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The BMJ press release coverage

Feature: [How the cost of living crisis is damaging children's health](#) (Media Alert)

[Toothbrushes a 'luxury' some families can't afford](#) (print) The Daily Telegraph 4/1/23

[TOOTHBRUSH A KID LUXURY](#) (print) Daily Star + Scottish edition 5/1/23

[Toothbrushes for children have become 'luxury' item for some families](#) Evening Standard 5/1/23

Also in: GB News broadcast, Women's Health, BBC Radio London, Wales Online

Further coverage for The BMJ's Christmas issue press released content:

[AI Bot Passes UK Radiology Exam](#) Applied Radiology 2/1/23

Also in: American Council On Science & Health, News Break, Healio

[The Monty Python 'Silly Walk' Is Actually Great Exercise, A Very Serious Study Finds](#)

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Also in: UVA Today, Mirage News AU, The Limited Times

[To dunk or not to dunk? The best biscuit for a quick tea break](#) Nursing Standard 7/1/23

[Conspiracy Theorists' Cancer Beliefs; HIV Meds and Ethnicity](#) Medically Prime 8/1/23

Other notable coverage

[Science says you should give up dieting this January: Here's what to do instead to be healthier](#) i News 2/1/23

Also in: Indy100

[Domestic violence impacting child development](#) The New Zealand Herald (print) 2/1/23

[Dry January: What is it and how beneficial can giving up alcohol be?](#) ABC News 2/1/23

Also in: VN Explorer, Good Morning America, KSYL-AM, South Central Illinois + widespread US regional coverage, CBS News, MSN News

[What happens to your body when you cut out meat and dairy for Veganuary](#) Mirror 2/1/23

[Dietary flavonoid intake and weight maintenance: three prospective cohorts of 124 086 US men and women followed for up to 24 years](#) The Times + Irish edition 3/1/23 **(Previous PR)**

[NSW COVID wave continues downward trajectory](#) The Sydney Morning Herald 5/1/23

Also in: The Independent, The Daily Express (print), The Singapore Time, Epoch Times Chicago, Breitbart, Brisbane Times, The Age (AU)

[This must not become the new normal on NHS crisis opinion](#) i Newspaper (print) 4/1/23

Also in: Sky News broadcast, BBC One Breakfast news television broadcast

[5 Reasons The NHS Is In Crisis Right Now](#) HuffPost UK 4/1/23

[I teach yoga – its appropriation by the white wellness industry is a form of colonialism, but we can move on](#) The Guardian 4/1/23

[Study claiming pro-life laws lead to higher female suicide rates provides no credible evidence](#) Live Action 3/1/23

[ITV News London](#) broadcast on loss of sense of smell and taste with covid-19 infection 3/1/23 **(Previous PR)**

[Wear a mask if you want – but understand it's about fear and control, not health](#) The Daily Mail 5/1/23

Also in: The Business Times, The Irish Independent

[2 MINUTES ON...Hydration](#) The Daily Mirror 5/1/23

[How worried should we be about falling sperm counts?](#) The Spectator + AU edition 5/1/23

Also in: Knowledia

[ITV News London](#) television broadcast 5/1/23 **(Previous PR on violent incidents at GP practices investigation)**

[Critics claim Covid jabs are killing young men. Do they have any proof?](#) The Daily Telegraph 7/1/23 **(Previous PR)**

Also in: Yahoo UK

[BBC Radio 5 Live](#) broadcast, interview with Dr Helen Salisbury 6/1/23

Also in: BBC Radio London + widespread regional BBC radio coverage

[Labour 'would tear up contract with GPs' and make them salaried NHS staff](#) The Guardian 7/1/23

[Key study into stroke drug taken by millions 'unreliable', say experts](#) (refers to The Lancet's rivaroxaban trial) The Mail on Sunday 8/1/23

[Medical cannabis is legal - so why are patients still buying it on street corners?](#) The Sunday

Telegraph 8/1/23 (**Previous PR**)

LBC with Emily Sheffield radio broadcast on [junior doctors' strike](#) 7/1/23

JOURNALS

Archives of Disease in Childhood

[How We Learned to Be Lonely](#) The Atlantic 5/1/23 (**Previous PR**)

Also in: Vigour Times, News Break, New York Folk

BMJ Global Health

[Do restrictions on travel work against Covid?](#) BBC News (Misattributed to The BMJ) 4/1/23

Research: [Aetiology and incidence of diarrhoea requiring hospitalisation in children under 5 years of age in 28 low-income and middle-income countries: findings from the Global Pediatric Diarrhea Surveillance network](#) (**External PR**)

[Research warns about infant deaths caused by rotavirus](#) Portal de Financas 5/1/23

Also in: Jornal do Dia, Gazeta do Dia, Um Novo Mundo, coisasdavid.net.br + widespread Brazilian online news coverage

[I'm Sorry, but This COVID Policy Is Ridiculous](#) The Atlantic 7/1/23

Also in: NewsPages.co.za

BMJ Medicine

Research: [Metrics, baseline scores, and a tool to improve sponsor performance on clinical trial diversity: retrospective cross sectional study](#) (**External PR**)

[Bioethics International Publishes New Index to Score Pharma Companies on Clinical Trial Diversity in BMJ Medicine](#) Health Economics 5/1/23

[Bioethics International Publishes New Index to Score Pharma Companies on Clinical Trial Diversity in BMJ Medicine](#) AP News 5/1/23

Also in: Sangri Times, About Pain, Pharma Opportunities, News Blaze, Quertle, Intern Daily, Business Class News, FOX-TV

BMJ Military Health

[Maybe Edward the Black Prince didn't die from chronic dysentery after all](#) New York Folk 2/1/23 (**Previous PR**)

Also in: USA-sciencenews, Techzle

BMJ Nutrition Prevention & Health

[Shaking up the salt supply chain](#) Ingredients Insight 2/12/23 (**Previous PR**)

Research: [What predicts drug-free type 2 diabetes remission? Insights from an 8-year general practice service evaluation of a lower carbohydrate diet with weight loss](#) (**External PR**)

[Inspiring new study that proves you CAN conquer Type 2 diabetes](#) The Daily Mail + Irish edition + MailOnline + MailPlus 2/1/23

[GP study shows promise for diabetes remission with early low-carb intervention](#) Pulse 5/1/23

Also in: Business Telegraph, Express Digest, UK-Times, Sound Health and Lasting Wealth, UK Today News, DUK News, News Finale, Business Times Online, The British Club,

NewsPages.co.za, The Sun Best, Knowledia, The News Amed, the pharmacist

BMJ Open

[Supermarkets gird for price war as inflation bites](#) Irish Times (misattributed to The BMJ) 2/1/23 (Previous PR)

[AHA News: Want a Short-Term New Year's Resolution You May Be Able to Keep? Try Dry January.](#) Health Day 4/1/23

Also in: MSN Arabia, Chicago Star, The Dothan Eagle, KXLY-TV + widespread US regional coverage, Lebanon Democrat Online, News Break, Medical Xpress

[Got Bad Breath Issues? New Study Suggests Consuming Yogurt](#) Drug Genius 3/1/23 (Previous PR)

Also in: Daily Reporter, DrBicuspid.com, The Star Malaysia, MSN Health & Fitness

[The 26 best non-alcoholic drinks for Dry January and beyond](#) CNN 5/1/23

[Menstruation and human rights: What is the social and economic impact of periods?](#) MSN Singapore + South Africa + IE + AU + NZ 5/1/23 (Previous PR)

Research: [Comparison of the Journey II bicruciate stabilised \(JII-BCS\) and GENESIS II total knee arthroplasty for functional ability and motor impairment: the CAPAbility, blinded, randomised controlled trial](#) (External PR)

[Older designs for knee replacements are as effective as new models](#) Health Europa 7/1/23

Also in: Economic Times India, ScienMag, News Wise, News-Medical.Net, Medical Xpress, Science Newsnet, ReachMD, Mirage News AU, Knowledia, ThePrint IN, Latestly, WebIndia123, Always First, AniNews.in, Lokmat Times (IN)

BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care

Research: [Prevalence of non-diabetic kidney disease and inability of clinical predictors to differentiate it from diabetic kidney disease: results from a prospectively performed renal biopsy study](#) (External PR)

[Study finds high prevalence of non-diabetic kidney disease in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus](#) Times of India (misattributed to The BMJ) 2/1/23

Also in: Economic Times India, ChroniclesLive, Today's Chronic , Yours Bulletin, Pakkikhabar

BMJ Quality & Safety

[Patients wrongly told they've got cancer in SMS snafu](#) Focus Technica 3/1/23

Also in: The Register

British Journal of Sports Medicine

[8 in 10 People Will Experience This Common Health Problem](#) The Epoch Times 2/1/23 (Previous PR on physical inactivity and risk of hospitalisation with covid-19)

Also in: The Philippine Star, NaturalNews.com,

[BBC Radio Surrey](#) news broadcast on inability balancing on one leg and risk of death 2/1/23 (Previous PR)

Also in: The Macon Telegraph, [The News Tribune](#) + widespread US regional syndicated coverage

[Transform-Us! reduces sedentary behavior and adiposity indicators in children](#) 2 Minute

Medicine 2/1/23

[What Is the Right Balance of Strength Training to Cardio?](#) The New York Times 4/1/23

[Strong, steady and straight: Exercise recommendations for osteoporosis](#) New Zealand Doctor 5/1/23

[NFL players 'are expressing a reluctance to return to the field'](#) The Daily Mail 5/1/23

Also in: Vietnam Explorer, MSN Sports

[Runner's high: Everything you need to know if running is your New Year's resolution](#) Irish Examiner 5/1/23

[Running after Covid: What the science tells us](#) MSN UK 7/1/23

Also in: Runner's World UK

Emergency Medicine Journal

[A WEEK OF A&E CHAOS 'KILLS 50 PATIENTS'](#) (print) The Irish Mail on Sunday 8/1/23

General Psychiatry

[High blood pressure could be the reason you're feeling neurotic](#) Study Finds 4/1/23

(Previous PR)

Gut

[IBD Treatment with No Medication? A healthy lifestyle may prevent up to 60% of cases](#)

Before It's News 2/1/23 **(Previous PR)**

Also in: Natural Blaze

[Ferric carboxymaltose significantly increased hypophosphataemia risk in IBD patients with IDA](#) Medical Dialogues (IN) 2/1/23

Journal of Medical Ethics

[Prestigious medical journal slams Tory MP Andrew Bridgen for peddling ... trends now](#) The Daily Mail 3/1/23

Also in: Times Radio, BBC Radio 5 Live, User Walls, Mogwaz, The Sun Best , Banzai Japan, Independent Eagle, The News Amed, Sound Health and Lasting Wealth, UK-Times, UK Today News

[Maharashtra doctors' strike: Resident docs hopeful after minister promises to heed to their demands](#) The Week (IN) 4/1/23

Occupational & Environmental Medicine

[Certain gym activities may carry a risk of 'catastrophic' eye injuries - risk of blindness](#) The Daily Express [misattributed](#) to British Journal of Ophthalmology 7/1/23

Also in: MSN UK, Independent Eagle

Open Heart

[Reasons Why Your Eyebrow Won't Stop Twitching](#) Open Heart 7/1/23

Regional Anesthesia & Pain Medicine

Guidelines: [ASRA Pain Medicine consensus guidelines on the management of the perioperative patient on cannabis and cannabinoids](#) **(External PR)**

[Cannabis screening urged before surgeries requiring anesthesia](#) UPI 3/1/23

[Influential medical panel calls for every American to be screened for cannabis before surgery — due to risk of deadly reactions with anesthetics and pain meds](#) MailOnline 5/1/23

Also in: MedPage Today, BuzzFeed, Newswise, The Daily Mail, News Break, ScienceNews Net (IN), Healio, Express Informer, Express Digest, Breitbart, Medically Prime, Vigour Times, WhatsNew2Day, Sound Health and Lasting Wealth, The News Amed, ReachMD, Healio, Web Today (US), Knowledia, Physician's Briefing, Medical Xpress, Physician's Weekly, PharmaMed

Tobacco Control

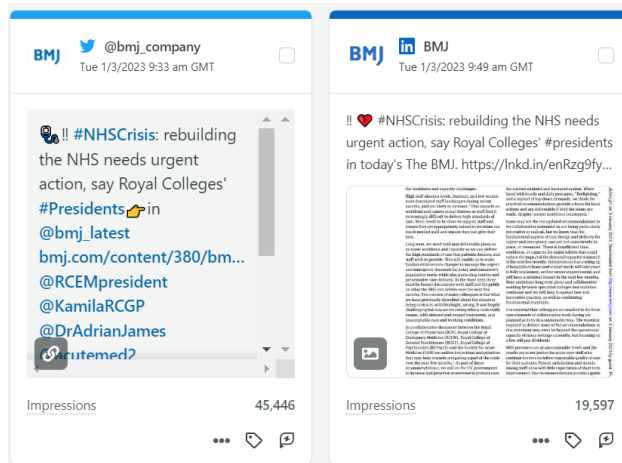
Brief report: [Vaping on TikTok: a systematic thematic analysis](#) (External PR)

[TikTok videos entice young people to vape according to University of Queensland study experts](#) The Daily Advertiser AU 5/1/23

Also in: Canberra Times, Bendingo Advertiser, Hawkesbury Gazette, The Examiner (Tasmania), The Senior AU + widespread Australian regional coverage

INFLUENCE

Social media posts to publicise articles in The BMJ on the NHS Crisis performed well across BMJ company social media channels, with over 1,000 post engagements for the LinkedIn post, and 378 for the Tweet.



The Journal of Medical Ethics article on mandating covid-19 vaccines for college students was the highest-scoring output on Altmetric, with a total of 2,577 mentions across the news and social media.

Outputs with the most mentions in the past week

Article in **Journal of Medical Ethics**, December 2022

[COVID-19 vaccine boosters for young adults: a risk benefit assessment and ethical analysis of mandate policies at universities](#)

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