

Obesity, Responsibility, and Freedom

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There is another pandemic that, in the long run, may be more harmful to the health of humanity than that of COVID-19. It will ultimately cause the loss of many more years of human life, if it does not already do so.

Whether *pandemic* is quite the right word for it might be disputed. I am referring to the vast increase in [*Epoch Times*](#).