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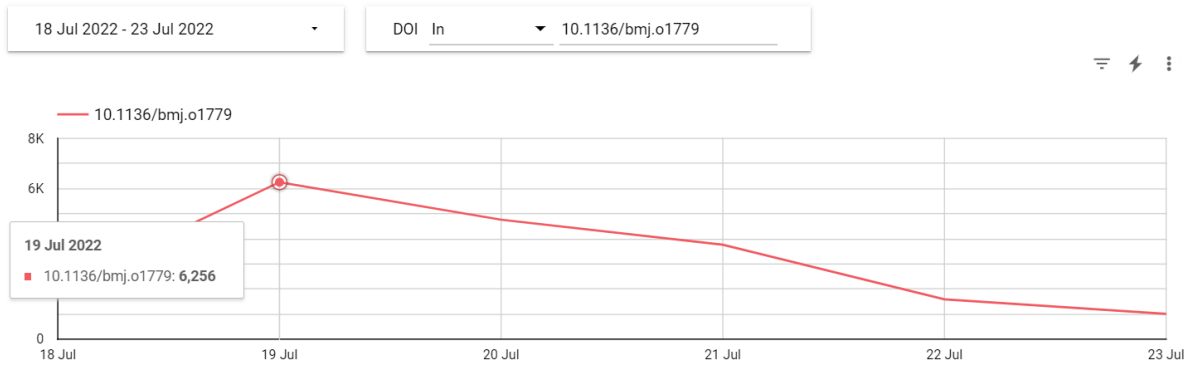
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#### **INFLUENCE**

**The BMJ press release coverage**

**Editorial: [The NHS is not living with covid, it's dying from it](#) (Press Release)**

[NHS dying of Covid, say journal chiefs](#) The Times + Scottish and Irish editions 19/07/22  
[WHO: COVID triples across Europe, hospitalizations double](#) Economic Times India 19/07/22  
[COVID cases triple across Europe and hospitalizations double, WHO says](#) Los Angeles Times (+ print) 19/07/22



**Also in:** LBC Radio, The Independent, BBC Radio Shetland + widespread regional BBC radio coverage, i News, The Daily Express, The Mirror, The Scotsman, The Daily Mail, TalkTV/ TalkRadio broadcasts, Scottish Daily Express, UK Today News, Associated Press, City AM, HuffPost, GB News Broadcast

**International:** TIME online, Vietnam Explorer, ABC News, Mogaz News (en), Alberni Valley News (CA), Imperial Valley Press Online (US), WATN-TV + widespread North American regional news coverage, Austria Times of News, Outlook India.com, Ahram Online, Standard Media (Kenya), The Week (India), News24 South Africa, Metro New York, The New Indian Express, Haaretz (Israel), BNN Bloomberg, bangladesh.timesofnews.com, India Mirror, Al Jazeera, Express India, Business Standard Online - Mumbai, The Hindu Online, Al Arabiya Net, The Manila Times, The Tribune India, AP Direct India, Euro News, Dunya News TV, China Global Television Network, HuffPost, Times Live (South Africa)

**Other:** DUK News, Express Digest, NewsFinale, Society Master, News Explorer, Aniqlo, 2News, The News Amed, Mogaz News, Verve Times, Mediatel Group, Insider Voice, Finno Expert, Sun News Online, Techiai, Times of News, The Journal Online, Latestnewspost, Latest Page News, SRN News, Technocodex, One News Page, ET Healthworld, MSN Health & Fitness, User Walls, Medical Xpress, Newscabal, David Icke, News Nation Now, Sound Health and Lasting Wealth, Pedfire, The World Socialist Website, Business Fast, Breitbart, News Break, Express Digest, Internewscast, Dev Discourse, Today News Post, I Know All News, The Sun Best, Health.10ztalk, DUK News, NaturalNews.com

**Research:** [Burden of SARS-CoV-2 infection in healthcare workers during second wave in England and impact of vaccines: prospective multicentre cohort study \(SIREN\) and mathematical model](#)

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**Research:** [Waning effectiveness of BNT162b2 and ChAdOx1 covid-19 vaccines over six months since second dose: OpenSAFELY cohort study using linked electronic health records \(Press Release\)](#)

[COVID vaccines averted infection in 10% of patient-facing healthcare staff during second wave](#) Medical Xpress 20/07/22

[COVID vaccines averted infection in 10% of patient-facing healthcare staff during second wave](#) Scienmag 21/07/22

[AstraZeneca Pfizer COVID-19 vaccines offer high protection 6 months after second dose Study](#) The Week (IN) 21/07/22

**Also in:** UK Today News, Mirage News (AU), Englemed Health News, Devdiscourse, News-Medical.net, Newswise, Science Newsnet, TCTMD, Daily Advent, The Mint, Knowledia, Community99, Head Topics, News Drum, Republic World, South Asian Wire

*Further coverage for investigation on blood-washing treatment for long covid (PR):*  
[People With Long COVID Are Traveling Overseas For Expensive 'Bloodwashing' Treatments](#)  
Newslanes 18/07/22

**Also in:** ABC News, Wired, Vietnam Explorer, Wired Magazine, Medical News Today, Knowledia, Remonews, The Conversation UK, Western Morning News, Newshub NZ, Medical Xpress, Knowledia, California News Times, i News, Verve Times, Pehal News, Economic Times India, Healthy Duck, Techilive

*Further coverage for heart condition after covid-19 vaccine (PR):*  
[Teenage boys and young men most at risk of heart inflammation after Covid jab](#) Pulse  
19/07/22

**Also in:** Italy 24 News English, Medical News Today, News Break, Remonews, The Sun Daily, Medical Xpress, RTL Today (LU), Knowledia, GMA News, The Manila Times

*Further coverage for WHO covid-19 guidelines (PR):*  
[Sore throat and headache; 8 million children; metabolism](#) Portugal Posts English 19/07/22

### **Other notable coverage**

[Firefighters tackle blazes in Spain, Greece and France as residents flee](#) (Print) The Telegraph 18/07/22  
[Infertility, Miscarriage, and Stillbirth Can All Increase Your Risk of Stroke](#) Scitechdaily 18/07/22 **(Previous PR)**

**Also in:** Focus Technica, Cardiology Adviser  
[Think before you take that shot: Injections for knee pain as good as placebo, finds study](#)  
Times of India 18/07/22 **(Previous PR)**

**Also in:** Economic Times Healthworld (IN), The Star, JD Supra  
[Why the COOLEST accessory in a heatwave is a €3,500 ICE BATH](#) The Daily Mail + Irish edition 18/07/22

**Also in:** Newsfeeds  
[People in Republican Counties Have Higher Death Rates Than Those in Democratic Counties](#) Scientific American 18/07/22 **(Previous PR)**

**Also in:** News Akmi  
[So do we really need to start wearing masks all over again?](#) Irish Daily Mail 19/07/22  
[High cholesterol: Britons at risk of heart attack to trial new cholesterol-lowering drug](#) MSN UK 19/07/22 **(Previous PR)**

**Also in:** Vietnam Explorer  
[What 40C in the UK will look like](#) The Guardian 19/07/22  
[The uncomfortable truth behind 'healthy', low-sugar cereal](#) The Daily Telegraph 18/07/22  
**Also in:** MSN UK

[The seven secrets of naturally skinny people](#) The Daily Telegraph 18/07/22  
**Also in:** Vietnam Explorer, MSN UK, Australian Financial Review, New Zealand Herald, Healthy Duck

[Heart disease: The telling sign on your ankles - symptoms](#) The Express 19/07/22  
[Times Radio broadcast on heat warnings and the 'nanny state'](#) 19/07/22  
[Calorie counts on restaurant menus will do more harm than good – Alex Cole-Hamilton MSP](#)  
The Scotsman 19/07/22

[Government's unlawful care home policies led to needless suffering and excess deaths](#) The Canary 19/07/22

[Your Depression Might Not Be Due To A Chemical Imbalance After All](#) HuffPost 20/07/22

**Also in:** DUK News  
[New 10 point plan to tackle Covid wave offers clear guidelines, but are they achievable?](#)  
iNews 20/07/22

[Despite all odds – Homeopathy continues to gain popularity](#) Times of India 20/07/22  
[Drug Prison Sentencing Reaches FIVE YEAR HIGH](#) Byline Times 20/07/22

[Doctors' chief quits \(print\)](#) The Times + Irish edition 20/07/22

[PAIN RELIEF Can you take paracetamol on an empty stomach?](#) The Sun + Scottish edition 21/07/22

[German Health Ministry: 'One serious adverse event for every 5,000 COVID vaccinations'](#) Israel National News 21/07/22

[VIRAL SPREAD New monkeypox symptoms revealed as experts warn the bug 'has no borders'](#) The Sun 22/07/22

[Shoulder surgery is common but it doesn't always fix the problem](#) The Star 22/07/22

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## **JOURNALS**

### **Archives of Disease in Childhood**

**Research:** [Trends in weight loss attempts among children in England](#) (Press Release)

[Children at normal weight trying to diet](#) The Times (x 2) + Irish edition 19/07/22

[Worrying number of slim children dieting](#) BBC News 19/07/22

[More Children Are Trying To Lose Weight Today, Study Finds](#) International Business Times + IBT Australia 19/07/22

**Also in:** BBC television broadcast (Sunday Morning Live), The Guardian, The Independent, iNews, BBC Radio 5 Live, The Sun + The Scottish Sun, GB News, The Daily Mirror, ITV News online, The Daily Telegraph (x2), The Daily Mail, The Daily Express, Oxford Mail, Northern Echo + widespread UK local/regional news, BBC Radio Devon + local radio coverage, Radio News Hub, MSN UK, AOL UK, Asian Image, Eastern Eye, Timenews UK, Sri Lankan Weekly, Wales Online, UK Today News, Sunday Post, Yahoo News UK, The Week

**International:** Vietnam Explorer, Health Europa, The California Sun, Portugal Posts English, Mirage News (AU), New York Times Post, The Local Report (IN), India Education Diary, User Walls, World is One News, Serbia.com, ehtrend.br, Pehal News (IN), AU Mag, Granthshala, Signs of the Times US, Frontier Post, GG2net (IN)

**Other:** Medical Daily, NewsBreak, The Sun Best, Sound Health and Lasting Wealth, Daily Advent, Internewscast, News Cabal, DUK News, Zipe-education, Head Topics, Networthy News, My Science, Medical Daily, 24HTech, Newsbreak, The Impartial Reporter, Medscape, Swift Telecast, Scienmag, Families Online, Hive, British Nutrition Foundation, NetMums, Nursing in Practice, Vigour Times, Nutrition Insight, 247newsaroundtheworld, Society for Endocrinology (US), News NCR, 247 News Bulletin, Latestpage News, Express Digest, Englemed Health News, Academic Gates, The Pharmacist,

[Britain's Tourette's Mystery: Scarlett Moffatt Investigates viewers shocked as man suffers 'brutal' tic attack before the presenter was forced to call 999 - amid surge in cases as a result of rising lockdown anxiety](#) The Daily Mail 21/07/22

[Generation of young vapers 'sleepwalking into a health catastrophe'](#) The Observer 24/07/22

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## **BMJ Open**

**Research:** [Differential impact of minimum unit pricing on alcohol consumption between Scottish men and women: controlled interrupted time series analysis](#) (Press Release)

[Minimum pricing does not slow down heaviest drinkers](#) The Times + Scottish edition  
19/07/22

[BOOZE TOLL HIKE \(print\)](#)The Scottish Sun 19/07/22

[Minimum prices for alcohol fail to curb intake by most vulnerable, study finds](#) The Irish Times  
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**International + Other:** Vietnam Explorer, Mirage News (AU), National Alcohol Beverage Control Association (US), Big Rapids News, Medical Xpress, Swift Telecast, Newsworthy News, Harpers Wine, Medscape, Projin News, NewsBreak, Public Newstime, Beverage Daily, Yahoo Style, Newschain

**Research:** [Use of computerised adaptive testing to reduce the number of items in patient-reported hip and knee outcome scores: an analysis of the NHS England National Patient-Reported Outcome Measures programme](#) (External PR)

[How digitalizing hip and knee replacement surveys can save time and improve compliance](#)  
Medical Xpress 20/07/22

[Digitalize hip and knee replacement surveys to save time and improve compliance, research finds](#) Scienmag 21/07/22

**Also in:** UK Today News

**Research:** [‘It was like being hit with a brick’: a qualitative study on the effect of clinicians’ delivery of a diagnosis of eye disease for patients in primary and secondary care](#) (External PR)

[Trauma of diagnosis stays with eye disease patients](#) Scienmag 22/07/22

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**Also in:** News Break, Medical Xpress, UK Today News, London News Today, 24HTech, News Explorer, Neuroscience News, Revyuh News

[Would you feel safe being treated on a 'VIRTUAL WARD' in your home?](#) The Daily Mail Irish print edition 18/07/22

[Poor Women Have Heart Attacks Earlier Than Wealthy Women: Study](#) Newsweek 19/08/22

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[The seven secrets of being thin. Exercise isn't one](#) Australian Financial Review 19/07/22  
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[Here's Why Doctors Are Prescribing Placebo Pills](#) Reader's Digest Canada 19/07/22

[Researchers concerned about proposal for OTC rescue inhaler availability](#) Healio 22/07/22

[How safe are water births for mother and child?](#) My Daily News 22/07/22 (Previous PR)

**Also in:** The Star Malaysia

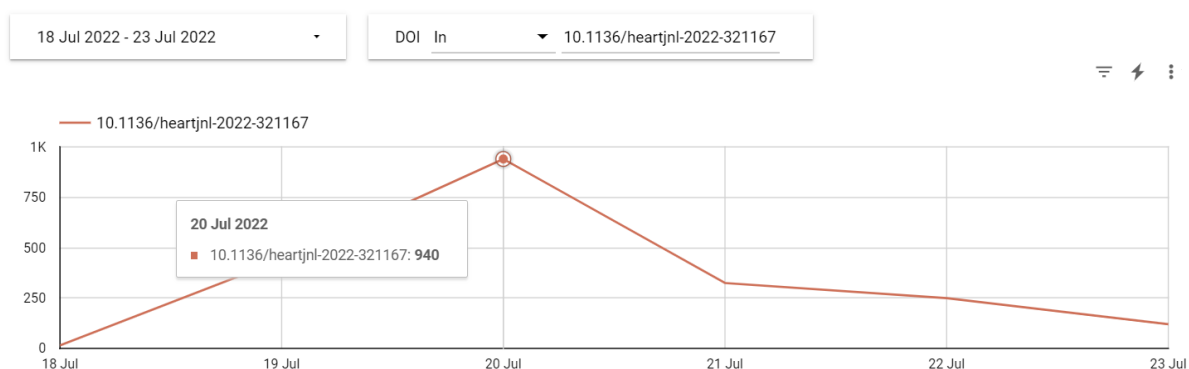
[Major rise in patients recording adverse drug reactions](#) Digital Journal 24/07/22

[Cancer risk reduction possible through these food items](#) Shanghai.ist 24/07/22 (**Previous PR**)

## **Heart**

**Research:** [Salt restriction and risk of adverse outcomes in heart failure with preserved ejection fraction](#) (Press Release)

[Study: Too little salt may worsen outcomes for common type of heart failure](#) UPI 19/07/22  
[Overly restrictive salt intake may worsen outcomes for common form of heart failure](#) Medical Dialogues (IN) 19/07/22  
[Pass on the salt](#) Hong Kong Standard 19/07/22



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**Other:** Medical Xpress, HealthDay, Newsworthy News, Pocket PC Medicine, Global Health Newswire, Projin News, News-Medical.net, Free Republic, Scienmag, AgHub, Patient Care, Medscape, Pediatric News, Doctor's Lounge, MedPage Today, Drugs.com, Practical Cardiology, Archyde, Flipboard, Newsbreak, Everyday Health, Vigour Times, Revyuh News, Delicious, Head Topics, MDEdge, OnMedica, Knowridge, Science Daily, Cardiovascular Business, Newspreare, Knowledia, Networthy News, Business99, Technology Networks

## **Annals of the Rheumatic Diseases**

**Research:** [Rising incidence and prevalence of systemic lupus erythematosus: a population-based study over four decades](#) (External PR)

[U.S. Should Expect More Lupus Cases as Racial-Ethnic Diversity Grows](#) Medically Prime 19/07/22

**Also in:** MedPage Today, TechLive (IN)

**Recommendation:** [The 2021 EULAR/American College of Rheumatology points to consider for diagnosis, management and monitoring of the interleukin-1 mediated autoinflammatory diseases: cryopyrin-associated periodic syndromes, tumour necrosis factor receptor-associated periodic syndrome, mevalonate kinase deficiency, and deficiency of the interleukin-1 receptor antagonist](#) (External PR)

[Interleukin-1 mediated autoinflammatory diseases call for IL-1 blockers, steady monitoring](#)  
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**Research:** [Leflunomide versus azathioprine for maintenance therapy of lupus nephritis: a prospective, multicentre, randomised trial and long-term follow-up](#)  
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[Leflunomide shows promise in lupus nephritis](#) Medwire News 22/07/22

**Also in:** Medical Dialogues

### **BMJ Case Reports**

[UK Vitamin D Overdose Case Not Reflective Of Ordinary Use, Says Industry](#) HBW Insight  
20/07/22 (Previous PR)

**Also in:** MedicalBrief South Africa, World Stock Market, Portugal Posts English, Clinica Med  
Tech

### **BMJ Global Health**

[With focus on marginalized, University of Toronto's Reach Alliance expands to universities](#)  
Mirage News (AU) 21/07/22

**Also in:** National Tribune (AU), AAP, OZ News Today, News of Australia, Newshub Asia,  
Pana Journal, Asia FSP, Sangri Times, OneNewsPage, Saigon, Economic Times,  
Mediaverse, The Malaysia Voice, Newswire NZ, News for Business (AU), Borneo News,  
AsiaOne, ASEAN Briefing + various SE Asia financial/business outlets

[Female health scientists in Africa face 'substantial' author inequity](#) Research Professional  
News 21/07/22

[What Is Lyme Disease, And Can It Be Cured?](#) Forbes 22/07/22

[Danger from tick bites: what you should know about Lyme disease](#) The Daily News 24/07/22  
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**Also in:** Spectrum News

[WHO DECLARES MONKEYPOX INTERNATIONAL HEALTH EMERGENCY TO MIXED  
REVIEWS](#) The High Wire 24/07/22

### **BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care**

[How to Lower Blood Sugar With Food](#) Consumer Reports 19/07/22

### **BMJ Open Respiratory Research**

[Cannabis use leads to more hospital visits: research](#) Eminetra Canada 18/07/22 (Previous  
PR)

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COPD: analysis from an Asthma + Lung UK survey](#) (External PR)

[Low pay and damp housing driving UK lung disease deaths, study finds](#) The Guardian  
25/07/22

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### **BMJ Sexual & Reproductive Health**

[Facing abortion barriers, trans men warn of the risks](#) Reuters 19/07/22

**Also in:** National Post, The Daily Mail, The Gay Times, Lipstick Alley

## **BMJ Supportive & Palliative Care**

[Neutropenic diet in acute leukaemia patients didn't lower mortality](#) Medical Dialogues 22/07/22

## **British Journal of Ophthalmology**

[ForSight sees a world without cataracts with its surgery robot](#) 24HTech 19/07/22

**Also in:** The Jewish Press, Inversezone, Reporter Wings, Science and Enterprise, Honest Columnist, Focus Technica, TechCrunch, HIT Consultant, Yahoo Finance, Pharmiweb, Ticker Tech, TMCNet, Latin Trade FDAReg Watch + extensive financial/business outlets

## **British Journal of Sports Medicine**

[Exercising more 'won't offset a bad diet' \(print\)](#) The Times + Irish edition 18/07/22

**Also in:** Healthline, MSN Health & Fitness, California 18 + widespread US regional coverage, Medical News Today, WPGX-TV, Healthy Duck, Pakistan Observer, Channel News Asia, Knowledia, Cosmos Magazine, Classic FM, The Swaddle, extensive local Australian news outlets

[Five Do-It-Yourself Tests to Monitor Your Health as You Get Older](#) Wall St Journal 21/07/22  
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**Also in:** The Star (Malaysia), Physician's Weekly, Science Norway

[How does hot weather affect your cycling performance?](#) Cyclist magazine 19/07/22

[Health Benefits of Cherries](#) MediaIndia123 21/07/22 **(Previous PR)**

**Research:** [Effects of high-intensity interval training \(HIIT\) and sprint interval training \(SIT\) on fat oxidation during exercise: a systematic review and meta-analysis](#)  
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[Why Joe Wicks' HIIT really IS the secret to staying slim](#) The Daily Mail 21/07/22

[FAT BUSTER Just a few minutes of exercise each day can turn 'flabby' adults into 'fat burning machines', experts say](#) The Sun + Scottish edition 21/07/22

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[The majority of athletes do not suffer from serious complications following COVID-19](#)

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## **Evidence-Based Mental Health**

[Trendy Mindfulness Training Doesn't Boost Teens' Mental Health](#) Homeward 20/07/22  
**(Previous PR)**

**Also in:** crosswalk.com

## **Gut**

[Metadeq Announces Breakthrough Non-Invasive Blood Test that Solves NASH Diagnosis Problem](#) Pharmtech Focus 19/07/22

**Research:** [A novel peptide protects against diet-induced obesity by suppressing appetite and modulating the gut microbiota](#) **(External PR)**



[Hopes world's first appetite-suppressant pill will help thousands lose weight safely](#) News Explorer 20/07/22

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[Researchers Create Highly Accurate Non-Invasive Test for Major Liver Diseases](#) Medical Dialogues 24/07/22

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### **Injury Prevention**

[University Of New South Wales: Off-Road Motorcycles Put Four Times More Kids In Hospital Than Quad-Bikes](#) India Education Diary 19/07/22

**Also in:** UK Time News, The Switzerland Times, Insurance Journal, Bharat Express

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

[Over 250,000 Australians Will Die From Cancers Caused By Cigarette Smoking Over The Next 25 Years](#) India Education Diary 18/07/22

**Research** [Exposure to fine particulate matter \(PM2.5\) during landscape fire events and the risk of cardiorespiratory emergency department attendances: a time-series study in Perth, Western Australia \(Flagged\)](#)

[Smoke exposure drives jump in Perth ED presentations during bushfires](#) The Sydney Morning Herald 22/07/22

[Why you should mask up during bushfires, even if they're hundreds of kilometres away](#) The Age (AU) 22/07/22

**Also in:** Brisbane Times, World News Times, WA Today, VN Explorer, ABC News Australia

### **Journal of Investigative Medicine**

[Marital Status Plays Modest Role in Gastric Cancer Overall Survival](#) Medscape 19/07/22 (Previous PR)

**Also in:** Healio, Physician's Weekly, Federal Practitioner, Knowledia, Cancer Therapy Advisor, Oncology Nurse Advisor

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

[Study Suggests ADHD Drugs Could Treat Alzheimer's Symptoms](#) Verywell Health 23/07/22 (Previous PR)

### **Open Heart**

[Heart failure 'less important than potholes'](#) Practice Nurse 22/07/22 (Previous PR)

### **Thorax**

[Air Pollution is a Global Heart and Lung Health Concern](#) Winslow, Evans & Crocker 19/07/22 (All misattributed to The BMJ) (Previous PR)

**Also in:** The Morning News, StreetInsider, Finanz Nachrichten, Le Zard, User Walls, Before It's News, New Delhi Times, One News Page, Newstage, Picante Today, Spoke, Sangri Times, Knowledia, MedIndia

**Research:** [Assessment of formal tobacco treatment and smoking cessation in dual users of cigarettes and e-cigarettes](#) (External PR)

[Cigarette smokers who try to quit often become dual nicotine users](#) News-Medical.net 21/07/22

**Also in:** Healthcare Purchasing News, India Education Diary, UK Today News, Mirage News

(AU), Healthcare Purchasing News, ORDO News

## Tobacco Control

[Research: 'To be honest, I'm really scared': perceptions and experiences of intimidation in the LMIC-based tobacco control community](#) (External PR)

[What other Arab countries can learn from Saudi Arabia's fight against tobacco use](#) Arab News 24/07/22

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## INFLUENCE

Geraint Davies Labour, Swansea West referred to [BMJ Open research](#) (misattributed to The BMJ) on deaths linked to austerity measures in a Westminster Hall debate [Cost of Living Crisis: Wales](#) 19 July 2022: "We know, from a University of York study that was published by The BMJ, that something like 50,000 extra people across the UK died from austerity."

This week on social media, a tweet of research on the covid-19 vaccine roll-out averting infection in the second wave performed best, followed by LinkedIn posts on Kamran Abbasi's [editorial](#) in *The BMJ* and research in *Heart* on restrictive salt intake:

The image displays three social media posts from the BMJ account. The first is a tweet from @bmj\_company on Friday, 7/22/2022 at 6:00 pm BST, with 6,955 impressions. The text reads: "#COVID vaccines averted infection in 10% of hospital workers in second wave suggests new research in @bmj\_latest...". It includes a photo of a healthcare worker in a pink coat and blue gloves administering a vaccine to a patient in a green sweater. The second is a LinkedIn post from BMJ on Monday, 7/18/2022 at 1:36 pm BST, with 5,601 impressions. The text reads: "The NHS is not living with covid, it's dying from it https://bit.ly/3cpC4Fj Now is the time to face the fact that the...". It includes a placeholder image for a video. The third is a LinkedIn post from BMJ on Tuesday, 7/19/2022 at 4:21 pm BST, with 4,673 impressions. The text reads: "New research: Overly restrictive salt intake may worsen outcomes for common form of heart failure...". It includes a photo of a person's hands seasoning a pizza.