

Daily evidence digest

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Paediatric COVID-19, vaccine side effects, a potential endemic future

Peer reviewed journals featured:

- A systematic review on clinical characteristics, treatment and outcomes of paediatric COVID-19 [here](#)
- An observational study on a simulation tabletop exercise of COVID-19 lockdown in Taiwan [here](#)
- A case study of a US hospital's use of modelling in planning and emergency preparedness [here](#)
- Commentary on:
 - The extent and nature of side effects from COVID-19 vaccines [here](#)
 - The potential for an endemic future of COVID-19 [here](#)
 - An ethical framework for global distribution of COVID-19 vaccines [here](#)
 - The lessons of HIV and their application in stemming the COVID-19 pandemic [here](#)
 - International experiences with co-production of knowledge in responding to COVID-19 [here](#) and [here](#)

Letters and correspondence discussed:

- A systematic review of COVID-19 vaccines in patients with kidney disease [here](#)
- The misappropriation and reappropriation of the 'heroic' label for frontline workers [here](#)

News and blogs

- High-income countries have secured the bulk of COVID-19 vaccines [here](#)
- The mutations in new variants of SARS-CoV-2 [here](#)
- The Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) provisional approval of the AstraZeneca vaccine [here](#)

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