COVID-19 Critical Intelligence Unit

Daily evidence digest

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Medical education, localised lockdowns, long-term care services

Peer reviewed journals included:

- A viewpoint on the transformational effects of COVID-19 on medical education here
- Commentary on digital approaches in Alberta's COVID-19 response <u>here</u>

Letters and correspondence discussed:

Time course of a second outbreak of COVID-19 in Beijing <u>here</u>

Pre-peer review articles featured:

- A systematic review of face mask use in the community here
- A modelling study on the efficacy of localised lockdowns <u>here</u>

Guidance and reports

- The World Health Organisation published a guide on preventing and managing COVID-19 across long-term care services <u>here</u>
- The Royal Australian College of General Practitioners released a factsheet on optimising the use of PPE in general practice <u>here</u>
- The US National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine released a report on encouraging participation and cooperation in contact tracing <u>here</u>



Podcasts, blogs and graphic perspectives

Handles	Topics	Links
@NEJM	Podcast: Building a New Hospital with Humility	Click here
	Graphic perspective: My blue sky (story of a pregnant nurse during COVID-19)	Click here
@AnnalsofIM	Podcast: Diagnosing SARS-CoV-2 Infection: Symptoms or No Symptoms?	Click here
@JAMA	JN Learning Podcast: Coronavirus Vaccine Update	Click here
@BerylInstitute	Blog: Caring for the caregivers: How to manage stress and trauma in the COVID-19 era	Click here
@PXJournal	Special issue: A commitment to hope	Click here



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