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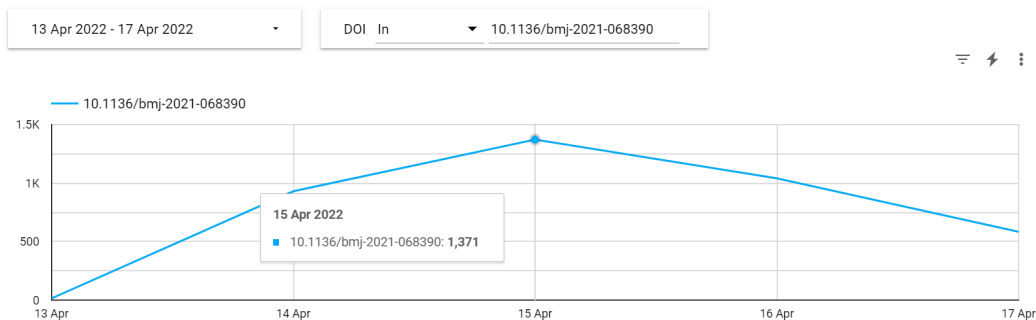
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#### **[The BMJ press release coverage](#)**

**Research:** [Healthy lifestyle and life expectancy with and without Alzheimer's dementia: population based cohort study \(PR\)](#)

[Healthy options push back dementia six years](#) The Daily Telegraph 14/04/22  
[Study hints at a way to live longer while reducing your exposure to Alzheimer's disease](#) The Express

[Healthy lifestyle shown to push back onset of Alzheimer's disease](#) Metro 14/04/22



**Also in:** Alzheimer's Research UK, MSN UK, Lokmat Times, Mirage News Australia, Haryana Today, Rajasthankik Habar, India News Network, AniNews.in, Madhya Pradesh Chronicle, Hawaii Telegraph, Jharkhand Times, Odisha Post, Himachal Patrik, Karnataka Live, Mexico Star, Indian Economic Observer, Chhattisgarh Today, Maharashtra Samachar, Gujarat Varta, Tajikistan News.net, New Hampshire State News, The Epoch Times-Chicago Edition, U.S. News & World Report, UPI, Medical Dialogues India

**Other** Englemed Health News, Opera News, Healthline, 10 News, UK Today News, Today Headline, Medical Xpress, News Chant UK, Scienmag, NewsBreak, The Senior, All I know News, Tech Register, Devdiscourse, Best World News Online, Tennis Times, Latestly, Fact News, webindia123, Healthday, Drugs.com, 10News, Physician's Briefing, News-Medical.Net, DoctorsLounge, Brigham and Women's Hospital, The Health Cast, Biz News Pos, Drugs.com, Knowledia News, Medscape, McKnight's Senior Living Online, Cooking With Kathy Man, Weekly Sauce, Physician's Weekly, A Closer Look, Today Headline, Medically Prime, Health.10ztalk, Good Medicine

**Research:** [Changing the assortment of available food and drink for leaner, greener Diets \(PR\)](#)

[Changing Product Offerings In Shops And Restaurants Can Lead To Leaner, Greener Diets](#)  
Quest Media

**Also in:** Medical Xpress, UK Today News, Zipe Education, Scienmag, Mirage News Australia, Today Headline

### **Other notable coverage**

[It is time to recover the lost art of convalescence](#) The Daily Telegraph (print only) 11/04/22  
[COVID-19 infection increases risk of serious blood clots 3 to 6 months later: Study \(Previous PR\)](#) Jam Broadcasting 11/04/22

**Also in:** The Times (UK and Ireland), Healthcare Purchasing News Online, The Baltimore Post, The European Union Times, Geelong Advertiser, Japan Today, Ghana News, Pulmonology Advisor, News24 South Africa, Turned News, Infectious Disease Advisor, Pulse, Edinburgh Live

[Can some anti-nausea drugs increase stroke risk?](#) The Pakistan Observer 11/04/22  
**(Previous PR)**

**Also in:** Latest Nigerian News, The Cardiology Advisor, PracticeUpdate,  
[Fraud Endorses Quack](#) 11/04/22 Rolling Stone

[Could a drug for cholesterol combat dementia?](#) The Daily Mail (print only) 11/04/22  
[Aust on track to eliminate cervical cancer](#) The Daily Mail 11/04/22

**Also in:** West Australian, Perth Now, Yahoo (NZ), Wellington Times, Great Southern Herald (and widely covered in Australian local newspapers)

[How to sleep: Malted milk shown to 'reduce sleep interruptions' for a good night's sleep](#) The

Express 11/04/22

[Seriously ill patients die after being denied hospital care in Shanghai lockdown](#) Radio Free Asia 12/04/22

**Also in:** Asean Tribune, The Bharat Express News

[Plasma therapy useful if given within 3 days of hospitalisation](#) The Times of India 12/04/22

[Triamcinolone Intra-Articular Injection Beneficial in Hip Osteoarthritis](#) Rheumatology Advisor (Previous PR) 12/04/22

**Also in:** Nursing Times, Awesome Capital, MedPage Today

[Self-diagnosis ads on TikTok blur mental health fears with reality](#) Financial Times 13/04/22

**Also in:** The i Newspaper

[Vegan hounds are fit as a butcher's dog](#) The Times 13/04/22

[New Covid vaccine approved for use in UK as infections soar](#) Metro 14/04/22

[Hugh Grant health: Star's 'eyeballs felt 3 sizes too big' due to Covid - symptom explained](#)

The Express 14/04/22

[I'm cooling on my stove](#) The Daily Mail (print only) 16/04/22

**Letter:** [Isotonitazene: a new synthetic opioid in the UK](#)

[Drug Prevention Volunteers Say Truth is the Best Answer to Dangerous New Drugs](#) Bizwire (External PR) 14/04/22

**Also in:** MENA FN, NewsTag, Associated Press, Cadillac News (and 25+ US news outlets)

## **JOURNALS**

### **BMJ Open**

**Research:** [Efficacy and safety of osteopathic manipulative treatment: an overview of systematic reviews \(PR\)](#)

[Osteopathy may have solution to back pain cracked, study finds](#) Daily Telegraph 13/04/22

[Osteopathy really CAN work... but not on children: Controversial therapy can be better than physiotherapy for pain patients, review claims](#) Daily Mail 12/04/22

**Also in:** Medical Xpress, UK Today News, Express Digest, Health.10ztalk, DUK News, Sound Health and Lasting Wealth, Finno Expert, The News Amed, Washington News Post, News Break, Today Headline, GM Journal, Today Headline, Scienmag, Radio X (and six other UK radio stations), Drugs.com, Breaking Science News, DoctorsLounge, US Weekly, Healthgrades, Physician's Weekly Online, Nursing Centre, Endocrinology Advisor, Revyuh News, Science News

**Research:** [Impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on patients with paediatric cancer in low-income, middle-income and high-income countries: a multicentre, international, observational cohort study \(External PR\)](#)

[Children with cancer in low-, middle-income nations at higher risk for death amid pandemic](#)

Healio 11/04/22

**Also in:** Onco' Zine, Back to Schools, ASCO Post, News-Medical.net, Medical Xpress, eCancer

[Global Retinal Detachment Treatment Market \(2022 to 2027\) - Growth, Trends, COVID-19 Impact, and Forecasts - ResearchAndMarkets.com](#) BusinessWire 12/04/22

**Also in:** Yahoo Finance, Newport Daily Express and 20+ US local online news outlets

## **Sexually Transmitted Infections**

**Research:** [Assessment of online self-testing and self-sampling service providers for sexually transmitted infections against national standards in the UK in 2020 \(PR\)](#)

[Non-compliant online STI tests put patients at risk, experts warn](#) The Guardian 12/04/22  
[Concern over online STI tests which 'put users at risk' as hope grows for possible gonorrhoea vaccine](#) Sky News 13/04/22

**Also in:** Yahoo News UK, MSN UK, Rutland Radio, Radio Essex (and around 12 other UK local radio stations), BBC Newsbeat, UK Today News, Europe Breaking News, Pehal News (IN), MSN NZ, MSN AU, New Zealand News, VN Explorer, Mirage News, The Local Report (IN), World News Network, World Nation News, 15 Minute News, Medical Xpress, Topology Pro, Today Headline, Zipe Education, Simple News, Daily Advent, OnMedica, The Pharmacist, Knowledia News, Pharmacy Magazine, The Independent Community Pharmacist, P3 Pharmacy Online, Clinical Lab Products Online, OneNewsPage, Head Topics, Newsfounded, ScienMag

## **Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases**

[Children With RMDs Not at High Risk for Severe COVID-19, Study Finds](#) Medscape 13/04/22

## **BMJ Case Reports**

[Breakthrough to help doctors spot ovarian cancer before it's too late \(Weird Science: Drinking yourself to death with water \(Print\)\)](#) Daily Mail +Irish Daily Mail 11/04/22

[Physicians Recommend Plant-Based Diet to Ease Chronic Migraine Symptoms](#) Pharmacy Times 12/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

## **BMJ Global Health**

[7 Grocery Items So Unhealthy They Should Come With This Warning](#) MSN Malaysia 12/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

**Also in:** MSN Singapore, Eat This, Not That! MSN (AU), Food & Beverage Reporter, MSN Health & Fitness, Morning Star

**Research:** [Implementability' matters: using implementation research steps to guide and support non-communicable disease national planning in low-income and middle-income countries](#) (**External PR**)

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## **BMJ Nutrition Prevention & Health**

[Vegetarian diet quality can affect mental health](#) Newsbreak 12/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

## **BMJ Open Ophthalmology**

[WATCH OUT From Covid toe to burping – 9 unusual virus symptoms and side effects to spot](#) The Sun + Scottish edition 12/04/22

**Also in:** Vietnam Explorer, Future Tech Trends

## **British Journal of Sports Medicine**

[Concussion in Combat Sports Is an Iceberg Under the Ring](#) Psychology Today 12/04/22

[Health benefits of cherries](#) MedIndia 12/04/22 (**Previous PR** more than a decade ago)

['Disappointing' data reveal modest benefit of exercise over pain meds in knee OA](#) Healio

13/04/22

[Golf fitness: how it can help you be a better golfer](#) WorldHealth.net 13/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

[What Is Fascia? And Other Questions About This Connective Tissue, Answered](#) MSN News 14/04/22

**Also in:** MSN Health CA, Vietnam Explorer, Bicycling Magazine

[Adding 30 minutes of this exercise can help you live longer](#) Atlanta Journal-Constitution 16/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

### **Emergency Medicine Journal**

[Nearly 6,000 'died due to hospital wait'](#) (Print) Daily Mirror 11/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

[Managing acute pain in the emergency room](#) Irish Medical Times 11/04/22

**Also in:** ZIPE Education

### **Gut**

[CUHK researchers discover distinct gut microbial signatures for prediction, diagnosis and treatment of long COVID](#) The Malaysia Voice 11/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

**Also in:** The Standard (Hong Kong) Pana Journal, Tekkaus, Australian Associated Press, China Briefing, One News Page, Sangri Times, Saigon Economic Times, Vietnam Business Consulting, Finanzen, Wellness Insider, Top10 Asia, Business Diary Philippines, BioSpectrum Asia, Jakarta Investor, Healthcare Asia, Intellasia, Yahoo Finance, Magazines Today

### **Journal of Epidemiology & Community Health**

[Study details COVID's toll on essential workers, health workers](#) CIDRAP 11/04/22

**Also in:** The Bharat Express News

**Research:** [Household income, fetal size and birth weight: an analysis of eight populations](#) (**External PR**)

[Poverty affects babies in the WOMB at 20 weeks](#) The Daily Mail 14/04/22

[Poorer babies smaller at 20 weeks stage](#) (Print) The Times + Scottish edition 14/04/22

**Also in:** iNews, The Independent, MSN UK, Yahoo UK, AOL UK, Asian Image, The Irish Examiner, The Oxford Mail +150 other UK local news outlets, Tech and Science Post, NewsBreak, World News, India Education Diary, NewsNavi

### **Journal of Medical Genetics**

[20,000 children damaged – and still the scandal continues](#) The Sunday Times 17/04/22

### **Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery & Psychiatry**

[Childhood sexual, emotional abuse increases multiple sclerosis risk in women](#) Healio 14/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

**Also in:** Neurology Advisor, Social Care Today

### **Occupational & Environmental Medicine**

[Shift Work May Affect Working Memory and Processing Speed](#) Medscape 11/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

[Cancer Risks Among Firefighters, Police Revealed in New Study](#) Workers Compensation 13/04/22

### **RMD Open**

**Research:** [Passive smoking in childhood and adulthood and risk of rheumatoid arthritis in women: results from the French E3N cohort study](#) (External PR)

[Passive Smoking Linked to Increased Risk of Rheumatoid Arthritis](#) HealthDay 15/04/22

**Also in:** Medical Xpress, World Nation News, NewsBreak, Healthgrade, Drugs.com  
Physician's Weekly

**Trauma Surgery & Acute Care Open**

[Car Crashes No Longer Leading Cause of Trauma-Related Deaths in U.S., Study Suggests](#)

Honest Columnist 12/04/22 (**Previous PR**)

**Also in:** Motor Biscuit

**Tobacco Control**

[Breakfast show interview with Professor Marita Hefler, senior TC editor for World Health](#)

[Day](#) Voice of Islam 12/04/22