COVID-19 vaccine prioritisation, presymptomatic SARS-CoV-2 transmission, WHO guidance on international travel

Peer reviewed journals featured:

- A systematic review on COVID-19 vaccine prioritisation [here]
- A meta-analysis on presymptomatic SARS-CoV-2 transmission [here]
- Observational studies on:
  - Clinical value of early repeat RT-PCR testing for SARS-CoV-2 [here]
  - SARS-CoV-2 immune evasion by Epsilon (B.1.427/B.1.429) variant [here]
  - Implementation of a low-cost telehealth service in antenatal care during COVID-19 [here]
  - Short-term outcomes for pregnant women vaccinated with Pfizer vaccine [here]
  - Immunogenicity of Pfizer vaccine in patients with haematological malignancy [here]
- Surveys on:
  - Patient satisfaction with, and acceptability of, telehealth in rheumatology outpatient clinics during COVID-19 in Australia [here]
  - Global trends and correlates of COVID-19 vaccination hesitancy [here]
- Commentary on:
  - Medico-legal issues in mandatory COVID-19 vaccination for high-risk workers [here]
  - Airborne transmission of SARS-CoV-2 [here]
  - Protecting Olympic participants from COVID-19 [here]
- A case report of vaccine-induced thrombotic thrombocytopenia in Australia [here]

Letters and correspondence discussed:

- Risk of COVID-19 transmission in an emergency department with multiple open beds [here]
- A three-month analysis of total humoral response to Pfizer vaccination in healthcare workers [here]
- COVID-19 in immune-mediated inflammatory diseases in New York [here]
Pre-peer review articles featured:

- Transmissibility of COVID-19 among vaccinated individuals [here](#)
- Vaccine breakthrough infections in healthcare workers [here](#) and [here](#)
- Persistent symptoms following SARS-CoV-2 infection in England [here](#)
- Effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccines against variants of concern in Canada [here](#)
- Neutralisation of Delta variant with sera of Covishield vaccinees [here](#)
- New Zealand’s elimination strategy in response to COVID-19 compared with OECD countries [here](#)
- Pfizer vaccine effectiveness given confirmed exposure [here](#)
- The emergence of SARS-CoV-2 variant Lambda (C.37) in South America [here](#)
- SARS-CoV-2 Lambda (C.37) variant susceptibility to neutralisation by mRNA vaccine-elicited antibodies and convalescent serum [here](#)
- The health impacts of a 4-month long community-wide COVID-19 lockdown in Victoria [here](#)

Guidance and reports

- The World Health Organization released guidance on a risk-based approach to international travel [here](#) and [here](#)
- The International Society of Infectious Diseases in Obstetrics and Gynaecology (ISIDOG) published guidelines on COVID-19 vaccination for pregnant women [here](#)

News and blogs

- Millions could be offered booster vaccinations from September in England [here](#)
- Post-acute COVID-19 syndrome cases are underreported in GP records in England [here](#)
- The response to COVID-19 and gender [here](#)

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