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

A total of 15 journals were picked up in the media last week (13-19 April) - our highlights include:

- Experts in *The BMJ* saying that it's time to encourage people to wear face masks as a precaution continued to generate coverage, including *PM, TIME, The Guardian* and the *Daily Mail*.

- Experts in *Vet Record* arguing that the UK government should look to vets' infectious disease know-how to end the covid-19 lockdown made headlines in *CGTN* (China), *Mirage News* and *The Guardian* blog.

**PRESS RELEASES**

*The BMJ* | *Vet Record*

**OTHER COVERAGE**

*The BMJ* | *Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases*

*BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine* | *BMJ Global Health*

*BMJ Open* | *BMJ Open Ophthalmology*

*BMJ Open Respiratory Research* | *BMJ Sexual & Reproductive Health*

*British Journal of Ophthalmology* | *British Journal of Sports Medicine*

*Heart* | *Injury Prevention*

*Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health* | *Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery & Psychiatry*

*The BMJ* press release coverage

*Further coverage for face masks for the public during the covid-19 crisis*

*BBC Radio 4 - PM* 13/04/2020 (skip to 1:03:28)

*All Your Coronavirus Questions, Answered* TIME 14/04/2020

'Should everyone wear a mask? Some experts say even home-made ones make a difference' The Guardian 15/04/2020

*When science and politics are worlds apart* The Guardian 15/04/2020

*JOHN ILLMAN: Why I'm sure making face masks compulsory is a common sense step we must take* Daily Mail (print + online) 17/04/2020

Further coverage for effects of popular diets disappear after a year
Popular Diet Leads to Weight Loss & Low Blood Pressure but Effects Last Only Months Bel Marra Health 15/04/2020

Further coverage for parental mental illness and child injury
When a parent's mental illness causes child injury The Star Malaysia 18/04/2020

Other notable coverage
The woman who discovered the first coronavirus BBC News 15/04/2020
Covid-19 update: UK economy set to shrink by 35 per cent in Q2, says OBR The Spectator 14/04/2020
No matter how you crunch the numbers, this pandemic is only just getting started The Guardian 16/04/2020
Facebook's Coronavirus Misinformation Policy At Odds With Political Ads Stance Forbes 16/04/2020
No matter how you crunch the numbers, this pandemic is only just getting started The Guardian 16/04/2020
Dr. Oz Faces Backlash After Saying School Could Reopen The New York Times 17/04/2020
Himachal Pradesh: Fortis resumes services after Covid-19 report of dead patient comes negative Times of India 17/04/2020
What Trump’s WHO Funding Freeze Means for the Most Vulnerable Countries TIME 17/04/2020
Take daily dose of vitamin D due to reduced sun exposure in lockdown, PHE expected to announce The Telegraph + Sunday Telegraph 18/04/2020
Recovered coronavirus patients are testing positive again. Can you get reinfected? CNN 18/04/2020

JOURNALS

Vet Record

Debate: Vets wouldn't manage COVID-19 this way
News: Let us help you with testing, say vet labs
Research comment: What can animal coronaviruses tell us about emerging human coronaviruses?
Editorial: Vets can help government tackle Covid-19 (PR)

Could vets help fight COVID-19? Yes, say two leading scientists CGTN (China) 18/04/20
Look to vets’ infectious disease know-how to end Covid-19 lockdown, UK government urged Mirage News 17/04/20
Also in: The Guardian blog, Healthcare-in-Europe.com

Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases
Is Ultrasound Misleading in the Management of Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis? Rheumatology Advisor 13/04/2020

Updated EULAR recommendations revamp treatment targets for lupus nephritis Healio 14/04/2020

Risk of Systemic Lupus Erythematosus in Patients With Idiopathic Thrombocytopenic Purpura Hematology Advisor 14/04/2020
Tanezumab 5 mg significantly improves pain, physical function in hip, knee OA Healio 15/04/2020

DMARD use not linked to postsurgical complications in people with RA Medwire News 15/04/2020
Also in: Medicine Matters

Assessing the Effect of ACC/AHA Hypertension Definition on Atherosclerotic Vascular Events in SLE Rheumatology Advisor 15/04/2020

Diarrheagenic E coli Increases Risk for Reactive Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Symptoms Among …. Rheumatology Advisor 18/04/2020

BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine
Buprenorphine implant beneficial for patients with opioid dependency pharmaceutical-journal.com 17/04/2020

BMJ Global Health
Sex differences in COVID-19 Medical News Today 14/04/2020

BMJ Open
THE 'FITNESS PARADOX': HOW TO LOSE WEIGHT, GAIN MUSCLE, AND STAY SANE Inverse 13/04/2020

‘Frailty’ From Age 40 — What To Look Out For Scienmag 15/04/2020
Also in: Mirage News Australia

Bhekisisa Centre for Health Journalism: ‘Everyone should wear a cloth mask’ – but do they work? The World News 15/04/2020

The Italian paradox: How can you eat pasta without gaining weight? CuencaHighLife 16/04/2020

Alcohol consumption adds to the risk of contracting coronavirus, say many studies and WHO International Business Times 16/04/2020
Covid-19: Restrict Citizens From Alcoholic Intake During Lockdown - WHO To Gov'ts Ps4 France 18/04/2020
Also in: Steelers Lounge, GK Men

BMJ Open Ophthalmology
Why Do My Eyes Hurt? Doctors Explain How The Coronavirus Crisis Is Causing Strain Bustle 17/04/2020

Best blue light blocking glasses of 2020 to help with eye fatigue Evenig Standard 17/04/2020 (misattributed to The BMJ)

BMJ Open Respiratory Research
Risk of Death High for IPF Patients Soon After Acute Flare, Study Says Pulmonary Fibrosis News 17/04/2020

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BMJ Sexual & Reproductive Health
Further coverage for fertility and pregnancy planning apps (PR)
Mostly inaccurate: fertility apps found to be misleading Essential Baby 18/04/2020

British Journal of Ophthalmology
Is it or isn’t it? Allergic conjunctivitis in a COVID-19 world aoa.org 16/04/2020

Avoiding These 5 Foods Could Save Your Vision as You Age Yahoo Finance 18/04/2020

Differences in microaneurysm detection technologies affect the classification of diabetic retinopathy Newsdio 19/04/2020

British Journal of Sports Medicine
Does running actually build muscle? Runner’s World 14/04/2020
Does Running Actually Build Muscle? We Asked the Experts to Weigh In Women’s Health 17/04/2020

Further coverage for any amount of running linked to lower risk of death (PR)
How To Start Running If You’ve Never Run Before Chatelaine 14/04/2020

Sabrina Ionescu Is An Iron Woman Forbes 14/04/2020

Does Exercise Actually Help or Hurt Your Immune System? Self 15/04/2020
Also in: Vogue India

Does Exercise Boost Immunity? What to Know About Working Out Right Now, According to Experts Health 16/04/2020

How to live longer: Limit one necessary, daily activity to increase your lifespan Daily Express 18/04/2020
Also in: The Amed Post, simple news

Heart
Further coverage for daytime naps and and lower risk of heart attack/stroke (PR)
Are naps good for you? 20 to 30 minute naps are best INSIDER 16/04/2020
A day-time nap is good for us, but there are rules The Sydney Morning Herald 17/04/2020
Also in: Business Insider Australia + India + Singapore, MSN Philippines

Injury Prevention
How to Stop Your Child From Tormenting Your Pet The New York Times 15/04/2020

Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health
Let’s Talk About Osteoporosis Healthcentral 16/04/2020

Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery & Psychiatry
Tysabri Shows Safety, Effectiveness in Real-world RRMS Use: 10-year TOP Data Multiple Sclerosis News Today 13/04/2020

25 Small Ways To Upgrade Your Life Natural Health 15/04/2020