COVID-19 Critical Intelligence Unit

Daily evidence digest

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The daily evidence digest collates recently released reports and evidence – provision of these links does not imply endorsement nor recommendation.

Research informed strategy, equity, post infection immunity, symptom tracking

Peer reviewed journals featured:

- A viewpoint from the Lancet Rheumatology on the immune mechanisms of pulmonary intravascular coagulopathy in COVID-19 pneumonia <u>here</u>
- Strategies for COVID-19 that draw on insights from management research here
- Several articles in JAMA, including:
 - o An editorial on a new kind of "herd immunity" related to health equity here
 - A viewpoint outlining the opportunity to achieve greater equity of healthcare of vulnerable populations here
 - A viewpoint on post infection immunity <u>here</u>
- Real-time tracking of self-reported symptoms to predict potential COVID-19 infection via a smartphone-based app based used by 2.6 million participants here
- A discussion, in Science, of the ethics of controlled human infection to study COVID-19 here
- The impact of between-test-interval on the utility of re-testing for a COVID-19 in hospital here
- The role of surveillance, early detection and outbreak management in the containment of COVID-19 cases among healthcare workers <a href="https://example.com/here/beak_nample.c
- Perspectives from five countries about providing quality end of life care to older people during COVID-19 <u>here</u>

Letters on:

- A case report of a patient with a long incubation period of 38 days here
- Summary of the policies implemented by the Taiwanese government to maintain stockpiles of masks during COVID-19 here

Pre-peer review papers feature:

- Mobility restrictions and transmission rates of COVID-19 here
- Characteristics of acute kidney injury (AKI) in critically ill patients with severe COVID-19 here
- A study of 65 US hospitals showing a rapid decrease in stroke, acute coronary syndrome, and corresponding interventions <u>here</u>



Reviews:

 New resources from the Centre for Evidence Based Medicine include a review on preventing non-COVID-19 hospital admissions <u>here</u>, and clinical trial report cards for Remdesivir <u>here</u> and chloroquine and hydroxychloroquine <u>here</u>

Guidance released includes:

 Top tips for General Practitioners caring for care homes by the Royal College of General Practitioners UK here

Twitter:

COVID19 Impacts

@EricTopol shared a paper on implications of COVID-19 and exploring the implications of long-term conditions/extent of multimorbidity, a modelling study that predicts years of life loss of more than a decade here, and accounts of COVID19 survivors here and here.

Economic world forum, differences and delays misleading all-cause mortality with Figure 1 here

Easing lockdowns

The UK Government's COVID-19 recovery strategy here

From @BMJlatest the Hong Kong government has begun to distribute reusable facemasks to its 7.5million people and households will be supplied with 10 single use surgical masks here @theMJA insight preparing for any 2nd wave of COVID-19, learnings from an Australian tertiary hospital here

