BMJ in the News is a weekly digest of BMJ stories, plus any other news about the company that has appeared in the national and a selection of English-speaking international media.

This week’s (2-8 May) highlights include:

**The BMJ Awards**

Dr Amar Shah (Education Team of the Year winner) interviewed on London Live TV - 06/05/2016

**Plymouth University plays a role in two BMJ Awards winners** - Plymouth University 06/05/2016

**Award for 'inspirational' doctor and cancer patient** - Yorkshire Evening Post 07/05/2016

**Prestigious award nomination for Kendal general practices** - The Westmorland Gazette 04/05/2016

**Kendal Care Home Project shortlisted for national award** - Cumbria Crack 03/05/2016

**BMJ awards – our teams win praise for their outstanding work** – UCLH News 04/05/2016

**Liquitabs life saver** - Glasgow Sunday Mail 08/05/2016

**Team who help fainting patients up for an award** - Nuneaton News 04/05/2016

**Patient care project shortlisted for award** - Stockport Express, 04/05/2016

**International Forum on Quality and Safety in Healthcare**

**Quality and Safety in Healthcare** - Huffington Post 05/05/2016 Speaker Brian Boyle blogs about his personal and emotional story of his fight back from near death, as presented at the Quality Forum 2016
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Analysis: Medical error—the third leading cause of death in the US

Medical errors may be third leading cause of death in the US - CNN 03/05/2016
Medical error is the third highest cause of death in the US, study says - South China Morning Post 04/05/2016
Medical error is third biggest cause of death in the US, experts say - The Guardian 03/05/3016


Observations: Brexit: the NHS is far safer inside the European Union

Government policies more of a threat to NHS than EU, says public health expert - OnMedica 05/05/2016
NHS Would Rather Be In The European Union Than In Britain - Science 2.0 05/05/2016

Research: Trajectory of body shape in early and middle life and all cause and cause specific mortality / BMI and all cause mortality: systematic review and non-linear dose-response

What Your Body-Shape Trajectory Says About Your Health - New York Magazine 06/05/2015
Maybe it's not OK to be overweight, huge study suggests - Today.com 06/05/2016
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Ongoing coverage for weekend death rates:
Excess deaths at weekends 'a statistical artefact', finds major new study - Pulse 06/05/2016
Hospital death data - the row heats up - BBC News 06/05/2016
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Why butter is no longer the bad guy - Stuff.co.nz 03/05/2016
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What’s happening to our children's mental health? - Khaleej Times 05/05/2016
Pre-participation screening fails to reduce sudden cardiac arrest in young athletes - Healio 03/05/2016

Peer review under the microscope in new journal - Times Higher Education (THE) 03/05/2016
New Study Challenges Consensus on Link Between Dietary Fat, Heart Disease - CNSNews.com 04/05/2016

The battle over George Osborne’s tax on sugary drinks is still raging - Spectator 07/05/2016

I used to back Jeremy Hunt’s digital NHS plan. Now I know it’s a disaster - Spectator 07/05/2016

I Used DNA Testing To Personalize My Workouts And Here’s What Happened - SELF 04/05/2016

Health checkup: on the obesity epidemic, food labelling and overfed toddlers - Spectator 07/05/2016

How bad is YOUR breakfast? These morning snacks could put you at risk of DIABETES - the Express 05/05/2016

New council director pointing the way to a city in better health - Sheffield Telegraph 05/05/2016

Let’s Work Together to Solve Long Hours and Nurse Fatigue - MedScape 05/05/2016

Diabetes: The rice you eat is worse than sugary drinks - Straits Times 06/05/2016

SBP Level May Be Key to Setting Blood Pressure Treatment Goals for Diabetes - Diabetes In Control 07/05/2016

Mexico was meant to prove a sugar tax worked. New figures tell a different story - Spectator 06/05/2016

Diet debate: Why you’re wasting your time on ‘sugar free’ alternatives - NEWS.com.au 07/05/2016

So, does hard work keep you healthy? - The Daily Telegraph 02/05/2016

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When HIV arrives maybe the whole town is sick - The Independent 03/05/2016

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The dangers of paintball: Surgery after boy’s liver ruptures - New Zealand Herald 06/05/2016

Teenage paintballer needs emergency surgery after suffering serious liver injury during game - Mirror.co.uk 06/05/2016
Paintball Pellet Packs a Wallop, Sends Teen to ER With Liver Damage - ABC News 06/05/2016

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**Article: 'Black Henna Tattoo': art or allergen?**

**Doctors Caution Against Black Henna Tattoos After 10-Year-Old Boy's Skin Reaction** - Yahoo News 06/05/2016

**Why You Shouldn't Get This Type of Henna Tattoo** - TIME 06/05/2016

**WARNING: THIS type of tattoo could SCAR your child for life** - Express.co.uk 06/05/2016

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**Using a CBT approach to manage low back pain** - Nursing Times 01/05/16

**Archives of Disease in Childhood**

**Is water birth safe for babies?** - Citizen TV 05/05/16

**Health check up on the obesity epidemic, food labelling, and overfed toddlers** - The Spectator 07/05/16

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**India’s top court tells tobacco industry packs must carry larger health warnings** - Reuters India 05/05/16

**India’s war on tobacco and industry woes** - GhanaWeb 07/05/16

**Why cigarettes in India and Europe must carry bigger health warnings** - The Christian Science Monitor 04/05/16

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**UK doctors highlight hip implant problems** - Perth Now 29/04/16

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Does retirement mean an early death? - The Guardian 02/05/16
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Chinese policy on organ donation is just smoke and mirrors, say critics - BioEdge 07/05/16

Sleep tips from a police psychologist - Huffington Post 06/05/16

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