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**Analysis:** **Time to consider the risks of caesarean delivery for long term child health**

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**Research:** **Comparison of content of FDA letters not approving applications for new drugs and associated public announcements from sponsors: cross sectional study**

- **FDA: Drug Companies Routinely Hide The Reasons Their Drugs Are Rejected From Investors** - Forbes 12/06/2015
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We need more GPs – and new ways of working as they can’t do it all - The Guardian 09/06/2015 (also in print)

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British Medical Journal article warns of UK air pollution - Tyrepress 08/06/2015

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Teen bullying linked to depression - Bangkok Post 09/06/2015 (in print; no link available)
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**Research: Leisure time computer use and adolescent bone health—findings from the Tromsø Study, Fit Futures; a cross sectional study**

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*Watching too much TV bad for boys’ bones* - Business Standard 11/06/15
*How screen addicts are risking bone health* - Times of India 11/06/15


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**Research: A study of pyrazines in cigarettes and how additives might be used to enhance tobacco addiction**

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