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INFLUENCE

The BMJ press release coverage

Research: Long distance airborne transmission of SARS-CoV-2: rapid systematic review (Press Release)

Snubby my ventilation advice caused Covid deaths, says expert The Times 29/06/22
New review of evidence highlights importance of adequate ventilation to prevent spread of covid-19 in indoor settings Scienmag 30/06/22
Covid Air War Being Lost, Experts Warn, Urging Mass Ventilation International Business Times 01/06/22
Investigation: From FDA to MHRA: are drug regulators for hire? (Press Release)

Study raises questions about drug regulators’ independence

Is the drug regulator in the pocket of pharma?

Are Drug Regulators Sufficiently Independent from the Companies They Regulate? Lab Manager 30/06/22
Researchers caution about endemic sponsorship bias in cost-effective analyses

Medical Brief South Africa 29/06/22
Also in: Knowledia, Medscape

Research User centered clinical decision support to implement initiation of buprenorphine for opioid use disorder in the emergency department: EMBED pragmatic cluster randomized controlled trial (External PR)
No coverage

Analysis: Healthcare systems must get fair value for their data (External PR)
Healthcare systems must get fair value for their data Ramaon Healthcare 27/06/22

Research: Dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitors and gallbladder or biliary disease in type 2 diabetes: systematic review and pairwise and network meta-analysis of randomised controlled trials (External PR)

Meta-analysis flags cholecystitis risk with DPP-4 inhibitor treatment MedWireNews 30/06/22
DPP4 inhibitors may increase risk of cholecystitis in T2 Diabetes patients; BMJ Medical Dialogues 01/07/22

Other notable coverage
With Roe v. Wade Overturned, Your Abortion Searches Could Be Used to Prosecute You
Techno Hoop News 27/06/22
Also in: News 7 Trends, World News Times
Vitamin D lowers risk of psoriasis The Daily Mail Scottish edition (print) 28/06/22 (Previous PR)
Ernest Bennie Obituary The Times + Scottish edition 28/06/22
Blood clots: The two vitamin shortages linked to varicose veins and blood clotting risks India Times Post 27/06/22
Also in: Daily Express, VerveTimes, Swift Telecast, News 7 Trends, Technocodex, Vietnam Explorer, The News Amed, Headlines Mania, Times News Express
BBC 2 – Aids: The Unheard Tapes television programme 27/06/22
The ‘change’ in attitudes to menopause is welcome — but it’s now wrongly viewed as a disease Belfast Telegraph 27/06/22 (Previous PR)
Also in: Irish Daily Mail, Granthshala News
How has early medication abortion at home affected choices of women in Tayside? Dundee Evening Telegraph 27/06/22
Vitamin B12 deficiency symptoms: The warning sign ‘on the left side of the face’ – BMJ Today News Post 27/06/22
Also in: The Daily Express, Times News Express, Verve Times, Fyne Fettle, TechiAzi, Almooon, Healthy Duck
Real-life 50 First Dates! Barmaid with amnesia wakes each morning with ZERO memory of the last 23 years and believes she is still SIX years old... and her loving fiancé has kidnapped her The Daily Mail 27/06/22
What’s really going on with ‘healthy’ low-sugar cereal The Daily Telegraph 28/06/22
Also in: Knowledia
ITV News broadcast on sugar tax 27/06/22
Doctors Renew Campaign Against Overdiagnosis and Overmedication Mad In America 28/06/22 (on Kamran Abassi’s editorial)
Why US women are deleting their period tracking apps The Guardian 28/06/22
Also in: Quick Telecast, Her Zindagi
JCAHO Standards Not Always Supported by High-Quality Evidence Drugs.com 30/06/22
Also in: Nursing Centre, Physician’s Briefing, Missoulian and extensive US regional
Voting Republican is bad for your health

Insider Voice 1/07/22 (Previous PR)
You Should Take 1 Mental Health Day Per Month, Psychologist Says—Here Are 4 Great Ways to Use Them NBC Philadelphia 30/06/22
Also in: KNSD-TV, MSN UK, WCAU-TV

Where's the herd immunity? Our research shows why Covid is still wreaking havoc

The Guardian 01/06/22
Also in: MSN UK

**JOURNALS**

**BMJ Open Respiratory Research**

Research: **Cannabis use and risks of respiratory and all-cause morbidity and mortality: a population-based, data-linkage, cohort study** (Press Release)

Weed users nearly 25% more likely to need emergency care and hospitalization CNN 27/06/22 + CNN Philippines

Recreational Cannabis Not As Harmless As People Think, Study Suggests Forbes 27/06/22
Marijuana users are 22% more likely to need emergency room or hospital than non-users - with respiratory issues or physical injury main causes, study finds: States continue legalisation of drug The Daily Mail 28/06/22


Recurrent childhood bronchitis linked to greater risk for pneumonia, asthma in adulthood
Healio 27/06/22

Further coverage for asthma in cross country skiers (PR)
Prevalence of asthma elevated in competitive cross-country skiers Healio 30/06/22

Open Heart

Research: Language matters: representations of ‘heart failure’ in English discourse—a large-scale linguistic study (Press Release)

Potholes weigh more heavily than heart failure The Daily Telegraph (Print) 27/06/22
Potholes beat heart failure as MPs’ topic The Times + Irish edition (Print) 27/06/22
Politicians ‘care more about POT HOLES than heart failure’: Study finds MPs discuss ‘trivial’ issue 37 TIMES more than one of country’s leading killers The Daily Mail 27/06/22


Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases
Telehealth useful for disease monitoring; barriers to access Healio 27/06/22
Also in: Healthy Duck

Research: Weaning of maintenance immunosuppressive therapy in lupus nephritis (WIN-Lupus): results of a multicentre randomised controlled trial (External PR)

Maintenance therapy discontinuation may be risky in proliferative lupus nephritis Medwire News 28/06/22
BMJ: Women with systemic lupus erythematosus are at greater risk of pregnancy complications Medical Dialogues 28/06/22
Also in: Knowledia

Archives of Disease in Childhood
Doctors to help parents cope with cost of living The Sunday Times + Scottish edition

BMJ Global Health
Top health journals low on gender, geographical diversity Tribune India 27/06/22 (Previous PR)
COVID was twice as deadly in poorer countries Healthy Duck 29/06/22
Also in: Community99

Consequence of climate change: more and more diseases caused by tick bites Daily News EN 29/06/22 (Previous PR)
Climate cardiology is an emerging new field of medicine Reporter Wings 29/06/22 (Previous PR)

BMJ Nutrition Prevention & Health
Research: Association of periodic fasting with lower severity of COVID-19 outcomes in the SARS-CoV-2 prevaccine era: an observational cohort from the INSPIRE registry (External PR)
No coverage

BMJ Open
Are women’s lives at risk from drugs TESTED mainly on MEN? The Daily Mail 28/06/22

Further coverage for sensor trackers and Covid-19 (PR)
Wearables and AI Might Pick up Presymptomatic COVID-19 Sensor Technology Research 27/06/22
Also in: Global Biotech Insights, The Brew, East Mojo, Goa Spotlight, NNY 360

Joining Covid-19 frontline caused student nurses ‘psychological distress’ Nursing Times 27/06/22 (Flagged)

Serum lipid levels may help predict colorectal cancer. Study finds Medical Dialogues 28/06/22

New research from team including University of Leeds professor warns heart surgery delays will cost lives Yorkshire Evening Post 29/06/22

Doctor warns hatred of patients could get in the way of giving them good medical care Daily Mail 30/06/22
Also in: DUK News, The News Amed, Express Digest, Quick Telecast, Internewscast

BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care
Premeal whey protein supplement reduces time spent in hyperglycemia in type 2 diabetes Healio 29/06/22

Study: Women have more brain changes after menopause ANI News 03/07/22

BMJ Open Sports & Exercise Medicine
Everything You Need To Know About HIIT MSN Health & Fitness 27/06/22
Also in: Newsbreak, Health Digest

BMJ Sexual & Reproductive Health
How will Roe v. Wade reversal affect LGBTQ rights? Experts, advocates weigh in World News Times 27/06/22
Also in: NBC News, Vietname Explorer, Internewscast, Yahoo, MSN, Internewscast, City Hub Sydney

British Journal of Ophthalmology
Post Vitrectomy Endophthalmitis related to wearing of face mask on the rise during COVID-19 pandemic Medical Dialogues 27/06/22

Foods That Help Prevent Glaucoma Health Digest 01/06/22

British Journal of Sports Medicine
Further coverage for balancing on one leg and early death press release: Those who struggle with simple balancing test more likely to die within a decade, study says The Washington Post (Print) 29/06/22
Scientists say inability to complete simple at-home test is linked to increased risk of early
What is a neutral shoe – and who needs them for running? News 7 Trends 27/06/22
Also in: Zipe-education, Verve Times, Eminetra, Vietnam Explorer, MSN UK, Live Science

Commentary: Barring transgender women from competing is based on sexism Press Democrat 27/06/22
Also in: Pink News, The Gisborne Herald

Wimbledon’s outdated dress code is putting menstruating athletes at a disadvantage Glamour 29/06/22

Don’t be afraid to exercise regularly to boost bone health and cut falls risk, people with osteoporosis advised Medical Dialogues 01/07/22 (previous PR)

The Race to the Start Line: Returning to Running After Having Covid-19 New York Times 03/07/22

General Psychiatry
Human cost of China’s zero-Covid policy measured in stress, anxiety South China Morning Post 27/06/22
Also in: Asia One

Gut
Nieman: Toronto study provides useful data on vegetarian diets for young children Calgary Sun 29/06/22

Heart
How eating eggs can boost heart health Reporter Wings 29/06/22
Also in: 24HTech, SciTechDaily

Injury Prevention
Serious Injuries in Children More Likely to Occur at Trampoline Parks, Not on Home Trampolines Everyday Health 27/06/22 (Previous PR)

Journal for ImmunoTherapy of Cancer

Research: BCG hydrogel promotes CTSS-mediated antigen processing and presentation, thereby suppressing metastasis and prolonging survival in melanoma (External PR)

Bern scientists develop promising hydrogel treatment for melanoma POST Online 27/06/22
**Journal of Medical Ethics**

*Cognitive Dissonance in the Medical Profession* Medically Prime 29/06/22

**Also in:** Medpage Today, Techlivel

**COOK: Philosophy scholars are wrong about abortion** Campus Reform (Leadership Institute) 03/07/22

**Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery & Psychiatry**

*Better preparation for old age, better well-being* The Star Malaysia 27/06/22

**Also in:** Vietnam Explorer, Malaysia Buzz, Asean Breaking News

**Lupus Science & Medicine**

*How Changing Your Diet Could Have a Major Impact on Managing Lupus Symptoms* TIME 28/06/22

**Also in:** News Break, Mass News

**INFLUENCE**

**Social Media**

Top **Twitter** engagement this week was for The BMJ's investigation into drug regulator independence (over 22,500 impressions), followed by the Open Heart study on heart failure deemed less important than potholes (over 6,300 impressions).

This week's top **LinkedIn** post was for a visual abstract on lipid-lowering drugs published in BMJ Medicine (over 8,000 impressions).

**Altmetrics**

The BJSM research paper on the ability to stand on one leg as an indicator of longevity generated an Altmetric score of 2179
This research output has an **Altmetric Attention Score** of 2179. This is our high-level measure of the quality and quantity of online attention that it has received. This Attention Score, as well as the ranking and number of research outputs shown below, was calculated when the research output was last mentioned on 04 July 2022.

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