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Editorial: Protecting female healthworkers from ionising radiation at work (PR)

Female healthworkers need better radiation protection to minimise breast cancer risk
Adequate radiation protection could help prevent breast cancer in female healthcare workers
Women working with X-rays need more protection to prevent breast cancer, study warns
Analysis: The CPTPP trade deal is a major threat to public health and warrants a health impact assessment (PR)
Free trade deal is a major threat to UK public health, warn experts

Further coverage for excess sugar intake and health (PR)
Incentives to buy fizzy drinks over water should end: health experts
Study Confirms the Many Health Risks of Added Sugars
Also in: The Age (Australia), Brisbane Times, Medscape, Medical Daily, Medical Dialogues, Daily Record, MSN UK, The Hindustan News Hub Online, The World News, The European Union Times, Medical Dialogues, Express India

Further coverage for air pollution link to dementia (PR)
Exposure to air pollution increases risk of dementia, says new study
Exposure to air pollution can increase risk of dementia, according to a study

Other notable coverage
These greedy junior medics are losing the public’s respect
Meet Andy Gray, the ‘insider’s insider’ of SA drug policy
(Previous PR)
Eating Habits That Slow Down Aging After 50
Also in: MSN (AU), MSN Health & Fitness, Internewscast
Analysis: Why are junior doctors striking and will the dispute be resolved?
Junior doctors’ strikes and NHS priorities
Why did Peter Daszak change his mind?
NHS drop-out rate an accident waiting to happen, says surgeon
Cancer drug shortages are creating dire circumstances for some patients
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Also in: Headlines & Global News
Infant formulas make a lot of promises
Also in: Science Newsnet, Newswise, MSN Money, Marketwatch
Mask mandates for children may do more harm than good
Business Insider (India)
Also in: The Economic Times, Telegraph (India) Online, The Week Online, Devdiscourse, ET Healthworld
The true cost of being a junior doctor
Also in: MSN UK
The Australian brain drain bleeding the NHS dry
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**Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases**
'No evidence' of increased short-term cancer risk for JAK inhibitors vs. TNF inhibitors Healio 10/04/23

**Asthma and eczema could heighten vulnerability to osteoarthritis** AsumeTech 12/04/23 (Previous PR)

**Archives of Disease in Childhood**
Soothe your sore throat with these foods and drinks Pedfire 10/04/23 (Previous PR)

**BMJ Case Reports**
Adelaide woman's 'debilitating' long COVID experience published in British Medical Journal ABC News 13/04/23
Also in: Yahoo News Australia, MSN AU< Perth Now, West Australian, Mirage News, Science Newsnet, Flipboard

**Experience of sudden sensorineural hearing loss following a mild COVID-19 infection** (External PR)

Even mild Covid infection can cause sudden hearing loss: Study The Hawk India 14/04/23

**BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine**
Soothing that caught with Manuka honey Mail on Sunday + Scottish edition 16/04/23 (print Previous PR)

**BMJ Global Health**
Russia Warns of Chernobyl Repeat in Ukraine Due to NATO Aid Newsweek 11/04/23 (Previous PR; Misattrib The BMJ)
Also in: Newsbreak

'Voluntary donations account for 88% of WHO funding' Times of India 16/04/23
Also in: ET Healthworld

**BMJ Medicine**
Research: Impact of work schedules of senior resident physicians on patient and resident physician safety: nationwide, prospective cohort study (External PR)

Resident Physicians’ National Study Calls for Changes in Federal Work Hour Guidelines Mirage News Australia 13/04/23
Also in: Medical Xpress, Tech and Science Post

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Foundation Medicine, Bristol Myers Squibb Expand CDx Partnership to Investigational Cancer Drug  GenomeWeb 11/04/23

Pregnant this winter? Here’s how to prepare for COVID and get vaccinated  The Conversation AU 13/04/23
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‘Period’ Wants To Change How You Think About Menstruation  TechnoCodex 14/04/23 (Previous PR)
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Qualitative Study Explores Perceptions of NGS-Based Tuberculosis Diagnoses  TrendRadars 14/04/23

Research: Effects of the July 2018 worldwide valsartan recall and shortage on global trends in antihypertensive medication use: a time-series analysis in 83 countries  (External PR)

Research: Hypertension Drug Recall Exposes Global Supply Chain Vulnerability  Mirage News 15/04/23
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Healthy sleep pattern reduces risk of developing asthma  Hospital Pharmacy Europe 12/04/23

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University defends student protest as ‘peaceful’ after activist mob ambushes Riley Gaines Barker  The Christian Post 10/04/23
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Wales head coach Ioan Cunningham has embraced talking to players about periods The Independent 12/04/23 (Previous PR)
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Exercise more effective than medicines to manage mental health Times Higher Education 12/04/23
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Most Americans oppose men on women's sports teams, drag shows and puberty blockers for kids: poll The Christian Post 14/04/23

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Fact-checking Joe Biden on whether rugby is safer than football Polifact (Poynter Institute) 14/04/23

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Why positive relationships could help keep us in good health The Citizen (South Africa) 10/04/23 (Previous PR)
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Study Reveals Important Lifestyle Change That Could Lengthen Lifespan In Older Adults TechnoCodex 10/04/23 (Previous PR)
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Yahoo News US 12/04/23

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Editorial: Judge had a basis for his attack on FDA, but not on mifepristone  
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Citizen Scientists Are Driving Medical Research. Now They Need A Constitution  
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Ex surgeon calls for videoing of ops to improve patient safety  
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Study suggests mild stroke patients will get worse – Medicine  
BreakingLatest.News 13/04/23

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Functional Neurological Disorder May Still Carry Stigma  
MedPage Today 11/04/23

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Fact-checking Joe Biden on whether rugby is safer than football  
PolitiFact (Poynter Institute) 14/04/23

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The Doctor Will See You Now 13/04/23

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Health Digest 15/04/23

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Sexual health: How to use sex toys safely  
Times of India 16/04/23

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INFLUENCE

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Outputs with the most mentions in the past week

Article in British Medical Journal, April 2023

How pandemic publishing struck a blow to the visibility of women’s expertise

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