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Through his scholarly and applied work, Professor Hodge delves deeply into multiple areas of public health law, ethics, and human rights. Among his key interests are laws and policy related to bioterrorism preparedness and response. He has drafted (with others) several public health law reform initiatives, including the Model State Emergency Health Powers Act (MSEHPA), the Turning Point Model State Public Health Act (Turning Point Act), and the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act (UEVHPA), which focus on state emergency responses.

Professor Hodge has advised international, federal, state, and local agencies, as well as private sector entities, on bioterrorism issues. His most recent scholarship has examined the concept of 'legal triage' during emergencies.

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