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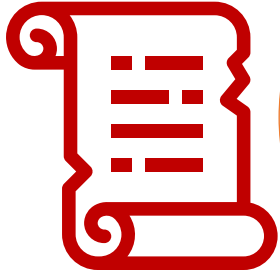
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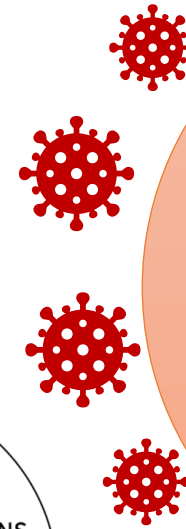
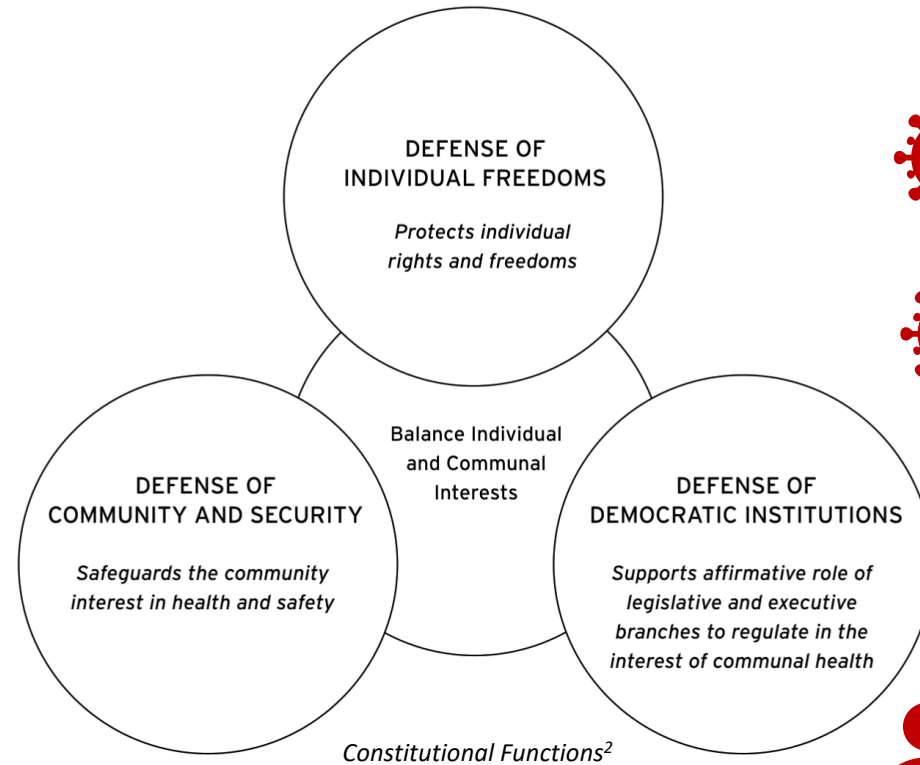
## Constitution

- Right to trial and council<sup>1</sup>
- Right to privacy<sup>1</sup>
- Equal protections<sup>1</sup>



## Historical Examples

Quarantines have been implemented throughout history and provide examples of ethical consideration for implementation. <sup>3-5</sup>



## COVID-19

- Compelling state interest<sup>6</sup>
- Well targeted<sup>6</sup>
- Least restrictive alternative<sup>6</sup>
- Wide range of procedural protections<sup>6</sup>
- Discrimination against those from China and Iran<sup>7</sup>
- Unequal protections<sup>7</sup>
- Lack of basic needs being met<sup>7</sup>

## Conclusion

While COVID-19 quarantine was justified, implementation of quarantine procedures were frequently **discriminatory, inequitable, and lacking in supportive services.**

