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 (20-26 Nov) highlights:

- Launch of new Best Practice covered by several publishing trade media outlets, including InPublishing and The Charleston Advisor
- The BMJ study on the benefits of moderate coffee drinking generated national and international headlines, including the BBC, TIME, Gulf News and NBC
- A BMJ Open study on alcohol and emotions generated global headlines, including Newsweek, Forbes, The Asian Age and Russia Today
- An OEM study warning of link between traffic pollution and sperm quality in Taiwan was covered by national and international outlets, such as The Times, South China Morning Post, Arab News, and LiveMint India

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BMJ unveils new Best Practice - InPublishing 21/11/17
BMJ Best Practice now even better placed to support decision making at the point of care - The Charleston Advisor 20/11/17
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Sassoon team bags med journal award - The Times of India 22/11/2017
SVIMS project bags prestigious BMJ award - The Hindu 21/11/2017
Seven Indian doctors win BMJ Awards South Asia 2017 - The Siasat Daily 20/11/2017


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Research: Moderate coffee drinking “more likely to benefit health than to harm it” say experts
Three coffees a day linked to a range of health benefits - The Guardian 23/11/2017
3 coffees a day do more health than harm! - The Times of India 24/11/2017
Coffee cuts risk of diabetes, heart disease and cancer 22/11/2017 Daily Mail + Scottish Daily Mail + Irish Daily Mail

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Facebook Live event: What will the Autumn budget mean for the NHS and social care?

Brexit NHS pledge could still be met claims Hammond aide - as experts warn winter boost will be spent in a day - Daily Telegraph 23/11/2017

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Anxiety disorders taking toll on literate, urbanised states - The Times of India 20/11/2017
Dr Mark Porter: Is owning a dog really that good for your health? - The Times + The Times Ireland 21/11/2017
‘Don’t sleep on your back’ mums-to-be told, after Leeds University study reveals link to stillbirth - Yorkshire Evening Post 20/11/2017
Nugget of Knowledge: Popeye and spinach - WYTV.com 20/11/2017
Salvos onboard with semi of Coke - Echo Netdaily 21/11/2017
ARE YOU TYPE FOR DIABETES? - The Sun 22/11/2017
Tory cuts meant the ‘economic murder’ of 120,000 people - Socialist Worker 21/11/2017
Imperial graduates among top earners, study finds - Felix 24/11/2017
Autism fears over MMR vaccine blamed for deadly measles outbreak in Leeds and Liverpool as up to 28 cases are reported and Manchester is on high alert to be hit next - Daily Mail 24/11/2017
Stay at home on Black Friday to avoid the measles outbreak - DeathRattleSports.com 24/11/2017
Many surgeons make mistakes, but one gender may pay a higher price - Yahoo Lifestyle
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Research: Do emotions related to alcohol consumption differ by alcohol type? An international cross-sectional survey of emotions associated with alcohol consumption and influence on drink choice in different settings

Alcohol and Emotions: Drinking Spirits Really Do Make You Teary and Aggressive and Red Wine Makes You Relaxed  Newsweek 21/11/17
Choice of tipple ‘determines different moods’  BBC News 22/11/17
Alcohol spirits like gin, rum are mood dampeners; beer, wine help relax: Study  The Indian Express 22/11/17

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International

Other

Clearer communication by GPs could speed up cancer diagnosis  Medical Xpress 20/11/17

Doctors 'overprescribe drugs due to fears of facing complaints’  The Guardian 21/11/17
System for handling complaints against doctors 'compromises patient care'  GP Online 22/11/17

Also in: Science Daily, 6Minutes
Meta analysis confirms advantage of capnography for procedural sedation
Gastroenterology & Endoscopy News 22/11/17

Online GP consultation 'of limited use', study finds  BBC News 23/11/17
E-consultations may not be 'silver bullet' for reducing GP workload  Pharma Times 24/11/17
Online consults may not be quick fix for easing GP workload  OnMedica 24/11/17

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Save Bolton NHS campaigners hit out at £2.8bn budget funding for NHS  The Bolton News 24/11/17

Occupational & Environmental Medicine

Research: Exposure to ambient fine particulate matter and semen quality in Taiwan

Pollution from traffic could threaten men's fertility  The Times + Times Scotland 21/11/17
Air Pollution Tied to Decline in Sperm Quality That Could Lead to Male Infertility  Newsweek 22/11/17
High air pollution linked to poor sperm  Perth Now 22/11/17


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Study Compares Methotrexate-Only Versus Combination Therapy in Early RA  AJMC Managed Markets Network  21/11/17

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Man Develops Rare Infection 30 Years After First Exposure  LiveScience 22/11/17

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Doctors discover nine NAILS in woman’s stomach – and how they got them out will make your eyes water  The Sun 22/11/17

Elderly woman complaining of sore throat found to have 3cm fishbone in oesophagus  9News (Australia) 23/11/17 + The Sun

30 Years After His First Exposure, This Man Developed A Rare Infection  Doctor NDTV 23/11/17
Danish scientists unveil reasons behind premature aging  ParArmenian.net 20/11/17

Fluoride’s toxicity  Rutland Herald 21/11/17

How time with loved ones improves your health  EJ Insight (Hong Kong) 24/11/17

The government is killing its citizens. But what can be done?  Varsity Online 24/11/17

7 science-backed benefits of having siblings  TheHealthSite 24/11/17

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Replacing cigarettes with vaping could cut early deaths  Pharmaceutical Journal 20/11/17

Researchers Publish Bombshell Report That Suggests Sugar Industry Conspiracy  Daily Beast 21/11/17

Vet Record

What is homoeopathy for dogs and should vets be allowed to use it? The Telegraph Vet's view  Daily Telegraph 21/11/17

ASK THE DOG TRAINER: Behavior problems in commercially bred puppies  TCPalm 21/11/17

If you can't beat them, honour them – Exeter celebrates Gail 'Boycott' Harrison  Racing Post 25/11/17

Most Reptiles kept as Exotic Pets die Within a Single Year  Clean Malaysia 26/11/17