COVID-19 Critical Intelligence Unit

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Vaccination and rheumatic disease, adipokines and obesity and severe COVID-19, breakthrough infections

Peer reviewed journals featured:

- A systematic review and recommendations regarding COVID-19 vaccination in people with rheumatic disease <u>here</u>
- A narrative review on the link between adipokines, obesity, immune response, and severe COVID-19 outcomes <u>here</u>
- Observational studies on:
 - Prophylactic heparin and the risk of orotracheal intubation or death in COVID-19 pneumonia patients <u>here</u>
 - o COVID-19 vaccine sentiments and opinions on Twitter here
 - Psychosocial and behavioural impacts of COVID-19 and lockdown restrictions among Australians with type 2 diabetes <u>here</u>
- Ethics-based articles on:
 - The fallacy of the 'last bed dilemma' here
 - o Selective restriction of liberty in a pandemic here

Letters and correspondence discussed:

- Rate and risk factors for breakthrough SARS-CoV-2 infection after vaccination here
- Epidemiology of and risk factors for COVID-19 infection in health care workers here
- Cross-reactive antibody immunity against SARS-CoV-2 in children and adults here

Guidance and reports

- The Organisation for Economic Co-operation Development (OECD) published a review on safe international mobility during COVID-19 <u>here</u>
- The World Health Organization published a guide for engaging communities in contact tracing here

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