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### Heightened risk of mortality with the UK/Kent variant, COVID-19 and liver disease, virtual health care for community management in Australia

#### Peer reviewed journals featured:

- A review of COVID-19 and liver disease [here](#)
- A clinical review on pathogenesis and clinical management of severe COVID-19 [here](#)
- A modelling study on the early prognostication of COVID-19 using prediction scores [here](#)
- A survey on parental perceptions about seeking healthcare during COVID-19 in London [here](#)
- Bibliometric analysis of research trends in COVID-19 vaccines [here](#)
- Observational studies on:
  - The risk of mortality in patients with VOC-202012/1 (UK / Kent) variant [here](#)
  - Risk factors of SARS-CoV-2 seropositivity in healthcare personnel in the US [here](#) and associated commentary [here](#)
  - Factors linked to severe outcomes in multisystem inflammatory syndrome in children in the US [here](#) and associated commentary [here](#)
  - Association of age with likelihood of developing symptoms and critical disease among close contacts of COVID-19 cases [here](#)
  - Kidney injury and longitudinal kidney function after hospital discharge [here](#)
  - Virtual health care for community management of COVID-19 patients in Australia [here](#)
- Commentary on:
  - Alternatives to conventional hospitalisation that enhance health systems capacity [here](#)
  - The high risk of COVID-19 in patients with gout [here](#)
  - The need for a coordinated system and sustainable financing for global R&D [here](#)
  - Self-isolation and quarantine approaches for COVID-19 [here](#)
  - The US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommendations for fully vaccinated people [here](#)
  - Saliva tests comparable with nasal swabs for SARS-CoV-2 detection [here](#)

#### Letters and correspondence discussed:

- Gastrointestinal sequelae 90 days after discharge for COVID-19 [here](#)
- Characteristics and mortality associated with diabetic ketoacidosis in US hospitalised patients [here](#)
- A case of deep vein thrombosis (DVT) after the second dose of Pfizer vaccine [here](#)
- Attributes and predictors of post-acute COVID-19 syndrome [here](#)

## Pre-peer review articles featured:

- Immune response to SARS-CoV-2 variants of concern in vaccinated individuals [here](#)

## News and blogs

- The NHS Test and Trace service made no difference in England [here](#)
- The known unknowns regarding COVID-19 and vaccines [here](#)
- The answers to the top 3 COVID-19 vaccine questions [here](#)

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