

Daily evidence digest

29 January 2021

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

Pfizer vaccine neutralisation of new variants, ivermectin, effective communication strategies

Peer reviewed journals featured:

- A randomised controlled trial on early treatment with ivermectin in non-severe COVID-19 [here](#)
- A case control study comparing COVID-19 patients who had a first negative RT-PCR test with those with a first positive RT-PCR test [here](#)
- Editorials on:
 - Effective government communication strategies in the era of COVID-19 [here](#)
 - How epidemiology has shaped the COVID-19 pandemic [here](#)

Letters and correspondence discussed:

- Trends in oncology clinical trials launched before and during COVID-19 [here](#)

Pre-peer review papers featured:

- Neutralisation of SARS-CoV-2 variants with spike mutation (from UK and South Africa) by Pfizer vaccine-elicited sera [here](#)

Guidance and reports

- A special edition of the World Health Organization's *Eurohealth* included articles on:
 - Fighting health infodemics using citizen empowerment [here](#)
 - The health democracy deficit and COVID-19 [here](#)
 - The role of performance intelligence in managing health systems [here](#)

[Click here](#) to subscribe to the daily evidence digest.