a new standard variety called Neo-standard Italian, which partly consists of regional features. This book contributes to current research on standardization in Europe by offering a comprehensive overview of the re-standardization dynamics in Italian. Each chapter investigates a specific dynamic shaping the emergence of Neo-standard Italian and Regional Standard Varieties, such as the acceptance of previously non-standard features, the reception of Old Italian features excluded from the standard variety, the changing standard language ideology, the retention of features from Italo-Romance dialects, the standardization of patterns borrowed from English, and the developmental tendencies of standard Italian in Switzerland. The contributions investigate phonetic/phonological, prosodic, morphosyntactic, and lexical phenomena, addressed by several empirical methodologies and theoretical vantage points. This work is of interest to scholars and students working on language variation and change, especially those focusing on standard languages and standardization dynamics.

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Livelihoods"; "Part III: Tackling Root Causes"; "Introduction to Part III"; "13. Gender, Health, and Equity: The Intersections"; "14. South Africa: Addressing the Legacy of Apartheid"; "15. Kenya: Uncovering the Social Determinants of Road Traffic Accidents"; "16. Bangladesh: An Intervention Study of Factors Underlying Increasing Equity in Child Survival"; "17. Sweden and Britain: The Impact of Policy Context on Inequities in Health"; "Part IV: Building Efficient, Equitable Health Care Systems"; "Introduction to the Issues"; "18. Health Care Financing: Assessing Its Relationship to Health Equity"; "19. Mexico: Marginality, Need, and Resource Allocation at the County Level"; "20. Vietnam: Efficient, Equity-Oriented Financial Strategies for Health"; "Part V: Conclusion"; "21. Developing the Policy Response to Inequities in Health: A Global Perspective"; "Contributors"; "Panel of Referees"; "Glossary"; "A"; "B"; "C"; "D"; "E"; "F"; "G"; "H"; "I"; "K"; "L"; "M"; "O"; "P"; "Q"; "R"; "S"; "T"; "V"; "W"; "Y"; "Index"; "A"; "B"; "C"; "D"; "E"; "F"; "G"; "H"; "I"; "J"; "K"; "L"; "M"; "N"; "O"; "P"; "Q"; "R"; "S"; "T"; "U"; "V"; "W"; "Y"

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There is a growing sense that the "health gap" between socioeconomic groups is getting worse in many countries. To address this gap, conceptual clarity and empirical evidence are needed along with a greater focus on equity in policy-making. This book is designed to present cutting-edge research and policy analysis to a wide non-specialist readership of students, professionals and policy-makers. It brings together in one volume new perspectives on the conceptual foundations of health equity, empirical evidence on the scale and nature of the inequities in health in 12 countries around the world, and assessments of the associated policy developments and their implications for the future. It aims to help build global capacity to measure, monitor and interpret developments in health equity at a national and international level. The in-depth country analyses draw on epidemiology, demography, economics and other fields to approach health inequalities from several different angles. The topics covered range from adolescent livelihoods in Tanzania to the health burden of indigenous peoples in Mexico, from health equity in Japan to the gender gap in life expectancy in Russia.

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