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Week in Review

A highly selective capture of strategic developments, research, commentary, analysis and announcements spanning Human Rights Action, Humanitarian Response, Health, Education, Holistic Development, Heritage Stewardship, Sustainable Resilience. Achieving a balance across these broad themes is a challenge and we appreciate your observations and ideas in this regard. This is not intended to be a "news and events" digest.

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"Global Food Security Crisis"

Joint Statement by the Heads of the Food and Agriculture Organization, International Monetary Fund, World Bank Group, World Food Programme, and World Trade Organization on the Global Food Security Crisis

July 15, 2022

- *Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Director General Qu Dongyu*
- *International Monetary Fund (IMF) Managing Director Kristalina Georgieva*
- *World Bank Group (WBG) President David Malpass*
- *World Food Programme (WFP) Executive Director David Beasley*
- *World Trade Organization (WTO) Director General Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala*

The COVID-19 pandemic, interruption in international supply chains, and the war in Ukraine have severely disrupted food, fuel, and fertilizer markets, which are interlinked.

By June 2022 the number of acute food insecure people – whose access to food in the short term has been restricted to the point that their lives and livelihoods are at risk – increased to 345 million in 82 countries according to WFP. **Making matters worse, around 25 countries have reacted to higher food prices by adopting export restrictions affecting over 8 percent of global food trade.**^[1] In addition, complicating the food supply response is the doubling of fertilizer prices over the last twelve months, reflecting record-high costs of inputs such as natural gas. Global stocks, which steadily increased over the last decade, need to be released to bring prices down. **All this is happening at a time when fiscal space for government action is already severely constrained following the COVID-19 pandemic.** Beyond the short term, climate change is structurally affecting agriculture productivity in many countries.

Avoiding further setbacks to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals requires **short and long-term actions in four key areas:**

- (i) providing immediate support to the vulnerable,**
- (ii) facilitating trade and international supply of food,**
- (iii) boosting production and**
- (iv) investing in climate-resilient agriculture.**

- **Providing immediate support to the vulnerable:** Rapidly strengthening safety nets for vulnerable households at the national level and ensuring that WFP has sufficient resources to serve the neediest is a priority. WFP operations should be facilitated through actions such as the recent agreement by WTO members not to impose export restrictions on its purchases of food for humanitarian purposes. Unless they are well targeted, energy and food subsidies are expensive and inefficient. They should be replaced with cash transfers that reach only the most vulnerable. Over time, effective social protection systems may be expanded to cover more people. The best systems

include strong targeting and efficient enrollment, delivery, and payment systems, often leveraging technology.

- **Facilitating trade and the international supply of food:** In the short term, releasing stocks, as appropriate and consistent with WTO rules, and finding a diplomatic solution to evacuate the grains and fertilizers currently blocked in Ukraine, will help address availability and affordability of food supplies. Facilitating trade and improving the functioning and resilience of global markets for food and agriculture, including cereals, fertilizers, and other agriculture production inputs are key, as outlined in the WTO Ministerial Declaration on the Emergency Response to Food Security. The 2008 crisis taught us that imposing global trade restrictions leads directly to increases in food prices. Removing export restrictions and adopting inspections and licensing processes that are more flexible help minimize supply disruptions and lower prices. Increasing transparency through notifications to the WTO and improving the monitoring of trade measures will be critical.
- **Boosting production:** Taking action to encourage farmers and fishers to boost sustainable food production – in both developing and developed countries - and improve the supply chains that connect them to the world’s eight billion consumers is needed. This requires affordable fertilizers, seeds, and other inputs through the private sector as the primary actor in these markets. Providing working capital for competitive producers is also a key priority. Looking forward, disseminating best practice knowledge by FAO, WBG, and others will be key to increasing efficient fertilizer use through the rapid deployment of soil maps, extension services and precision agriculture technology. This will provide producers with the necessary know-how crucial for maintaining production levels and promoting sustainable use of natural resources.
- **Investing in climate-resilient agriculture:** Supporting resilient investments in agricultural capacity and providing support to adaptation, smallholder farms, food systems and climate-smart technologies are essential to develop a resilient climate-smart agriculture that will ensure steady production in the years to come. Work on norms and standard-setting for food safety and on value chain infrastructure (storage facilities, cooling facilities, banking infrastructure and insurance infrastructure) is also important to increase access and reduce inequality.

Previous experience demonstrates that it is important to support developing countries hurt by price increases and shortages to meet their urgent needs without derailing longer-term development goals. Assuring that the most vulnerable countries facing significant balance of payments problems can cover the cost of the increase in their food import bill to minimize any risk of social unrest is essential.

Development financing should provide clients with viable alternatives to inward-looking policies such as export bans or blanket subsidies of fertilizer imports. Investments in scalable safety nets and climate resilient agriculture and sustainable fisheries and aquaculture are good win-win examples.

We call for countries to strengthen safety nets, facilitate trade, boost production, and invest in resilient agriculture. Country specific needs should be identified and defined through a country-based process that mobilizes investments from multilateral development banks to connect short-, medium- and long-term opportunities.

And **we commit to working together to support this process through the [Global Alliance for Food Security](#), jointly convened by the G7 Presidency and the WBG, to monitor the drivers and the impact of higher prices and help ensure that investment, financing, data, and best-practice knowledge are available to countries in need.**

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Global Economic Outlook

IMF Managing Director Kristalina Georgieva Urges G20 Leadership to Address 'Exceptionally Uncertain' Global Outlook

Bali, Indonesia – July 16, 2022: International Monetary Fund Managing Director Kristalina Georgieva made the following statement today at the hybrid meeting of the G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors:

"...I wish the global economic outlook was as bright as the sky in Bali, but unfortunately, it is not. The outlook has darkened significantly, and uncertainty is exceptionally high. Downside risks about which the IMF had previously warned have now materialized.

The war in Ukraine has intensified, exerting added pressures on commodity and food prices. Global financial conditions are tightening more than previously anticipated. And continuing pandemic-related disruptions and renewed bottlenecks in global supply chains are weighing on economic activity.

As a result, later this month we will project a further downgrade to global growth for both 2022 and 2023 in our World Economic Outlook Update. Moreover, downside risks will remain and could deepen—especially if inflation is more persistent—requiring even stronger policy interventions which could potentially impact growth and exacerbate spillovers particularly to emerging and developing countries. Countries with high debt levels and limited policy space will face additional strains. Look no further than Sri Lanka as a warning sign.

Emerging and developing countries have also been experiencing sustained capital outflows for four months in a row. They now suffer the risk of reversing three decades of catching up with advanced economies and instead falling further behind.

How can we navigate this extraordinarily challenging environment? I see three priorities: First, countries must do everything in their power to bring inflation down. Failure to do so could risk the recovery and further damage living standards for vulnerable people. The good news is that central banks are stepping up. Monetary policy is increasingly synchronized: more than three-quarters of central banks have raised interest rates and have done so 3.8 times. Central bank independence is critical for the success of these policy actions, as is clear communication and a data-driven approach.

Second, fiscal policy must help – not hinder – central bank efforts to tame inflation. This is a complex task. With growth slowing down, some people will need more support, not less. So fiscal policy needs to reduce debt while providing targeted measures to support vulnerable households facing renewed shocks, especially from high energy or food prices.

Third, a fresh impetus for global cooperation will be critical to confront the multiple crises the world is facing. We need G20 leadership particularly to address the risks from food insecurity and high debt. Here, I welcome the focus on food security issues during these meetings. Food insecurity means hunger for millions of people. Yet it is a solvable problem. Together with heads of the UNFAO, World Bank, WFP and WTO, the IMF is calling on the international community to step up and work together to support those in immediate need, remove export restrictions, promote food production, and invest in climate-resilient agriculture.

Strong global leadership is also needed to tackle the scourge of high debt, which has reached multiyear highs. More than 30 percent of emerging and developing countries are at or near debt distress. For low-income countries that number is 60 percent. And with tightening financial conditions and exchange rate depreciations, the debt service burden is a harsh – and for some countries – unbearable burden.

In that environment, it is paramount for the G20’s Common Framework (CF) to deliver on its promise. I am encouraged that the three creditor committees for Chad, Ethiopia, and Zambia are meeting this week. We need results. The whole world is watching.

New rules and timelines should be established for the CF. And it is important to expand coverage to non-DSSI countries. I urge the G20 to come together on a way forward and to do so swiftly. The debt situation is deteriorating fast and a well-functioning mechanism for debt resolution should be in place.

More broadly, the G20 is crucial to reinvigorate collective efforts to deliver on common global ambitions. This includes making progress on SDR channeling to amplify the effect of the IMF’s recent US\$650 billion SDR allocation.

I appreciate the G20 leadership in helping establish the IMF’s newest instrument – the Resilience and Sustainability Trust (RST)—with close to US\$40 billion in pledges. Now is the time to turn those pledges into actual contributions for the new Trust to be operational by the Annual Meetings in October. The need to support our vulnerable member countries to address longer-term structural challenges, especially those related to climate change and pandemics, could not be more pressing.

I would also like to thank G20 members who have already pledged loan resources to the IMF’s Poverty Reduction and Growth Trust of nearly SDR 8 billion (US\$10.5 billion) – about three-quarters of what is needed. I am confident that additional pledges will be made soon.

Finally, we cannot lose sight of the most pressing crisis of all: climate change. Scaling up financial resources for the climate transition as well as clear policy signals from national governments to decarbonize their economies are critical. As energy prices abate, countries have an opportunity to accelerate carbon pricing or equivalent measures.

The IMF will continue to support the G20 on these and other priorities. I look forward to our next meeting in October.”

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Syria – Humanitarian Access

[Security Council Renews Cross-Border Aid Operations into Syria’s North-West for Six Months, Adopting Resolution 2642 \(2022\) as ‘Compromise’ amid Divisions](#)

12 July 2022

SC/14965

Following days of protracted negotiations, the **Security Council today adopted a compromise resolution extending the use of the Bab al-Hawa border crossing for the delivery of humanitarian aid into Syria’s north-west for six months**, leaving the door open for a subsequent six-month renewal, until 10 July 2023, pending the adoption of another resolution.

The Council's adoption of resolution 2642 (2022) (to be issued as document [S/RES/2642\(2022\)](#)) — by a **vote of 12 in favour to none against, with 3 abstentions (France, United Kingdom, United States)** — follows the failure to pass either of two competing drafts on 8 July and **expiration of the cross-border mandate on 10 July**. This marks the only time in recent memory that disagreement among the organ's 15 members has allowed for such uncertainty, triggering the convening of a formal General Assembly meeting on the situation in Syria within 10 working days. (See Press Releases [SC/14963](#) and [GA/12417](#).)

In adopting today's resolution, the Council extended its previous authorization of the Bab al-Hawa crossing point on Syria's border with Turkey, first laid out in paragraphs 2 and 3 of resolution 2165 (2014). **Those authorizations apply only to Bab al-Hawa, and not to several other crossing points whose use was previously curtailed by the Council. A second six-month extension will require a separate resolution.** In that regard, the Secretary-General is requested to provide a special report on humanitarian needs no later than 10 December.

Also by the text, the Council demanded the full and immediate implementation of all previous relevant resolutions. It called on Member States to address the urgent needs of Syria's people, given the profound socioeconomic and humanitarian impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, describing Syria as a country in a situation of "complex humanitarian emergency". It requested the Secretary-General to brief members monthly, providing regular reports, at least every 60 days, on the implementation of its resolutions and compliance by the parties.

"It is no secret that this has been a difficult negotiation," said Ireland's representative, who introduced the resolution jointly with Norway. Following the veto of last week's draft, the co-sponsors redoubled their efforts to find a path that would allow humanitarians to continue to reach those in dire need. Throughout, Ireland and Norway have been guided solely by the needs of Syrians, she insisted, stressing that today's text represents a "delicate balance between the different positions of Council members at this time".

Describing their abstentions, the representatives of France, United Kingdom and United States stressed that needs in Syria are greater than at any other time and denounced the Council's rejection of vociferous and repeated calls by United Nations agencies and humanitarian partners, who said a 12-month extension was needed maintain the smooth continuity of aid operations. On 8 July, "Russia stopped this from happening", said the United Kingdom's representative, leaving them in a cycle of repositioning and contingency planning.

By ignoring these calls, added France's delegate, the Council has not lived up to its responsibility. France will not finance reconstruction or lift sanctions until a credible and inclusive political process is firmly under way. **Today's vote "is what happens when one member takes the entire Council hostage with lives hanging in the balance", the United States delegate stressed,** noting that his delegation did not obstruct today's vote because aid workers had acknowledged that a temporary extension was "better than nothing".

To that reasoning, the Russian Federation's delegate said it is time for Washington, D.C., London and Paris "to get used to respecting the interests of other States", notably those impacted by the Council's decisions. He called for increasing cross-line deliveries, a point echoed by China's representative, who said that "ramming through a vote while major differences still exist" only intensifies differences. India's delegate, meanwhile, agreed that the cross-border mechanism cannot exist in perpetuity.

Offering the national perspective, Syria’s representative said the Government has facilitated the entry of many United Nations and International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) convoys throughout Syria. This refutes any claims justifying the extension of the so-called cross-border mechanism, despite its temporary, exceptional nature that was imposed by circumstances that no longer exist. “What was achieved today could have been achieved days ago” but for the “political selfishness” of the three Western Council members, he said...

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Grand Bargain Funding

Leading humanitarian orgs commit to increase multi-year funding

New York, NY , July 13, 2022 — This week several of the largest humanitarian agencies globally made new commitments to improve the quality and amount of humanitarian funding. These build upon prior commitments made with the establishment of the Grand Bargain - an international agreement reached in 2016 to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of humanitarian aid.

In March 2022, International Rescue Committee (IRC) President and CEO David Miliband co-launched the Grand Bargain Quality Funding Caucus in partnership with European Commissioner for Crisis Management Janez Lenarcic. That caucus has now concluded with major bilateral donors, UN agencies, NGOs and local actors coalescing around a final [Outcome Document](#) that details commitments around increases in multi-year funding, transparency in data reporting, and accountability to donors and populations affected by crisis.

Over the years, the Grand Bargain has produced a [growing body of research and evidence](#) demonstrating the critical efficiency gains multi-year and flexible funding can bring, particularly to frontline implementers. The aim is to realize these gains, particularly at a time when humanitarian need is at a historic high.

Signatories have committed to:

- **Recognize multi-year funding as a preferred funding modality, especially in protracted crises;**
- **Agree that multi-year funding should have at least some flexible arrangements to enable recipient organizations to respond efficiently and effectively;**
- **Recognize that multi-year funding should be channeled as close to the frontline as possible, and that key intermediaries like UN agencies play a central role in cascading that funding.**

“We know firsthand that when funding is predictable, flexible and transparent, it delivers better results to communities facing conflict and crisis. And in a world where protracted crises have become the norm, the global humanitarian appeal is at a record-high and the gap between humanitarian resources and needs keeps getting wider, the need for longer-term humanitarian funding has never been greater.

It is encouraging to see the humanitarian community come together to effect long-overdue aid reform, and hold ourselves as a collective accountable,” says David Miliband, President and CEO of IRC...

Caucus participants were a subset of donors and funding recipients, including intermediaries, who have engaged in a series of rigorous high-level political dialogues. Organizations represented in the caucus included the Directorate-General of ECHO, the US Agency for International Development (USAID), the

US State Department Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration (PRM), Sida and the Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, UNICEF, WFP, UNHCR, OCHA, ICRC, international NGOs represented by InterAction, and local actors represented by the NEAR Network.

The International Rescue Committee, through the caucus, aimed to secure consensus around a quantifiable increase in current levels of multi-year funding passed to frontline implementers. In addition, the caucus sought out commitments around introducing more flexible funding arrangements, mechanisms for greater accountability to frontline actors and affected populations, and best practices for greater transparency and visibility for donors and local partners alike.

The final Outcome Document can be [found here](#).

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Global Philanthropy

In Response to Compounding Global Crises, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation Announces Intent to Increase Annual Payout by 50%, to US\$9 Billion per Year by 2026

Recent gifts to the foundation's endowment will help accelerate progress in existing focus areas

SEATTLE (July 13, 2022) - Today, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation announced its intent to increase its annual payout by 50% over pre-pandemic levels, to \$9 billion annually by 2026—the **result of two** decades of generous contributions from Bill Gates, Melinda French Gates, and Warren Buffett, including their recent gifts to the foundation's endowment.

This decision responds to compounding global crises, including an ongoing pandemic that has stalled or reversed two decades of stunning progress toward ending preventable disease, improving education, achieving gender equality, and reducing poverty around the world. The foundation's board of trustees is fully aligned with the plan to increase the annual payout, which will enable the foundation's partners to accelerate pandemic recovery and regain ground in existing focus areas.

Bill Gates announced today a \$20 billion gift to the endowment on Gates Notes, which meets and exceeds his and Melinda French Gates' joint commitment of \$15 billion last summer and builds on Warren Buffett's \$3.1 billion annual gift last month. With the addition of these gifts, the foundation's endowment will be approximately \$70 billion.

...These new resources will enable the foundation to increase its investments in its existing strategies, which include global health and development, gender equality, and education, primarily in low- and middle-income countries, in addition to its work in U.S. education and economic mobility. The foundation's annual budgets are subject to formal board approval; **all board members have agreed in principle to an increased payout target of \$9 billion annually by 2026.**

...Strive Masiyiwa, board member, said, "These additional gifts are for all humankind, as they will benefit people around the world as we collectively seek ways to end this pandemic and spur an inclusive recovery. Today's crises will not resolve without concerted action across sectors, and philanthropy has shown its ability to lead. The foundation's capacity to substantially increase spending now and into the future rises to the challenges we face."

...The foundation achieves impact through grant funding for research and development, capacity building, and delivery through multilateral and local institutions. New challenges have led to new

priorities and increased annual payout, which reached nearly \$6 billion in 2019. Over the past two years, the foundation has also made commitments of \$2.1 billion to gender equality, nearly \$1 billion to advance global nutrition, and over \$2 billion to address the COVID-19 pandemic.



Coronavirus [COVID-19] - WHO

Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC)

<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>

Weekly Epidemiological and Operational updates

Last update: 17 Jun 2022

Confirmed cases :: 551 226 298

Confirmed deaths :: 6 345 595

Vaccine doses administered: 12 037 259 035



Weekly epidemiological update on COVID-19 – 13 July 2022

Overview

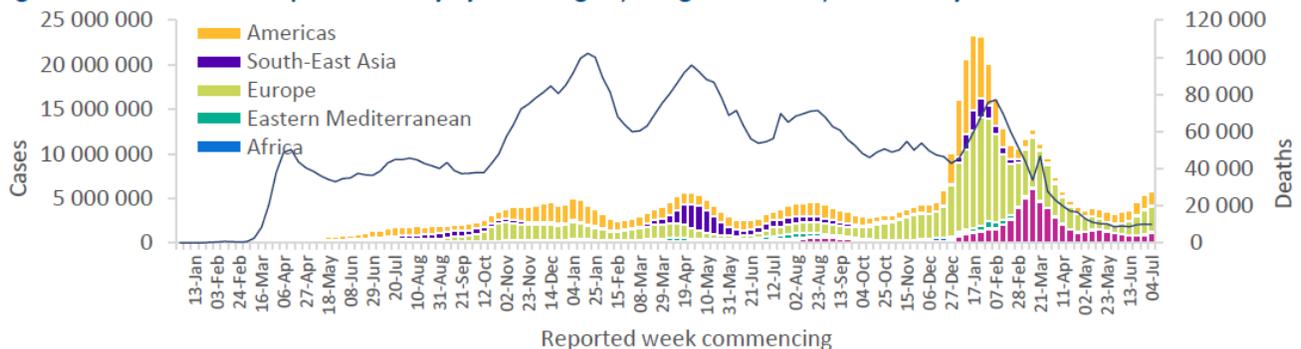
Globally, the number of new weekly cases increased for the fifth consecutive week after a declining trend since the last peak in March 2022. During the week of 4 to 10 July 2022, over 5.7 million new cases were reported, a 6% increase compared to the previous week. The number of new weekly deaths was similar to that of the previous week, with over 9800 fatalities reported. As of 10 July 2022, just under 553 million confirmed cases and over 6.3 million deaths have been reported globally.

In this edition we also include:

- :: an update on the circulating SARS-CoV-2 variants of concern (VOCs), including their geographic spread and prevalence.

- :: a special focus on the WHO global situational alert system.

Figure 1. COVID-19 cases reported weekly by WHO Region, and global deaths, as of 10 July 2022**



COVID as PHEIC [Public Health Emergency of International Concern]

[Statement on the twelfth meeting of the International Health Regulations \(2005\) Emergency Committee regarding the coronavirus disease \(COVID-19\) pandemic](#)

12 July 2022

...The WHO Director-General concurs with the advice offered by the Committee regarding the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and determines that **the event continues to constitute a Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC)**...

Status of the Public Health Emergency of International Concern

The Committee recognized an overall decoupling of incident cases from severe disease, deaths, and pressure on health systems in the context of increased population immunity.

However, **the Committee unanimously agreed that the COVID-19 pandemic still meets the criteria of an extraordinary event** that continues to adversely impact the health of the world’s population, and that the emergence and international spread of new SARS-CoV-2 variants may present an even greater health impact.

The Committee explicitly indicated the following reasons underpinning their advice to the WHO Director-General as to the event continuing to constitute a PHEIC.

Firstly, the recent increase in the growth rate of cases in many States Parties in different WHO regions.

Secondly, the continuing and substantial evolution of SARS-CoV-2 virus, which, while inherent to all viruses, is expected to continue in an unpredictable manner. Yet the ability to assess the impact of variants on transmission, disease characteristics, or countermeasures, including diagnostics, therapeutics and vaccines, is becoming increasingly difficult as a result of the inadequacy of current surveillance, including the reductions in testing and genomic sequencing. Additionally, there are uncertainties surrounding the level of readiness of already overburdened health systems, across all WHO regions, to respond to future COVID-19 pandemic waves.

Thirdly, public health and health planning tools to reduce transmission and disease burden (including hospitalisations and admissions to intensive care units of severe cases, and the impact of post COVID-19 condition) are not being implemented in proportion to local transmission levels or health system capacities.

Finally, there are inadequacies in risk communication and community engagement related to the need for the implementation or adjustment of PHSM, as well as a disconnect in the perception of risk posed by COVID-19 between scientific communities, political leaders and the general public.

For these reasons, continued coordination of the international response is necessary to reconsider approaches allowing for the accurate and reliable monitoring of the evolution of the COVID-19 pandemic and triggering of adjustments to PHSM. Coordination is also still necessary to intensify and sustain development and research efforts related to effective and equitably available countermeasures and to develop further risk communication and community engagement approaches...

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GPEI - Polio

Polio this week as of 13 July 2022

Headlines

:: The GPEI has released a statement on the passing of Hon. Shinzo Abe, former Prime Minister of Japan and advocate for polio eradication. [Read more...](#)

:: In a [new op-ed](#) by Dr Marc Danzon and Dr Hans Henri P. Kluge, Former and Current WHO Regional Directors for Europe, they discuss the risk of losing Europe's wild-polio free status, highlighting that "vaccines remain our best defence against polio"

Summary of new polioviruses this week:

:: Pakistan: one WPV1 positive environmental sample

:: Algeria: one cVDPV2 case

:: Benin: two cVDPV2 cases

:: DR Congo: one cVDPV2 positive environmental sample

:: Eritrea: one cVDPV2 case

:: Ghana: one cVDPV2 case and three positive environmental samples

:: Niger: four cVDPV2 cases

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UN OCHA – Current Emergencies

Current Corporate Emergencies

Afghanistan

Afghanistan: Flash Update #2 - Flash Flooding in Central, Eastern, Southern, and South-Eastern Regions (13 July 2022)

Northern Ethiopia

Addressing gender inequality amid conflict: Humanitarian situation in conflict-affected areas of Northern Ethiopia

11 Jul 2022

The escalating conflict in northern Ethiopia left over 5.2 million people in Tigray Region in dire need of humanitarian assistance, including 2.1 million internally displaced persons (IDPs). At the time of the assessment, most of the Tigray population (91 percent) were facing crisis levels of food insecurity. The destruction of health facilities, water structures, and schools combined with a critical shortage of food, medicine, and other supplies as well as restricted humanitarian access increased the scale of humanitarian needs of all population groups.

The conflict in northern Ethiopia has affected all genders, ages, and people at-risk and marginalized groups differently. In November 2021, and in light of the growing humanitarian needs, the Humanitarian Country Team commissioned an inter-agency rapid gender analysis (IARGA) to identify the drivers of gender inequality that impacting access to humanitarian services in the three northern Ethiopia conflict affected regions (Tigray, Amhara and Afar, plus Oromia region of Southern Ethiopia), and to propose practical actions across the different cluster responses. The IARGA findings, which can be used to inform the 2022 Humanitarian Needs Overview and Results Plan, are collated through a review of secondary data, and a primary data collection conducted with 95 key informants in the Tigray Region from November to December 2021...

Ukraine

Ukraine: Situation Report - Last updated: 13 July 2022

- Fighting and hostilities went on unabated over the last week, causing deaths, destruction and impacting the humanitarian situation in Ukraine, mainly in the east.
- Last week, dozens of civilians were killed in the aftermath of a strike on Chasiv Yar in Donbas, the second deadliest single attack since the start of the war.

- People who stayed or returned to heavily affected areas in the east and south are forced to get by with limited access to essential services, including water and electricity.
- Ukraine's agricultural land continues to be affected as the UN-brokered talks between Russia and Ukraine on grain exports are taking place.
- While humanitarian needs exacerbate, the UN and humanitarian partners have been able to reach 10.3 million people across Ukraine.

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:: Agency/Government/IGO Watch

We will monitor a growing number of relevant agency, government and IGO organizations for key media releases, announcements, research, and initiatives. Generally, we will focus on regional or global level content recognizing limitation of space, meaning country-specific coverage is limited. Please suggest additional organizations to monitor.

United Nations – Secretary General, Security Council, General Assembly

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<https://www.un.org/press/en>

Selected Meetings/Press Releases/Announcements

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SC/14973

[Security Council Extends Mandate of United Nations Integrated Office in Haiti for One Year, Unanimously Adopting Resolution 2645 \(2022\)](#)

The Security Council today extended the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Office in Haiti (BINUH) until 15 July 2023, deciding that its police and corrections unit will include up to 42 civilian and seconded personnel serving as advisers, and that its human rights unit will include dedicated capacity to address sexual and gender-based violence.

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SG/SM/21375

[‘World Is in Deep Trouble’, Secretary-General Tells Ministers at Political Forum, Urging Them to do Everything Possible in Reversing Destructive Course](#)

Following are UN Secretary-General António Guterres' remarks at the opening of the 2022 high-level segment of the Economic and Social Council ministerial segment of the high-level political forum, in New York today.

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SG/SM/21372

Amid Rise in Misinformation, Hate Speech as Weapon of War, Strategic Communications Is Crucial to Achieve Peacekeeping Aims, Secretary-General Tells Security Council

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United Nations Human Rights Council [to 17 Jul 2022]

https://www.ohchr.org/en/hr-bodies/hrc/news?field_content_category=162&field_entity=1203

Council News

No new digest content identified.

Committee on the Rights of the Child [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/CRC/Pages/CRCIndex.aspx>

Latest News

No new digest content identified.

Special Rapporteur on the sale and sexual exploitation of children [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Children/Pages/ChildrenIndex.aspx>

Latest News

No new digest content identified.

SRSG/CAAC Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://childrenandarmedconflict.un.org/virtual-library/press-release-archive/>

Press Releases

Statistics Should Never Overshadow the Individual Suffering of Children in Armed Conflict, "We Must Redouble Efforts to End Grave Violations"

Monday, 11 July 2022

SRSG/SVC Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.un.org/sexualviolenceinconflict/>

Statements, Press Releases

SRSG Patten's Remarks for the Ministerial Level Accountability Conference for Ukraine, Prioritizing the interests and needs of survivors and victims of core international crimes, The Hague, 14 July 2022

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Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ohchr.org/en/issues/poverty/pages/srextremepovertyindex.aspx>

Latest News

No new digest content identified.

Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of physical and mental health [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/Health/Pages/SRRightHealthIndex.aspx>

Latest News

14 Jul 2022 *Press releases*

[UN experts urge Israel to free Ahmad Manasra](#)

Special Rapporteur in the field of cultural rights [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ohchr.org/en/issues/culturalrights/pages/srculturalrightsindex.aspx>

Latest news

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Special Rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ohchr.org/en/issues/ipeoples/srindigenouspeoples/pages/sripeoplesindex.aspx>

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Special Rapporteur on the human rights of migrants

<https://www.ohchr.org/en/issues/migration/srmigrants/pages/srmigrantsindex.aspx>

Latest News

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South Africa on the precipice of explosive xenophobic violence: UN experts

GENEVA (15 July 2022) – UN experts* today condemned reports of escalating violence against foreign nationals in South Africa and called for accountability against xenophobia, racism and hate speech that were harming migrants, refugees, asylum seekers and even citizens perceived as foreign throughout the country...

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Press releases

[UN expert to assess situation of migrants and refugees in Poland and Belarus](#)

UNHCR Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.unhcr.org/en-us/media-centre.html>

Selected News Releases, Announcements

[UNHCR survey finds refugees from Ukraine hope to go home](#)

Refugees will need continued support until they are able to return.

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UN OCHA Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.unocha.org/>

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Centre for Humanitarian Data/HDX [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://centre.humdata.org/>

No new digest content identified.

UNICEF [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.unicef.org/media/press-releases>

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Press release

14 July 2022

[COVID-19 pandemic fuels largest continued backslide in vaccinations in three decades](https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/WUENIC2022release)

<https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/WUENIC2022release>

GENEVA/NEW YORK, 15 July 2022 – The largest sustained decline in childhood vaccinations in approximately 30 years has been recorded in official data published today by WHO and UNICEF. The percentage of children who received three doses of the vaccine against diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (DTP3) – a marker for immunization coverage within and...

Remarks

12 July 2022

[UNICEF Executive Director Catherine Russell's remarks at the global launch of the UNICEF report, "25 years of children and armed conflict: Taking action to protect children in war"](https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/unicef-executive-director-catherine-russells-remarks-global-launch-unicef-report-25)

<https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/unicef-executive-director-catherine-russells-remarks-global-launch-unicef-report-25>

NEW YORK, 12 July 2022 - "Excellencies, esteemed colleagues, distinguished guests, thank you all for joining us today. "I want to thank the governments of Norway and Sierra Leone for co-hosting this event with us – and for their leadership on this critical issue. "I would also like to thank our co-sponsors, the governments of Belgium, Mexico,...

Press release

12 July 2022

[Around 3 in 4 youth lack skills needed for employment, new report says](https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/around-3-4-youth-lack-skills-needed-for-employment-new-report-says)

<https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/around-3-4-youth-lack-skills-needed-for-employment-new-report-says>

NEW YORK, 13 July 2022 – Nearly three quarters of young people aged 15 to 24 in 92 countries with available data are off-track to acquire the skills needed for employment, according to a new report published today by the Education Commission and UNICEF, and supported by Generation Unlimited ahead of World Youth Skills Day. Recovering learning: Are...

Remarks

12 July 2022

[UNICEF Executive Director Catherine Russell's remarks at the High-Level Political Forum: Protecting the rights of every child in the digital environment](https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/unicef-executive-director-catherine-russells-remarks-high-level-political-forum)

<https://www.unicef.org/press-releases/unicef-executive-director-catherine-russells-remarks-high-level-political-forum>

NEW YORK, 12 July 2022 - "Excellencies, colleagues, distinguished guests, "Good morning, everyone. I'm very glad to be here. "I want to recognize and thank the co-chairs of the Group of Children and the

SDGs – the Permanent Representatives of Luxembourg, Bulgaria, and Jamaica – for their commitment to championing children’s rights. "I’m especially...

IOM / International Organization for Migration [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.iom.int/press-room/press-releases>

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[IOM Pledges Integration, Employability Support for Ukrainian Nationals in Greece](#)

UNAIDS [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.unaids.org/en>

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1 July 2022

[HIV on the agenda of the World Urban Forum in Poland](#)

30 June 2022

[UNAIDS and Africa CDC tackle misinformation around COVID-19 and HIV in Africa](#)

29 June 2022

[OHCHR report: human rights interventions are indispensable to ending AIDS for everyone by 2030](#)

WHO & Regional Offices [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.who.int/news>

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15 July 2022

Joint News Release

[COVID-19 pandemic fuels largest continued backslide in vaccinations in three decades](#)

[See Milestones above for detail]

14 July 2022

Departmental news

[The Eastern Mediterranean Region reflects on genomic sequencing and its future within integrated surveillance of respiratory viruses](#)

13 July 2022

Departmental news

[Women in the health and care sector earn 24 percent less than men](#)

12 July 2022

Departmental news

[New WHO Global Evidence Review on Health and Migration underscores how the implementation of inclusive immunization plans is critical for Member States to achieve universal health coverage](#)

12 July 2022

Departmental news

[WHO’s Science Council launches report calling for equitable expansion of genomics](#)

12 July 2022

News release

[Urgent call for better use of existing vaccines and development of new vaccines to tackle AMR](#)

12 July 2022

Statement

[Statement on the twelfth meeting of the International Health Regulations \(2005\) Emergency Committee regarding the coronavirus disease \(COVID-19\) pandemic](#)

12 July 2022

Departmental news

[Health financing and public financial management in decentralized settings](#)

11 July 2022

Departmental news

[WHO announces updates on its guidance on tuberculosis care and support](#)

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WHO Director General Speeches [selected]

<https://www.who.int/director-general/speeches>

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[WHO Director-General's opening remarks at the COVID-19 media briefing– 12 July 2022](#)

12 July 2022

Good morning, good afternoon and good evening, I am concerned that cases of COVID-19 continue to rise - putting further pressure on stretched health systems and health workers. I am also concerned about the increasing trend of deaths.

The Emergency Committee on COVID-19 met on Friday last week and concluded that the virus remains a Public Health Emergency of International Concern. The Committee noted their concern about several interlinked challenges.

First, sub-variants of Omicron, like BA.4 and BA.5, continue to drive waves of cases, hospitalisation and death around the world.

Second, surveillance has reduced significantly – including testing and sequencing – making it increasingly difficult to assess the impact of variants on transmission, disease characteristics, and the effectiveness of counter-measures.

Third, diagnostics, treatments and vaccines are not being deployed effectively.

The virus is running freely and countries are not effectively managing the disease burden based on their capacity, in terms of both hospitalisation for acute cases and the expanding number of people with post covid-19 condition - often referred to as long-covid.

Finally, there is a major disconnect in COVID-19 risk perception between scientific communities, political leaders and the general public. This is a dual challenge of communicating risk and building community trust in health tools and public health social measures like masking, distancing and ventilation.

The Committee made a series of recommendations with several that I want to focus on. New waves of the virus demonstrate again that the COVID-19 is nowhere near over. As the virus pushes at us, we must push back.

We're in a much better position than at the beginning of the pandemic. Of course, there's been a lot of progress. We have safe and effective tools that prevent infections, hospitalizations and deaths. However, we should not take them for granted...

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WHO Regional Offices

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WHO African Region

:: **[In Africa, 63% jump in diseases spread from animals to people seen in last decade](#)**

14 July 2022 Brazzaville – Africa is facing a growing risk of outbreaks caused by zoonotic pathogens, such as the monkeypox virus which originated in animals and then switched species and infected humans. There has been a 63% increase in the number of zoonotic outbreaks in the region in the decade from 2012-2022 compared to 2001-2011, according to World Health Organization (WHO) analysis...

WHO Region of the Americas PAHO

:: **[COVID-19 pandemic fuels largest continued backslide in vaccinations in three decades](#)**

15 Jul 2022

WHO and UNICEF sound the alarm as new data shows global vaccination coverage continued to decline in 2021, with 25 million infants missing out on lifesaving vaccines. In the Americas, last year alone more than 2.6 million children were unvaccinated or not fully up to date on their immunizations. Geneva/New York, 15 July 2022- The largest...

:: **[PAHO gives voice to the adolescents of the Americas to talk about teen pregnancy](#)**

14 Jul 2022

The Adolescent Voices contest aims to give the Pan American Health Organization a window onto the views of this age group, offering a venue for young people to express themselves in different artistic forms. Washington DC, 14 July 2022. The Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) today launched a contest for young people aged 12 to 19 to...

:: **[Regional manufacturing of vaccines to bolster pandemic preparedness in the Americas](#)**

13 Jul 2022

With Omicron variant sub-lineages BA.4 and BA.5 driving most new COVID-19 infections, and other diseases likely to emerge in the future, increased medical production is key to saving lives, PAHO Director says. Washington D.C. 13 July 2022 (PAHO) – As Omicron sub-lineages BA.4 and BA.5 drive a new wave of COVID-19 infections across the Americas,...

:: **[Statement on the twelfth meeting of the International Health Regulations \(2005\) Emergency Committee regarding the coronavirus disease \(COVID-19\) pandemic](#)**

July 12, 2022 — The WHO Director-General has the pleasure of transmitting the Report of the twelfth meeting of the International Health Regulations (2005) (IHR) Emergency Committee regarding the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic, held on Friday, 8 July 2022, from 12:00 to 15:30 CEST. The WHO Director-General concurs with the advice...

WHO South-East Asia Region SEARO

:: 16 July 2022 News release

[Greater efforts needed to get routine immunization back to pre-COVID-19 times: WHO](#)

:: 15 July 2022 News release

[India confirms first case of monkeypox in WHO South-East Asia Region](#)

WHO European Region EURO

:: 15 July 2022 *News release*

[European Region averts further backsliding in routine immunization but falls short of full recovery](#)

:: 15 July 2022 *News release*

["We always think it's not going to happen to us" – a sexual health worker's first-hand experience of monkeypox](#)

:: 12 July 2022 *News release*

[Expert advisory group recommends COVID-19 vaccination strategy for the autumn season](#)

WHO Western Pacific Region

:: **[People of the Western Pacific: COVID-19 stories](#)** 12 July 2022

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Disease Outbreak News (DONs)

Latest WHO Disease Outbreak News (DONs), providing information on confirmed acute public health events or potential events of concern.

12 July 2022 | **[Severe acute hepatitis of unknown aetiology in children - Multi-country](#)**

As of 8 July 2022, 35 countries in five WHO Regions have reported 1010 probable cases of severe acute hepatitis of unknown aetiology in children, which fulfill the WHO case definition, including 22 deaths. Since the previous [Disease Outbreak News published on 24 June 2022](#), 90 new probable cases and four additional deaths have been reported to WHO. Additionally, two new countries, Luxembourg and Costa Rica, have reported probable cases.

WHO has launched a global survey with an aim to estimate the incidence of severe acute hepatitis of unknown aetiology in 2022 compared to the previous five years, to understand where cases and liver transplants are occurring at higher-than-expected rates.

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WHO Events

<https://www.who.int/news-room/events/1>

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New WHO Publications

<https://www.who.int/publications/i>

Selected Titles

15 July 2022

[Global clinical data platform for monkeypox case report form \(CRF\)](#)

15 July 2022

[User guide for navigating resources on stepwise implementation of haemovigilance systems](#)

14 July 2022

[Therapeutics and COVID-19: living guideline](#)

14 July 2022

[Laboratory testing for Zika virus and dengue virus infections: interim guidance](#)

14 July 2022

[Emergency in Ukraine: external situation report #17, published 14 July 2022: reporting period: 30 June–13...](#)

13 July 2022

[The gender pay gap in the health and care sector a global analysis in the time of COVID-19](#)

13 July 2022

[Consensus statement: Role of policy-makers and health care leaders in implementation of the Global Patient Safety Action Plan 2021–2030](#)

12 July 2022

[Ensuring the integration of refugees and migrants in immunization policies, planning and service delivery globally](#)

12 July 2022

[Critical considerations and actions for achieving universal access to sexual and reproductive health...](#)

12 July 2022

[Accelerating access to genomics for global health: promotion, implementation, collaboration, and ethical,...](#)

12 July 2022

[Bacterial vaccines in clinical and preclinical development 2021](#)

11 July 2022

[WHO operational handbook on tuberculosis: module 4: treatment: tuberculosis care and support](#)

11 July 2022

[WHO consolidated guidelines on tuberculosis: module 4: treatment: tuberculosis care and support](#)

11 July 2022

[Virtual workshop on postnatal prophylaxis to reach elimination of HIV vertical transmission: optimizing...](#)

World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE) [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.oie.int/en/>

Press Releases, Statements

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No new digest content identified.

UNFPA United Nations Population Fund [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.unfpa.org/press/press-release>

Selected Press Releases

11 Jul 2022 *Press Release*

World set to reach 8 billion people on 15 November 2022

The global population is projected to reach 8 billion on 15 November 2022, according to the World Population Prospects 2022, released today by the United Nations Department of Economic and Social...

UNDP United Nations Development Programme [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.undp.org/news-centre>

News Centre

No new digest content identified.

UN Division for Sustainable Development [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/>

News

No new digest content identified.

UN Statistical Commission :: UN Statistics Division [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://unstats.un.org/unsd/default.htm>

<http://unstats.un.org/unsd/statcom/commission.htm>

<http://unstats.un.org/sdgs/>

Meetings, events, publications

News

The Sustainable Development Goals Report 2022

7 July 2022 - [The Sustainable Development Goals Report 2022](#) reviews progress of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, using the latest available data and estimates to track global progress of the 17 Goals with in-depth analysis of selected indicators for each Goal. The Report highlights the severity and magnitude of the challenges before us. The confluence of crises, dominated by COVID-19, climate change, and conflicts, are creating spin-off impacts on food and nutrition, health, education, the environment, and peace and security, and affecting all the SDGs.

UNEP United Nations Environment Programme [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.unenvironment.org/>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

UNDRR UN Office for Disaster Risk Reduction [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.undrr.org/>

Latest news

Features

15 July 2022

HLPF 2022: crises and regressions on SDGs demonstrate need for risk-informed development

Discussions at the UN High-Level Political Forum (HLPF) 2022 highlight the need for disaster risk reduction as an enabler and protector of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

UN DESA United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.un.org/en/articles-by-property-w-date/81254>

14 Jul 2022 | DESA

Sustainable Development Goals can be reached 'despite our grim times': ECOSOC President

Despite two years of a "surreal struggle" against the COVID-19 pandemic, and amidst rising global challenges, optimism for achieving sustainable development persists, a senior UN official declared on Wednesday.

ILO International Labour Organization [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ilo.org/global/about-the-ilo/newsroom/lang--en/index.htm>

ILO Newsroom

BRICS Ministers of Labour and Employment meeting

ILO Director-General welcomes BRICS commitment to green jobs, skills development, workers' protection

15 July 2022

ILOSTAT blog

Breaking the bias for better gender data

13 July 2022

Gender equality

Women in the health and care sector earn 24 per cent less than men

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UNESCO [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://en.unesco.org/news>

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International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS) [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.icomos.org/en/>

Announcements

ICOMOS, the Foundation to Preserve Ukraine's Sacral Arts and World Monuments Fund deliver fire extinguishers to protect Ukraine's wooden churches

Ukraine

Written on 11 July 2022.

The Foundation to Preserve Ukraine's Sacral Arts and ICOMOS, in partnership with World Monuments Fund, delivered 440 water-mist fire extinguishers for the protection of historic wooden churches, or tserkvas, in war-ravaged Ukraine.

UNODC United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.unodc.org/unodc/en/press/allpress.html?ref=fp>

Press Releases

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UN-HABITAT United Nations Human Settlements Programme [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://unhabitat.org/>

News

No new digest content identified.

FAO Food & Agriculture Organization [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.fao.org/news/archive/news-by-date/2018/en/>

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World Food Programme [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.wfp.org/news>

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[Joint Statement by the Heads of the Food and Agriculture Organization, International Monetary Fund, World Bank Group, World Food Programme, and World Trade Organization on the Global Food Security Crisis](#)

Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Director General Qu Dongyu, International Monetary Fund (IMF) Managing Director Kristalina Georgieva, World Bank Group (WBG) President David Malpass, World Food Programme (WFP) Executive Director David Beasley and World Trade Organization (WTO) Director General Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala issued the following joint statement calling for urgent action to address the global food security crisis.

12 July 2022

[Multiple crises and surging gang violence set to worsen hunger in Haiti](#)

PORT-AU-PRINCE – In Haiti, where almost half the population is already food insecure, hunger is set to rise amidst increasing inflation, high costs of food and fuel and deteriorating security, warns the United Nations World Food Programme (WFP). As criminal groups block roads, WFP continues to provide assistance to vulnerable Haitians and supports the humanitarian community with vital air and sea transport.

ICAO International Civil Aviation Organization [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.icao.int/Newsroom/Pages/default.aspx>

Latest News

No new digest content identified.

IMO [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.imo.org/>

What's New

No new digest content identified.

WMO World Meteorological Organization [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://public.wmo.int/en/media/press-release>

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UPU Universal Postal Union [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.upu.int/en/News-Media/Press/Press-Releases>
Press Releases
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UNIDO United Nations Industrial Development Organization [to 17 Jul 2022]
<http://www.unido.org/news-centre/news.html>
News
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International Organization for Standardization (ISO) [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.iso.org/news>
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WIPO World Intellectual Property Organization [to 17 Jul 2022]
<http://www.wipo.int/pressroom/en/>
Press releases

[WIPO Assemblies Open: Director General Calls on Delegates to Transform IP into a Powerful Catalyst for Growth and Development](#)

WIPO Director General Daren Tang opened the WIPO Assemblies with a call for delegates to keep working to transform intellectual property (IP) into a powerful catalyst for jobs, investments, business growth and economic development.
Jul 14, 2022 [PR/2022/891](#)

CBD Convention on Biological Diversity [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.cbd.int/>
Announcements
No new digest content identified.

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DARPA – Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency [U.S.] [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.darpa.mil/news>
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USAID [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.usaid.gov/news-information/press-releases>
Selected Press Releases, Statements, Announcements
[The United States Announces \\$15 Million in Additional Humanitarian Assistance for the West Bank and Gaza](#)
July 15, 2022
Press Release

The United States, through the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), is providing \$15 million in additional humanitarian assistance for vulnerable Palestinians, particularly in Gaza, in response to rising food insecurity in the wake of the Russian invasion of Ukraine.

United States Provides \$82 Million in Humanitarian Assistance in Uganda Amid Global Food Crisis

July 15, 2022

Press Release

The United States is providing more than \$82 million in new humanitarian assistance in Uganda through the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) and the U.S. Department of State.

The United States Contributes \$1.7 Billion to Support the Government of Ukraine

July 12, 2022

Press Release

The United States, through the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) in coordination with the U.S. Department of the Treasury, provided an additional \$1.7 billion to the Government of Ukraine, as part of President Biden's commitment to President Zelenskyy to provide Ukraine with direct budgetary aid. This contribution was made possible with generous bipartisan support from Congress.

U.S. Department of State

<https://www.state.gov/press-releases/>

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No new digest content identified.

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office [U.K.] [nee DFID] [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-development-office>

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14 July 2022 — Press release

Lord Ahmad announces UK support package for war crimes investigations

:: package of UK funding will support the Office of the Ukrainian Prosecutor General in its investigations

:: it will be provided as part of the UK's support to the Atrocity Crimes Advisory Group in partnership with the EU and US

:: new OSCE report expected to be released today highlighting evidence of possible war crimes, abuses of fundamental rights, and more by Russian forces in Ukraine

ECHO [to 17 Jul 2022]

https://ec.europa.eu/echo/news-stories/news_en

Press Releases

News article | 15 July 2022

Forest fires: EU mobilises further assistance to Portugal, France and Albania

The EU Civil Protection Mechanism continues to channel support to help combat severe forest fires in Portugal, France and Albania.

News article | 14 July 2022

Ukraine: Statement by High Representative Borrell and Commissioner Lenarčič on Russian attacks against civilian targets

The Russian invading forces in Ukraine attacked a civilian building and a cultural centre in the city of Vinnytsia, killing more than 20 people and injuring scores of others, many of them critically.

News article | 13 July 2022

[Syria: Statement by High Representative Borrell and Commissioner Lenarčič on the renewal of cross border humanitarian deliveries](#)

On 12 July, the United Nations Security Council extended for 6 months the authorisation for the UN to use the crossing point of Bab al-Hawa from Turkey to Syria for humanitarian deliveries.

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African Union [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.au.int/>

Press releases

No new digest content identified.

ASEAN Association of Southeast Asian Nations [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://asean.org/category/news/asean-secretariat-news/>

Secretariat News

[Chinese State Councillor and Foreign Minister Wang Yi Reaffirms China's Commitment to Strengthen Relations with ASEAN](#)

July 11, 2022

European Commission

<https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/home/en>

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Press release 15 July 2022

[Ukraine: EU grants access to funding under the EU4Health programme](#)

Today, as part of the Commission's ongoing efforts to provide support in the area of health, Commissioner Kyriakides visited Ukraine to meet Minister of Health Viktor Liashko and pay a visit to a medical centre for children as well as a patient rehabilitation centre.

Press release 15 July 2022

[Media freedom: the Commission refers HUNGARY to the Court of Justice of the European Union for failure to comply with EU electronic communications rules](#)

Statement 13 July 2022

[Joint statement on supporting Ukraine in its proceeding at the International Court of Justice](#)

OECD [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.oecd.org/newsroom/publicationsdocuments/bydate/>

Newsroom/Library

[Governments seen as reliable post-pandemic but giving citizens greater voice is critical to strengthening trust, says OECD](#)

People generally trust the reliability of government, but levels of trust vary significantly across institutions and few people feel they have a say in what government does according to a new OECD report.

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Organization of American States (OAS) [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.oas.org/en/>

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Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.oic-oci.org/>

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Group of 77 [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.g77.org/>

Latest Statements and Speeches

Statement on behalf of the Group of 77 and China by Ambassador Munir Akram, Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations, during the **adoption of the Ministerial**

Declaration of the High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (New York, 15 July 2022)

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UNCTAD [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://unctad.org/media-centre>

Press Releases

15 Jul 2022

UNCTAD Convenes Consumer Protection Talks Amid Heightened Vulnerability

UNCTAD/PRESS/PR/2022/011

Geneva, Switzerland

14 Jul 2022

UNCTAD Urges African Countries to Rethink Export Diversification to Survive economic shocks

UNCTAD/PRESS/PR/2022/010

Geneva, Switzerland

World Customs Organization – WCO [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.wcoomd.org/>

Latest News

11 July 2022

The STOP II Project ends on a high note with outstanding results

... The main deliverable of the Project was organizing the largest-ever Customs-led global operation (codenamed STOP II) involving 160 WCO Member Customs administrations and aimed at intercepting, seizing and destroying cross-border shipments of illegal goods related to COVID-19. During the three phases of the operation, a total of 2,769 cases of trafficking were reported by 90 Members and some 4,034 cases of seizures were recorded. Of the 501.5 million units seized, 273.6 million were medicines related to COVID-19 (ivermectin, doxycycline, pregabalin, etc.), 214.4 million were medical devices

(COVID-19 test kits, face masks, used gloves, sanitizer gel, oxygen cylinders, etc.) and **approximately 13.5 million were doses of COVID-19 vaccines**. STOP II has reaffirmed the crucial role played by Customs in safeguarding public health and protecting society...

UNWTO World Tourism Organization [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.unwto.org/news>

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All Regions SDGs

Tourism statistics inform UN reports on Sustainable Development

14 Jul 2022

A United Nations global assessment of progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) makes clear the important role that tourism must play in achieving the ambitious agenda for change.

WTO - World Trade Organisation [to 17 Jul 2022]

http://www.wto.org/english/news_e/news_e.htm

WTO News and Events [Selected]

Heads of agencies call for urgent action to address global food security crisis

15 July 2022

A joint statement calling for urgent action to address the global food security crisis was issued by the heads of the Food and Agriculture Organization, International Monetary Fund, World Bank Group, World Food Programme and the WTO on 15 July.

DG Okonjo-Iweala underlines vital role of trade in addressing food crisis, inflation

15 July 2022

Cooperation on trade will be vital in tackling the current food insecurity crisis, and the WTO "is determined to be part of the solution," Director-General Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala told Group of 20 (G20) finance ministers in Bali, Indonesia, on 15 July.

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IPU Inter-Parliamentary Union [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ipu.org/news/press-releases>

Press releases

14/07/2022

IPU Task Force concludes visits to Kyiv and Moscow

International Court of Justice [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.icj-cij.org/en/press-releases>

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11 July 2022

Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide (The Gambia v. Myanmar) - Preliminary objections - The Court to deliver its Judgment on Friday 22 July 2022 at 3 p.m.

International Criminal Court (ICC) [to 17 Jul 2022]

Trying individuals for genocide, war crimes and crimes against humanity

<https://www.icc-cpi.int/>

News

Statement of ICC Prosecutor, Karim A.A. Khan QC upon conclusion of the Ukraine Accountability Conference: "Justice can only be achieved by working together"

Statement 14 July 2022

The Ukraine Accountability Conference today marked an important moment in our collective efforts to deliver justice for alleged international crimes.

Through positive engagement across national authorities, international and regional organisations and civil society actors, **we have charted a renewed course for common action in relation to atrocity crimes that prioritises dialogue across initiatives, promotes coherence and above all places the rights and experiences of victims at its centre.**

This is reflected in the agreement amongst participants to work towards the establishment of a Dialogue Group with the objective of promoting visibility and engagement across the various accountability initiatives relevant to the situation in Ukraine, as well as the identification of opportunities for enhanced coherence of action in these efforts.

The Conference does not mark the beginning nor the end of a process but an important further step on a path toward the collaborative vision we have already begun to develop.

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World Bank [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.worldbank.org/en/news/all>

Selected News, Announcements

Remarks by World Bank Group President David Malpass to G20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors on the Global Economy and Health Agenda

Session 1: Global Economy Thank you, Minister, both for today's meetings and for your leadership during a time of crisis. The COVID-19 pandemic and now Russia's invasion of Ukraine have caused a humanitarian...

Date: July 15, 2022 Type: Speeches and Transcripts

Joint Statement by the Heads of the Food and Agriculture Organization, International Monetary Fund, World Bank Group, World Food Programme, and World Trade Organization on the Global Food Security Crisis

Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Director General Qu Dongyu, International Monetary Fund (IMF) Managing Director Kristalina Georgieva, World Bank Group (WBG) President David Malpass, World Food...

Date: July 15, 2022 Type: Statement

Introductory Remarks by World Bank Group President David Malpass at the State of the Global Economy Event Organized by Brookings Institution

Watch the replay of the event here Thank you very much, Couli [Moderator - Brahim Sangafowa Coulibaly] and thank you to the Brookings Institution. And thank you ladies and gentlemen for joining us today...

Date: July 13, 2022 Type: Speeches and Transcripts

IMF [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.imf.org/en/News/Search?type=News+Article>

News

July 16, 2022

IMF Managing Director Kristalina Georgieva Urges G20 Leadership to Address 'Exceptionally Uncertain' Global Outlook

July 15, 2022

[Joint Statement by the Heads of the Food and Agriculture Organization, International Monetary Fund, World Bank Group, World Food Programme, and World Trade Organization on the Global Food Security Crisis](#)

July 11, 2022

[Joint Statement by the IMF and World Bank Group on the 2022 Annual Meetings](#)

African Development Bank [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.afdb.org/en/news-and-events/press-releases>

Press Releases

[Rwanda joins African Development Bank-supported remote data collection initiative](#)

15-Jul-2022 - Rwanda has embraced the Remote Appraisal, Supervision, Monitoring and Evaluation (RASME) initiative, a tool that enhances project-related data collection in remote areas. It is the first East African country to do so and the seventh overall in the continent. The initiative is a partnership of the African Development Bank's IT Department (CHIS), the World Bank's Geo-Enabling initiative for Monitoring and Supervision, and KoBoToolbox Foundation, a non-governmental organization affiliated with the Harvard Humanitarian Initiative.

[African Development Fund approves \\$11 million grant to the African Continental Free Trade Area Secretariat](#)

15-Jul-2022 - The Board of Directors of the African Development Fund approved an \$11.02 million support package to the Permanent Secretariat of the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA) to help it enhance effective implementation. The AfCFTA Secretariat opened its doors in Accra on 17 August 2020, with initial support of \$5 million to set up the secretariat, the programs, and the tools and to raise stakeholder awareness.

[African Development Bank ranks first on Global Aid Transparency Index](#)

13-Jul-2022 - Publish What You Fund, the global campaign for aid and development transparency, has named the African Development Bank the most transparent organisation in the world. The Bank's Sovereign Portfolio now ranks first out of 50 global development institutions in Publish What You Fund's 2022 Aid Transparency Index, released today with a top score of 98.5.

Asian Development Bank [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.adb.org/news/releases>

[We generally limit coverage to regional or Asia-wide initiatives, recognizing that a number of country-level announcements are added each week]

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[ADB, Singapore Agree to Promote Investment and Innovation Across Asia and the Pacific](#)

ADB President Masatsugu Asakawa and Singapore Deputy Prime Minister and Finance Minister Lawrence Wong today signed a Memorandum of Understanding to promote greater investment in the Asia and Pacific region and to recognize...

13 Jul 2022

[ADB Retains 'Very Good' Rating in Aid Transparency Index of Development Organizations](#)

ADB retained its spot in the top "very good" category in the 2022 Aid Transparency Index, an independent measurement of aid transparency launched on 13 July.

Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.aiib.org/en/news-events/news/index.html>

[We generally limit coverage to regional or Asia-wide initiatives, recognizing that a number of country-level announcements are added each week]

News

No new digest content identified.

IFAD International Fund for Agricultural Development [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ifad.org/web/latest/news>

News

No new digest content identified.

Islamic Development Bank [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.isdb.org/>

News

[IsDB President Addresses G20 High-Level Discussion on Financial Inclusion](#)

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:: [Foundation/Major Donor Watch](#) - Selected Updates

:: [Journal Watch](#) - Key articles and abstracts from 100+ peer-reviewed journals

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:: [INGO/Consortia/Joint Initiatives Watch](#)

We monitor media releases and other announcements around key initiatives, new research and major organizational change from a growing number of global NGOs, collaborations, and initiatives across the human rights, humanitarian response and development spheres of action. WE will not reference fundraising announcements, programs, events or appeals, and generally not include content which is primarily photo-documentation or video in format.

Action Contre la Faim – Action Against Hunger [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.actioncontrelafaim.org>

Communiqués de presse

No new digest content identified.

Alliance for International Medical Action (ALIMA) [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://alima.ngo/>

PRESS RELEASES

No new digest content identified.

Amref Health Africa [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://newsroom.amref.org/category/press-releases/>

Selected Press Releases

Press Releases

[Amref Health Africa Tanzania Launches “Uzazi Ni Maisha Wogging Campaign” in Zanzibar](#)

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Themed “Support Medical Equipment and Supplies for Safe Delivery” Zanzibar, Tanzania – 12th July 2022 –...

Aravind Eye Care System [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://aravind.org/>

Aravind News

No new digest content identified.

Blue Shield International [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://theblueshield.org/category/bsi-international-news/>

BSI News

13 July 2022

[Coping with Culture 2022 Workshop: Registration Open](#)

October 5 – 7, 2022, The Hague

BRAC [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.brac.net/#news>

Latest

July 14, 2022

[Creating opportunities for youth in Bangladesh’s retail sector](#)

Clubhouse International [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.clubhouse-intl.org/news.html>

News/Events

No new digest content identified.

Danish Refugee Council [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://drc.ngo/>

Press Releases

[Global Displacement Forecast 2022 – July Update](#)

13. July 2022

The forecasts is an update to the Global Displacement Forecast report launched in February 2022. The updated forecasts align well with the preliminary forecast report, i.e., displacement will primarily occur and be hosted in low-income countries with poor humanitarian access.

ECPAT [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.ecpat.net/news>

News from ECPAT

Jul 11, 2022

[Second International Congress on Tourism Safety and Cultural Heritage](#)

How are civil society organisations and law enforcement working to prioritise child protection in the reactivation of the travel and tourism industry?

EIFL – Electronic Information for Libraries [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.eifl.net/news>

EIFL works with libraries to enable access to knowledge for education, learning, research and sustainable community development

No new digest content identified.

Fountain House [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.fountainhouse.org/news>

Selected Press Releases/Events

[Aspen Ideas Festival: Healing Serious Mental Illness](#)

July 11, 2022

Fountain House

GE2P2 Global [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://centerforvaccineethicsandpolicy.net/>

News/Analysis/Statements

:: Past weekly editions of **[Vaccines and Global Health: The Week in Review](#)** are available here.

:: **[Informed Consent: A Monthly Review – July 2022](#)** is now posted here

:: **[Genomic Medicine Governance, Ethics, Policy: A Quarterly Review - May 2022](#)** is now posted here

Humanity & Inclusion [nee Handicap International] [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://hi.org/en/index>

News

[Ukraine: HI provides mental health support for elderly displaced persons](#)

Emergency / Ukraine | PUBLISHED ON July 11th 2022

Among the millions displaced by violent warfare in Ukraine, elderly persons are among the most vulnerable. HI provides individual and group services to help cope with distress.

Heifer International [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.heifer.org/>

News & Press

[BitGive Reaches Agreement to Transfer Assets to Heifer International to Enhance Its Cryptocurrency Donation Capabilities](#)

By Heifer International | July 12, 2022

Foremost among the assets being acquired is BitGive's premier donation platform, GiveTrack™

HelpAge International [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.helpage.org/newsroom/latest-news/>
Selected News Releases, Statements, Reports
No new digest content identified.

ICRC [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.icrc.org/en/whats-new>
What's New [Selected]

Deteriorating hunger situation an urgent crisis for millions caught in conflict

Hundreds of millions of people are at risk of severe hunger in the coming months as extreme poverty, inequality and food insecurity rise, particularly in parts of Africa and the Middle East, following shocks in the food, energy and finance systems.

12-07-2022 | News release

IFRC [to 17 Jul 2022]
<http://media.ifrc.org/ifrc/news/press-releases/>
Press Releases [Selected]

IFRC warns that the growing heatwave in Europe could have tragic consequences

14/07/2022 | Press release

International Medical Corps (IMC) [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://internationalmedicalcorps.org/stories-and-news/>
Selected Press Releases/Updates/Alerts
No new digest content identified.

IRC [International Rescue Committee] [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.rescue.org/media-center>

Media highlights

Press Release

Leading humanitarian orgs commit to increase multi-year funding

July 13, 2022

Press Release

IRC responds to adoption of UN Security Council Syria Cross-Border Aid Resolution

July 12, 2022

IRCT [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://irct.org/>

Latest News

Website not responding at inquiry

Islamic Relief Worldwide [to 17 Jul 2022]
<https://www.islamic-relief.org/>

IRW News

No new digest content identified.

Landsea [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.landesa.org/press-and-media-categories/press-releases/>

What's New

No new digest content identified.

Medecins du Monde [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.medecinsdumonde.org/>

Selected Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

Mercy Corps [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.mercycorps.org/press-room/releases>

News Releases & Alerts

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[Mercy Corps Statement on United Nations Security Council Renewal of Syria Cross-Border Resolution](#)

The United Nations Security Council reauthorized the cross-border resolution in Syria, allowing one border crossing, in...

MSF/Médecins Sans Frontières [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.msf.org/>

Latest [Selected Announcements]

Myanmar

[10 years in dire conditions perpetuates severe mental health problems for Rohingya](#)

Project Update 14 Jul 2022

Haiti

[Thousands of people trapped by deadly armed clashes in Cité Soleil](#)

Press Release 13 Jul 2022

Mozambique

[Three new developments in the Cabo Delgado crisis](#)

Project Update 11 Jul 2022

Mexico

[More assistance urgently needed for people arriving in Mexico's northern border cities](#)

Press Release 11 Jul 2022

Operation Smile [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.operationsmile.org/press-office>

[Program and Mission Schedule](#)

... a complete list of current and planned programs.

Operation Smile and Align Technology Announce Title Sponsorship of Operation Smile's International Student Leadership Conference

Align's continued investment in Operation Smile and the International Student Leadership Conference reflects the companies' shared commitment of improving the lives of young people through education and leadership opportunities.

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Norwegian Refugee Council [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.nrc.no/>

Latest News

Central African Republic: Alarming fuel shortage exacerbates worst levels of humanitarian needs since 2015

14. Jul 2022 - Central African Republic

For each day Biden spends in office, Israel displaces 3 Palestinians

12. Jul 2022 - Palestine

OXFAM [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.oxfam.org/en/>

Press Releases

Oxfam response to the UN Security Council's vote on continuing cross-border aid into Syria

12 July 2022

In response to the results of the vote on a UN resolution continuing to allow cross-border aid into Syria, Oxfam's Head of Office in New York, Brenda Mofya said: "The UN Security Council's decision to renew the cross-border resolution for only six months is deeply disappointing and could potentially leave more than four million people in northwest Syria without the assistance they depend upon to survive when the harsh winter months arrive."

Pact [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.pactworld.org/>

Latest News

July 14, 2022

Through apprenticeships, DRC youth develop new trades and leave the dangers of mining behind

For many young people, working at a mine is a sure way to earn money in mineral-rich DRC. But it is also dangerous to their health and development, not to...

July 13, 2022

Pact hosts session on achieving viral suppression in children and adolescents at 24th International AIDS Conference

On Sunday, July 31, in Montreal, Canada, Pact will host a satellite session at the 24th International AIDS Conference on reaching one of the most vulnerable...

Partners In Health [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.pih.org/news>

News

No new digest content identified.

PATH [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.path.org/media-center/>

Press Releases

[Open Call for Digital Entrepreneurs in Africa](#)

July 14, 2022 by PATH

PATH's Digital Square is pleased to announce its first call for digital entrepreneurs based in Africa interested in working in the health sector. This call seeks to connect local solutions to financial assistance, technical resources, and opportunities to scale for innovative entrepreneurs...

Plan International/BORNEfonden [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://plan-international.org/about-plan/resources/media-centre>

News

No new digest content identified.

Save The Children [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.savethechildren.net/news>

News

14 July 2022 - *Ukraine*

[Save the Children 'utterly horrified' by reports that three children killed and four injured in Vinnytsia missile attack](#)

12 July 2022 - *Syria*

[The UN Security Council fails children in Syria by only renewing cross border aid route for six months](#)

Tostan [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.tostan.org>

News/Events

[How Tostan is Using a Transformational Gift from MacKenzie Scott to Expand Community Well-being](#)

Jul 12, 2022

Since MacKenzie Scott announced that Tostan would be among the organizations receiving her philanthropy in June 2021, Tostan has worked carefully to honor this incredible gift as an opportunity to expand community well-being. The one-time gift Tostan received was...

Women for Women International [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.womenforwomen.org/blogs>

Blogs & Updates

No new digest content identified.

World Vision [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://wvi.org/>

Newsroom

[Children most at risk from Sri Lanka's economic and political crisis, warns World Vision](#)

July 15th 2022

[World Vision brings holiday fun to children in war-torn Ukraine](#)

July 15th 2022

[World Vision condemns reports of Vinnytsia missile attack](#)

July 15th 2022

[Children's participation is key to creating an Africa fit for children](#)

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Electronic Frontiers Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

https://www.eff.org/updates?type=press_release

No new digest content identified.

Freedom House [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://freedomhouse.org/news-perspectives/press-releases-statements>

Latest Updates

[Freedom House Welcomes Twitter's Legal Challenge to Indian Censorship](#)

Press release

July 13, 2022

[Biden Must Prioritize Human Rights Concerns on Visit to Saudi Arabia](#)

Press release

July 11, 2022

Human Rights Watch [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.hrw.org/>

Featured Commentary, Announcements, Statements

July 15, 2022

[Support Justice for Serious Crimes Globally](#)

Countries should take concrete steps to demonstrate that justice for serious crimes matters, regardless of where abuses are committed and by whom. To mark International Criminal Justice Day on July 17, 2022, Human Rights Watch created a social media initiative outlining five concrete actions that governments can take to bolster the international justice system worldwide.

Americas

July 14, 2022

News Release

[Brazil: Candidates Should Address Human Rights](#)

Middle East/North Africa

July 14, 2022

Dispatches

[Biden Should Not Renew Arms Sales to Saudi Arabia](#)

Michael Page

Deputy Director, Middle East and North Africa Division

Afghanistan
July 8, 2022
Interactive

Fighting the Taliban's Ban on Girls' Education

Transparency International [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.transparency.org/news/pressreleases>

Press

Africa Anti-Corruption Day: COVID-19 relief funds and illicit financial flows top concerns

On Africa Anti-Corruption Day, 28 Transparency International chapters across Africa have sent an open letter to the leaders of the African Union (AU), reminding them of their anti-corruption...

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ChildFund Alliance [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://childfundalliance.org/>

News/ Statements

No new digest content identified.

CONCORD [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://concordeurope.org/>

Latest News and Events

No new digest content identified.

The Elders [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://theelders.org/news-insight>

News, Speeches, Announcements

No new digest content identified.

Evidence Aid [to 17 Jul 2022]

Evidence Aid aims to save lives and livelihoods in disasters by providing decision-makers with the best available evidence and by championing its use.

<http://www.evidenceaid.org/>

Selected Resources

Measuring gender-based violence risk mitigation in humanitarian settings

Added July 15, 2022

Interventions to improve primary health care quality for refugees and asylum seekers

Added July 14, 2022

Health equity consideration in policies on the use of masks and other PPE to contain COVID-19 (policies from before July 2020)

Added July 13, 2022

Universal gloving and healthcare-associated infections (search up to July 2018)

[Added July 12, 2022](#)

[Challenges for tuberculosis control during the COVID-19 pandemic \(search up to December 2020\)](#)

[Added July 11, 2022](#)

[School-based interventions to support student refugees, migrants and immigrants, and their families](#)

[Added July 10, 2022](#)

Gavi [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.gavi.org/>

News Releases

13 July 2022

[Gavi continues to be a top performer in global aid transparency index](#)

Global Fund [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.theglobalfund.org/en/news/>

News & Stories

No new digest content identified

ICVA - International Council of Voluntary Agencies [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://icvanetwork.org/>

Latest Resources/Upcoming Events

12 July, 2022

[Consultancy: Design Approaches and Workshops on Influencing Humanitarian Space and Access for NGOs](#)

InterAction [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.interaction.org/>

Latest Updates

Global Development

[InterAction Applauds New USAID Draft Global Water Strategy Agency Plan](#)

Chris Askew-Merwin | Jul 15, 2022

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3ie International Initiative for Impact Evaluation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.3ieimpact.org/>

What's New

[Evidence Dialogues webinar: Filling knowledge gaps to transform the food system](#)

Conference 04 August 2022 Online

In this webinar, we will present findings from our three recent outputs in this area (1) a living evidence gap map, (2) a rapid evidence assessment on women's empowerment within the food system, and (3) a systematic review on the use of fiscal policies to support a healthy diet.

CHS Alliance [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://chsalliance.org/>

Our Impact/Events

[CHS Revision consultations starts: organisations have your say](#)

28 June 2022

Standards need to be reviewed regularly to adapt to a changing environment, drawing on learning and new developments and innovations. The CHS is no exception. This is why in May 2022 CHS Alliance, Sphere and Groupe URD [launched](#) an 18-month process to consult with multiple stakeholders for their views on how to update and improve the standard.

The revision is an opportunity to hear from individuals and organisations across the world on how to make the standard a more user-friendly tool to drive better quality and accountability...

Development Initiatives [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://devinit.org/news/>

News

13 July 2022

[Board announcement: CEO departure](#)

Development Initiatives' CEO Harpinder Collacott will be leaving after 10 years of service to join Mercy Corps as their Europe Executive Director.

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Active Learning Network for Accountability and Performance in Humanitarian Action

(ALNAP) [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.alnap.org/>

News

[Watch now | Learning for Ukraine: Challenges and Opportunities for Change](#)

On 5 July 2022, ALNAP and partners delivered a webinar and interactive practitioner exchange to explore the issues and challenges posed by this crisis, how humanitarians are grappling with them, and the learning opportunities going forward...

Disasters Emergency Committee [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.dec.org.uk/media-centre>

LATEST PRESS RELEASES

No new digest content identified.

EHLRA/R2HC/HIF [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.elrha.org/resource-hub/news/>

News

[Funding rapid research in a pandemic—what did the research tell us? PART ONE](#)

At the start of the pandemic, in 2020, Elrha released a rapid response funding call, and funded 15 studies to contribute to COVID-19...

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[Funding rapid research in a pandemic—what did the research tell us? PART TWO](#)

At the start of the pandemic, Elrha released a rapid response funding call, and funded 15 studies to contribute to COVID-19 humanitarian...

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Geneva Centre of Humanitarian Studies [nee CERAH] – [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://humanitarianstudies.ch/>

News

No new digest content identified.

Groupe URD [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.urd.org/en/>

Publications, Events, News

News

No new digest content identified.

International Humanitarian Studies Association [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://ihsa.info/>

weekly humanitarian blog posts selection

Refugees' crises, disaster prevention and social resilience

4 July – 10 July

This week's blog posts selection addresses a variety of topics. On refugees' crises we include one post on self-reliance in Ghana as a biopolitical instrument. Another post shares nine rapid behavioural research studies conducted on the experience of refugees and their understanding of COVID-19, including cases in Kenya, Uganda, Somalia and the Democratic Republic of Congo, Lebanon, Burkina Faso, Mali, and Colombia.

Three posts discuss disasters. One explains the new fund for pandemic prevention, preparedness, and response that could change the global health landscape for the better. Another examines the invisibility of riverbank erosion as a disaster in Assam, India. A third post advocates for the role of social resilience in addressing heat waves.

To address other crises, a post reflects on how an UN Charter can reconcile idealism and realism. Other posts advocate the UN Security Council must vote to expand cross-border aid access from Türkiye into Syria, and one shares three reasons for hope that South Sudan can find peace after 11 years of war.

INEE – an international network for education in emergencies [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://inee.org/>

News/Events

No new digest content identified.

Professionals in Humanitarian Assistance and Protection (PHAP) [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://phap.org/>

Association news, events

No new digest content identified.

Sphere [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://spherestandards.org/news/>

News

Sphere's Executive Director Dr Balwant Singh stepping down

12 July 2022 | *Sphere*

After three years at the helm of Sphere and its global humanitarian community, Dr Balwant Singh has decided to leave his role as Executive Director in early September to pursue other interests. Balwant's leadership of Sphere over the last...

Start Network [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://startnetwork.org/news-and-blogs>

News and Blog

No new digest content identified.

Unitaid [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://unitaid.org/>

Featured News

12 July 2022

[Unitaid to incentivize generic production of life-saving medicine for people living with advanced HIV disease](#)

Geneva – Cryptococcal meningitis is a severe fungal infection of the brain that causes around 15% of AIDS-related deaths globally. 75% percent of resulting deaths occur in sub-Saharan Africa, largely due to a lack of access to critical medicines. To fast-track commercialization of affordable, quality-assured supplies of a highly effective medicine used to treat cryptococcal meningitis, Unitaid has launched a call to generic manufacturers needing support to bring their product to market in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs)...

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Brookings [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.brookings.edu/>

Accessed 17 Jul 2022

Latest Research

Essay

[SDG Leadership Cities Network and Toolkit](#)

Thursday, July 14, 2022

Regulatory Policy

[Improving international regulatory cooperation in an age of trade skepticism](#)

Reeve T. Bull

Thursday, July 14, 2022

Global Development

[Social and development impact bonds by the numbers](#)

Emily Gustafsson-Wright, Izzy Boggild-Jones, Onyeka Nwabunnia, and Sarah Osborne

Wednesday, July 13, 2022

Global Trade

[Six ways to improve global supply chains](#)

Darrell M. West

Tuesday, July 12, 2022

Report

[The devaluation of assets in Black neighborhoods: The case of commercial property](#)

Jonathan Rothwell, Tracy Hadden Loh, and Andre M. Perry

Monday, July 11, 2022

Center for Global Development [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.cgdev.org/>

All Research [Selected]

CGD NOTES

[Growing Smaller: COVID-19's Impact on Firm Size in Latin America](#)

Liliana Rojas-Suarez and Alejandro Fiorito

July 11, 2022

A well-known structural problem in Latin America is that firms are generally quite small and most workers in the region are concentrated in small firms. In recent years, about 32 percent of workers were self-employed, and of those working in firms, over 50 percent were in firms that employed 10...

Chatham House [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.chathamhouse.org/>

Accessed 17 Jul 2022

Event recording

[Watch: Living with a divided world](#)

As Sir Robin Niblett steps down from his role as director of Chatham House, he reflects on how the world has changed in the past 15 years and what it means for the future.

13 July 2022

Accessed 17 Jul 2022

[Interview Disinformation is a high-stake game threatening freedom](#)

In the second of a series of interviews with the Queen Elizabeth II Academy Faculty, Jessica Cecil examines solutions to disinformation eroding trust in democratic leadership.

12 July 2022

Council on Foreign Relations [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.cfr.org/media/news-releases>

New Releases [Selected]

Digital and Cyberspace Policy Program

[CFR Task Force Calls for a New Foreign Policy for a More Dangerous Cyberspace](#)

News Releases July 12, 2022

CSIS [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.csis.org/>

Selected Reports

Report

[The Future of U.S.-Brazil Security Cooperation: Opportunities Presented by Brazil's Major Non-NATO Ally Status](#)

July 15, 2022 | Ryan C. Berg A new paper from the CSIS Americas Program details the history of U.S.-Brazil security cooperation and the new frontiers opened by Brazil's designation as a Major Non-NATO Ally.

Report

[North America Is a Region, Too](#)

July 14, 2022 | [Tom Karako](#), [Matthew Strohmeier](#), [Ian Williams](#), [Wes Rumbaugh](#) New threats and the specter of non-nuclear strategic attack require a new approach to U.S. air and missile defense. This study discusses the need for homeland cruise missile defense, outlines principles informing defense design, and develops and costs an architecture.

ODI [Overseas Development Institute] [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://odi.org/en/publications/>

Publications

[The AfCFTA and the Automotive Value Chain](#)

14 July 2022

Research reports

[AfCFTA: unlocking the potential of the digital economy in Africa](#)

13 July 2022

Research reports

[Inclusion and exclusion in humanitarian action: findings from a three-year study](#)

12 July 2022

Research reports

[Working politically on economic problems in Kyrgyzstan: lessons from Support to Jogorku Kenesh \(S2JK\)](#)

11 July 2022

Research reports

['Each one of us has a dream': gender-responsive education and economic empowerment for refugee youth in Lebanon](#)

11 July 2022

Research reports

Pew Research Center [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.pewresearch.org/>

Latest Publications

Short Read | Jul 15, 2022

[Key facts about the abortion debate in America](#)

As the nation's post-Roe chapter begins and the legal battle shifts to the states, here are key facts about Americans' views on abortion.

Report | Jul 14, 2022

[Americans Divided Over Direction of Biden's Climate Change Policies](#)

Several climate policies receive bipartisan support, despite Republicans and Democrats differing on the overall approach.

Short Read | Jul 14, 2022

[How Black Americans view the use of face recognition technology by police](#)

Black Americans are critical of key aspects of policing and criminal justice. But their views on face recognition technology are more nuanced.

Report | Jul 13, 2022

Biden's Job Rating Slumps as Public's View of Economy Turns More Negative

Joe Biden's political standing is at the lowest point of his presidency. Yet Biden is hardly the only focal point of the public's political discontent: Americans express unfavorable views of both major parties and a range of leading Republican and Democratic political figures, including Biden's predecessor, Donald Trump.

Short Read | Jul 13, 2022

U.S. journalists differ from the public in their views of 'bothsidesism' in journalism

55% of journalists surveyed say that every side does not always deserve equal coverage in the news. 22% of Americans overall say the same.

Rand [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.rand.org/pubs.html>

Reports, Selected Journal Articles

Report

Report

Adaptive Engagement for Undergoverned Spaces: Concepts, Challenges, and Prospects for New Approaches

This report is a compendium of expert insights regarding opportunities for investing in science and technology to increase U.S. ability to engage in long-term competition in undergoverned spaces.

Jul 13, 2022

Adam R. Grissom, Jonathan S. Blake, Gabrielle Tarini, Kelly Elizabeth Eusebi, Joseph N. Mait, Elisa Jayne Bienenstock, Andrew M. Parker, Steven W. Popper, Paul K. Davis, Edward Geist, Ben Connable, Zev Winkelman, Robert L. Axtell, Justin Grana, Robert J. Lempert, Kelly Klima, Sara Turner, James R. Watson, Michael J. Gaines, Yuna Huh Wong, Jasmin Léveill e, Timothy Marler, Aaron B. Frank, Elizabeth M. Bartels

RoRI [Research on Research Institute] [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://researchonresearch.org/>

We're an open and independent new initiative providing data, analysis and intelligence on how to make research systems more strategic, open, diverse and inclusive.

RoRI News, Events

No new digest content identified.

Alan Turing Institute

<https://www.turing.ac.uk/news>

News, Research, Events

New agreement with Norwegian AI Research Consortium will foster international innovation

The Alan Turing Institute has expanded its international research connections and collaborations by signing...

Thursday 14 Jul 2022

Urban Institute [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.urban.org/publications>

[New Research Publications](#)

Fact Sheet

[The Future of Public Housing: Special Issues Facing Older Adults and People with Disabilities](#)

July 14, 2022

Research Report

[Meeting the Challenge: Serving Older Adults and People with Disabilities in Public Housing](#)

July 14, 2022

The Wistar Institute [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.wistar.org/news/press-releases>

Press Releases

Jul. 13, 2022

[The Wistar Institute Names Gelvina Rodriguez Stevenson, Esq. as Vice President, General Counsel, Secretary and Government Relations](#)

PHILADELPHIA — (July 13, 2022) — The Wistar Institute, an international biomedical research leader in cancer, immunology, and infectious diseases, is pleased to announce the appointment of Gelvina Rodriguez Stevenson, Esq., as vice president, general counsel, secretary and government relations.

World Economic Forum [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://agenda.weforum.org/news/>

Media [Selected]

[Leaders and Experts in China and Around the World to Focus on Sustainability and Economic Stability](#)

News 15 Jul 2022

[Compounding Crises: Pandemic Disruptions and Weak Recovery Delay Time to Gender Parity to 132 Years](#)

News 08 Jul 2022

- Iceland remains the world's most gender-equal country, followed by Finland, Norway, New Zealand and Sweden

- With a widening gender gap in the labour force, the cost of living crisis is expected to hit women hardest

- COVID-19 set gender parity back by a generation and a weak recovery isn't compensating for it

- Explore the full report, infographics and more information [here](#)

[See Week in Review above for detail]

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ISC / International Science Council [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://council.science/current/>

ISC is a non-governmental organization with a unique global membership that brings together 40 international scientific Unions and Associations and over 140 national and regional scientific organizations including Academies and Research Councils.

News

No new digest content identified.

National Academy of Engineering - USA [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.nae.edu/31222/MediaRoom>

Latest News & Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

National Academy of Medicine - USA [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://nam.edu/programs/>

News [Selected]

No new digest content identified.

National Academy of Sciences - USA [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.nasonline.org/news-and-multimedia/>

News

No new digest content identified.

National Endowment for the Humanities [U.S.] [to 17 Jul 2022]

https://www.neh.gov/newsroom?f%5B0%5D=news_type%3A281&f%5B1%5D=newsroom_content_type%3Anews

Newsroom Press Release

[**Andrew Delbanco Named the 2022 Jefferson Lecturer in the Humanities**](#)

July 14, 2022

NIH [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.nih.gov/>

News Releases

[**Interferon treatment may reduce severity of COVID-19 in people with certain genetic factors**](#)

July 14, 2022 — People with this combination of genetic variants also remain positive for SARS-CoV-2 infection longer.

[**NIH launches clinical trial of mRNA Nipah virus vaccine**](#)

July 11, 2022 — Nipah virus infection is spread between animals and people.

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CIOMS – COUNCIL FOR INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS OF MEDICAL SCIENCES [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://cioms.ch/>

News; Publications

No new digest content identified.

Hastings Center

<https://www.thehastingscenter.org/for-media/>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

Nuffield Council on Bioethics

<https://www.nuffieldbioethics.org/news>

News

No new digest content identified.

World Medical Association [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.wma.net/news-press/press-releases/>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

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We will primarily monitor press/media releases announcing key initiatives and new research from a growing number of global foundations and donors engaged in the human rights, humanitarian response and development spheres of action. This Watch section is not intended to be exhaustive, but indicative.

Paul G. Allen Frontiers Group [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://alleninstitute.org/news-press/>

News

No new digest content identified.

BMGF - Gates Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.gatesfoundation.org/ideas/media-center>

Press Releases and Statements

[**In Response to Compounding Global Crises, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation Announces Intent to Increase Annual Payout by 50%, to US\\$9 Billion per Year by 2026**](#)

Press release

Jul 13, 2022

[See Week in Review above for detail]

Blue Meridian Partners [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.emcf.org/capital-aggregation/blue-meridian-partners/>

*Blue Meridian Partners is a new capital aggregation collaboration that plans to invest at least \$1 billion in high-performance nonprofits that are poised to have truly national impact for economically disadvantaged children and youth.
No new digest content identified.*

Annie E. Casey Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.aecf.org/newsroom/>

Newsroom

No new digest content identified.

Clinton Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.clintonfoundation.org/media-center/>

News & Updates

No new digest content identified.

Co Impact [to 17 Jul 2022]

www.co-impact.io

Co-Impact is a global philanthropic collaborative for systems change focused on improving the lives of millions of people around the world.

No new digest content identified.

Ford Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.fordfoundation.org/>

News & Stories

News 14 July 2022

[Ford Foundation Promotes Monica Aleman and José García as new Program Directors](#)

NEW YORK – The Ford Foundation announced today the appointments of two new program directors: Monica Aleman as its next international program director for Gender, Racial and Ethnic Justice (GREJ), and José García as its next program director for Future of Work(ers). Both will assume their new roles in July 2022, succeeding Nicolette Naylor and Sarita Gupta, respectively...

J. Paul Getty Trust [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.getty.edu/about/#news>

Latest News

No new digest content identified.

GHIT Fund [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ghitfund.org/newsroom/press>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

Grameen Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://grameenfoundation.org/stories/press-releases>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

William and Flora Hewlett Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://hewlett.org/latest-updates/>

Latest Updates

No new digest content identified.

Conrad N. Hilton Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.hiltonfoundation.org/news>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

IKEA Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.ikeafoundation.org/>

Press

Latest Updates

No new digest content identified.

HHMI - Howard Hughes Medical Institute [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.hhmi.org/news>

Press Room

No new digest content identified.

Kaiser Family Foundation

https://www.kff.org/search/?post_type=press-release

Accessed 17 Jul 2022

July 14, 2022 *News Release*

[Medicaid's New Option to Extend Postpartum Coverage for 12 Months Could Prevent Hundreds of Thousands of Enrollees from Losing Coverage in the Months After Delivery](#)

A new KFF analysis finds that hundreds of thousands of people are disenrolled from Medicaid each year after giving birth, which could be prevented if all states were to take up a new option to extend Medicaid postpartum coverage to 12 months. The estimate – based on analysis of Medicaid...

July 13, 2022 *News Release*

[Women who Give Birth Incur Nearly \\$19,000 in Additional Health Costs, Including \\$2,854 More that They Pay Out of Pocket](#)

The health care costs associated with pregnancy and childbirth average almost \$19,000, including \$2,854 paid out-of-pocket, a new KFF analysis of large employers' insurance claims finds. Unlike other analyses that examine costs of specific pregnancy-related services, such as a vaginal or cesarean delivery, this new analysis compares three years of...

Kellogg Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.wkkf.org/news-and-media>

Selected Announcements

[Expanding racial healing, health and educational equity](#)

July 13, 2022

Aga Khan Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.akdn.org/>

Press Releases [Selected]

No new digest content identified.

MacArthur Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.macfound.org/>

News, Events, What We're Learning

[Global Public Perceptions on Climate Change](#)

July 12, 2022

Grantee Research

There are stark differences in the way people view the causes and impacts of climate change based on geography and culture, but the great majority shares understanding that climate change is happening according to a report from The Yale Program on Climate Change Communication. The MacArthur supported Program partnered with Meta to survey Facebook users in 192 countries and territories on their beliefs about climate change. The report details varying knowledge on environmental impacts, worries about climate change, and the possibility and responsibility for action. The study can provide data to leaders, journalists, and advocates across the globe to inform climate efforts to their context.

[Answering Questions on Catalytic Capital](#)

July 12, 2022

Grantee Research

A frequently asked questions resource on catalytic capital gathers perspectives from leaders in the field on where and when catalytic capital is needed and how it can help address critical issues facing the world today. The resource provides information and insights about catalytic capital from the Catalytic Capital Consortium (C3) Grantmaking Program, a partnership between MacArthur, The Rockefeller Foundation, and the Omidyar Network housed at the New Venture Fund.

[Learnings on Seeding Investing with Catalytic Capital](#)

July 12, 2022

Grantee Research

A new report from the Catalytic Capital Consortium (C3) Grantmaking Program discusses how catalytic capital can seed funds and other investment vehicles. The first report in a series of three, it draws on lessons that emerged during a series of conversations at learning labs with experienced catalytic capital providers and fund managers, all of whom generously shared their insights, experiences, and expertise around the role catalytic capital plays in seeding, scaling, and sustaining high impact funds and enterprises. The C3 Grantmaking Program—a partnership between MacArthur, The Rockefeller Foundation, and the Omidyar Network housed at the New Venture Fund—hosted the labs.

This report, which was released in partnership with FSG and Courageous Capital, focuses on the "Seeding" context, when catalytic capital is deployed to funds or other investment vehicles that have novel aspects of their pursued strategy, have proposed structure and investments that are considered new, or are managed by a new investment manager.

Andrew W. Mellon Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://mellon.org/>

News & Blog

No new digest content identified.

Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.moore.org/news>

Recent News

[Perspective: Outcomes and measurement in science philanthropy](#)

by: Harvey V. Fineberg, M.D., Ph.D.

July 12, 2022

At the Moore Foundation, we define an outcome as a desired change in people, institutions, or conditions. The term “conditions” can cover a wide range of circumstances. In such areas as patient care or environmental conservation, the outcomes we seek are typically material changes in the world, such as “more lives saved” or “preservation of vital terrestrial and marine ecosystems.” In pursuing change in these domains, we adopt theories of change that characterize strategies designed to achieve the intended outcome, that is, the pathways to reach the pre-defined and desired change in the material world.

Similarly, scientific experiments are designed to reveal truths of nature — test a theoretical prediction, test a hypothesis about a causal relation, or reveal more precise and novel features of the world. Oftentimes, scientific research takes an unexpected turn, experiencing failures and keying off a new observation or insight, and an experiment can lead to unanticipated new knowledge. This is analogous to the ways unexpected obstacles and unanticipated opportunities crop up in other areas of endeavor, such as environmental conservation and patient care.

The story of science is replete with unanticipated and accidental discovery...

Open Society Foundations [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.opensocietyfoundations.org/newsroom>

Newsroom

Fact sheet July 13, 2022

[The Open Society Foundations in Tunisia](#)

Our work in Tunisia started in 2005 when we began supporting organizations promoting freedom of expression. Today, our civil society partners in Tunisia span diverse fields including democratic governance and economic reform.

David and Lucile Packard Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.packard.org/news/>

News

No new digest content identified.

Pew Charitable Trusts [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.pewtrusts.org/en/about/news-room>

News Room

No new digest content identified.

Rockefeller Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.rockefellerfoundation.org/>

Selected Reports/Press Releases

The Rockefeller Foundation Commits \$15 Million to Accelerate World Bank's Pandemic Prevention Financing Fund

Funding will support the World Bank's new Financial Intermediary Fund to expand low- and middle-income countries' pandemic prevention and response programs

NEW YORK | July 14, 2022 – The Rockefeller Foundation announced a \$15 million commitment to the World Bank in support of its new Financial Intermediary Fund (FIF) to bolster pandemic prevention and response in low- and middle-income countries. The Rockefeller Foundation joins the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and the Wellcome Trust as founding donors from the philanthropic sector to help set up a Secretariat at the World Bank with technical leadership from the World Health Organization (WHO) and broad support from the G20...

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.rwjf.org/en/about-rwjf/newsroom.html>

Latest News and Highlights

'Raising the Bar' Framework Helps Healthcare Organizations Improve Equity and Well-Being

Bold recommendations developed by experts from many sectors provide comprehensive, actionable [framework](#) for healthcare organizations to advance equity in care delivery.

[Undated]

Convened by RWJF to identify how healthcare can approach their oft-stated goal to increase equity, Raising the Bar crafted specific principles, roles and actions that healthcare organizations can use to begin, or advance, their health equity work. Advisors led by the National Alliance to Impact the Social Determinants of Health (NASDOH) crafted a framework outlining the wide-reaching and essential roles healthcare providers, payers and institutions must play in improving equity and well-being within their own organizations and the communities they serve.

Science Philanthropy Alliance [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://www.sciencephilanthropyalliance.org/what-we-do/news/>

"...a group of organizations working together to increase philanthropic support for basic scientific research on a global basis..."

No new digest content identified.

SDGFunders [to 17 Jul 2022]

<http://sdgfunders.org/>

SDG Philanthropy Platform is a collaboration between philanthropy and the greater international development community led by Foundation Center, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and Rockefeller Philanthropy Advisors, and supported by the Conrad N. Hilton Foundation, Ford Foundation and the MasterCard Foundation, the Brach Family Foundation, and other key organizations such as Asociación de Fundaciones Empresariales (AFE) in Colombia, Brach Family Charitable Foundation, CAF America, Council on Foundations, East Africa Association of Grantmakers (EAAG), European Foundation Centre, Filantropi Indonesia (FI), GlobalGiving, The Humanitarian Forum, World Congress of Muslim Philanthropists, and Worldwide Initiatives for Grantmaker Support (WINGS).

Selected Announcements

No new digest content identified.

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://sloan.org/about/press>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

Wellcome Trust [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://wellcome.ac.uk/news>

News, Opinion, Reports

Opinion

Author - Divya Shah

[Africa must produce its own vaccines – it'll need investment in regulation to get there](#)

13 July 2022

Africa has ambitions to produce its own vaccines, but it will take a robust regulatory system to achieve this. With investment in key areas, African countries can take more control of the production of medical products that will protect people's health.

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Candid [formerly Foundation Center and GuideStar] [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://candid.org/about/press-room?fceref=pg>

Press Releases

No new digest content identified.

Council on Foundations [to 17 Jul 2022]

<https://www.cof.org/newsroom>

Newsroom/Blog Posts/Events

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The Sentinel will track key peer-reviewed journals which address a broad range of interests in human rights, humanitarian response, health and development. It is not intended to be exhaustive. We will add to those monitored below as we encounter relevant content and upon recommendation from readers. We selectively provide full text of abstracts and other content but note that successful access to some of the articles and other content may require subscription or other access arrangement unique to the publisher. Please suggest additional journals you feel warrant coverage.

AJOB Empirical Bioethics

Volume 13, 2022 Issue 2
<https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/uabr21/current>
[Reviewed earlier]

AMA Journal of Ethics

Volume 24, Number 7: E543-713 Jul 2022
<https://journalofethics.ama-assn.org/issue/health-care-conflict-zones>

Arts-Based Research in Health Care

Visual, musical, and poetic forms of creative expression have embodied healing in many cultures for millennia. Research methods based in these artistic forms have grown in prominence as the enterprise of health care has been led by kindred disciplines of bioethics and humanities to interrogate overmedicalization, to resist hyperfocus on measurability when the cost is neglect of narratives and experiences, and to recognize tendencies that too often privilege outcomes over processes. What we've learned is that medicine has much to learn from and contribute to the arts, and that the arts have much to learn from and contribute to medicine.

From the Editor

[Arts-Based Research and Health Care](#)

Mark Gilbert, PhD

Artistic or aesthetic ways of knowing have been embraced in many different cultures as forms of healing.^{1, 2} In health care and health professions education, there is increasing interest in the role of arts-based research or integrating the arts into a variety of clinical and community settings for therapeutic, educational, and expressive purposes.^{3, 4}..

This special issue of the *AMA Journal of Ethics* presents myriad ways that artistic expression as a primary mode of inquiry can be used to nurture an inspiring medical education wherein creativity is embraced and can flourish.¹¹ The clinicians, educators, artists, researchers, and students who contributed to this issue make clear how much health professionals and students can learn from engaging with artistic ways of knowing. Moreover, they testify to how the arts can be enriched and informed by health care. My experience of working in clinical contexts has taught me more about communication and silence. We hope this special issue creates opportunities for readers to witness the relationships and interactions fundamental to medicine and to grasp the profound challenges and abundant rewards that await all who engage in arts-based research in clinical, public health, and community contexts.

American Journal of Infection Control

July 2022 Volume 50 Issue 7 p717-838

<http://www.ajicjournal.org/current>

Major Articles

[The long road of pandemic vaccine development to rollout: A systematic review on the lessons learnt from the 2009 H1N1 influenza pandemic](#)

Alex Asamoah Ankomah, Aye Moa, Abrar Ahmad Chughtai

Published online: February 04, 2022

p735-742

State of the Science Review

[Psychological experience of COVID-19 patients: A systematic review and qualitative meta-synthesis](#)

Hui Zhang, et al.

Published online: February 01, 2022

p809-819

[Prevalence and incidence of tuberculosis in health workers: A systematic review of the literature](#)

Eni Hilário da Silva, Ercilia Lima, Talita Raquel dos Santos, Maria Clara Padoveze

Published online: January 29, 2022

p820-827

American Journal of Preventive Medicine

July 2022 Volume 63 Issue 1 p1-150

<https://www.ajpmonline.org/current>

Research Articles

[Predictors of Public Support for Social Safety Net Policy During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#)

C. Ross Hatton, et al.

Published online: February 17, 2022

p77-84

Research Briefs

[Vaccination Coverage of Privately Insured Children: Comparing U.S. Survey and Administrative Data](#)

Kai Hong, et al.

Published online: March 19, 2022

Review Articles

[The Association Between Previous Influenza Vaccination and COVID-19 Infection Risk and Severity: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis](#)

Wanying Su, et al.

Published online: March 14, 2022

p121-130

Research Letters

[COVID-19 Vaccination: Concerning Trends in Primary Care Health Professional Shortage Areas](#)

Hao Yu, et al.

Published online: February 08, 2022

American Journal of Public Health

August 2022 112(8)

<http://ajph.aphapublications.org/toc/ajph/current>

NOTES FROM THE FIELD

[Assessing the Impact of Vaccine Lotteries on COVID-19 Vaccination Rates in the United States in 2021](#)

Immunization/Vaccines, Public Health Practice, Health Policy

Jeffrey Sload, Benjamin Bechtolsheim and Deidre Gifford

112(8), pp. 1130–1133

[NIOSH Risk-Based Model to Resume Field Research and Public Health Service in 2020 During the COVID-19 Pandemic](#)

Prevention, Occupational Health, Public Health Practice

Douglas O. Johns, Kristin M. Yeoman, Joshua M. Harney, John Howard and Gerald S. Poplin

OPEN-THEMED RESEARCH

[Tuberculosis Outbreaks in State Prisons, United States, 2011–2019](#)

Infections, Human Rights, Other Race/Ethnicity, Tuberculosis, Race/Ethnicity, Epidemiology, African Americans/Blacks

Rebekah J. Stewart, Kala M. Raz, Scott P. Burns, J. Steve Kammerer, Maryam B. Haddad, Benjamin J. Silk and Jonathan M. Wortham

American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene

Volume 106 (2022): Issue 6 (Jun 2022)

<https://www.ajtmh.org/view/journals/tpmd/106/6/tpmd.106.issue-6.xml>

[Reviewed earlier]

Annals of Internal Medicine

June 2022 Volume 175, Issue 6

<http://annals.org/aim/issue>

[Reviewed earlier]

Antiquity – A Review of World Archeology

Issue 387 - June 2022

<https://antiquity.ac.uk/latest>

[Reviewed earlier]

Anti-Trafficking Review

No. 18 (2022)

<https://antitraffickingreview.org/index.php/atrjournal/issue/view/29>

Anti-Trafficking Review is the first open access, peer reviewed journal dedicated to the issue of human trafficking. It explores trafficking in its broader context and intersections with gender, labour, and migration.

Special Issue – Traffickers

Despite increased awareness and massive investments in combating human trafficking, there is still limited knowledge about traffickers – who they are, why they engage in trafficking, and how they operate.

This Special Issue of Anti-Trafficking Review is a step towards filling this knowledge gap. Contributions from Australia, Hong Kong, Vietnam, Malaysia, Greece, Italy, the Caribbean, and the United States examine the characteristics, motivations, and modus operandi of traffickers, their relationships with victims, and their treatment in the criminal justice system. Importantly, they point to measures that can prevent people from offending and ensure that justice is served for both victims and perpetrators.

Artificial Intelligence – An International Journal

Volume 308 July 2022

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/artificial-intelligence/vol/308/suppl/C>

[Reviewed earlier]

BMC Cost Effectiveness and Resource Allocation

<http://resource-allocation.biomedcentral.com/>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)

[No new digest content identified]

BMJ Global Health

June 2022 - Volume 7 - Suppl 3

https://gh.bmj.com/content/7/Suppl_3

[Reviewed earlier]

BMC Health Services Research

<http://www.biomedcentral.com/bmchealthservres/content>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)

[No new digest content identified]

BMC Infectious Diseases

<http://www.biomedcentral.com/bmcinfectdis/content>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)

[Assessment of neutralizing antibody responses after natural SARS-CoV-2 infection and vaccination in congolese individuals](#)

Assessing immune responses after vaccination is part of the evaluation package of vaccine effectiveness in the real world. Regarding SARS-CoV-2, neutralizing antibody levels has been shown to be a good indicat...

Authors: Armel Landry Batchi-Bouyou, Jean Claude Djontu, Jeannhey Christevy Vouvougui, Claujens Chastel Mfoutou Mapanguy, Line Lobaloba Ingoba, Jiré Séphora Mougany, Kamal Rauchelvy Boumpoutou, Steve Diafouka-kietela, Raoul Ampa and Francine Ntoumi

Citation: BMC Infectious Diseases 2022 22:610

Content type: Research Published on: 13 July 2022

[High burden of childhood tuberculosis in migrants: a retrospective cohort study from the Thailand–Myanmar border](#)

Tuberculosis (TB) is a leading cause of morbidity and mortality in children but epidemiological data are scarce, particularly for hard-to-reach populations. We aimed to identify the risk factors for unsuccessf...

Authors: Amy Carroll, Banyar Maung Maung, Win Pa Pa Htun, Wanitda Watthanaworawit, Michele Vincenti-Delmas, Colette Smith, Pam Sonnenberg and Francois Nosten

Citation: BMC Infectious Diseases 2022 22:608

Content type: Research Published on: 11 July 2022

BMC Medical Ethics

<http://www.biomedcentral.com/bmcmedethics/content>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)

[No new digest content identified]

BMC Medicine

<http://www.biomedcentral.com/bmcmed/content>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)
[No new digest content identified]

BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth

<http://www.biomedcentral.com/bmcpregnancychildbirth/content>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)

[No new digest content identified]

BMC Public Health

<http://bmcpublichealth.biomedcentral.com/articles>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)

[Learning about COVID-19: sources of information, public trust, and contact tracing during the pandemic](#)

To assess the association between public attitudes, beliefs, and information seeking about the COVID-19 pandemic and willingness to participate in contact tracing in Michigan.

Authors: Philip S. Amara, Jodyn E. Platt, Minakshi Raj and Paige Nong

Citation: BMC Public Health 2022 22:1348

Content type: Research Published on: 15 July 2022

BMC Research Notes

<http://www.biomedcentral.com/bmcresearchnotes/content>

(Accessed 17 Jul 2022)

[No new digest content identified]

BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine

June 2022 - Volume 27 - 3

<https://ebm.bmj.com/content/27/3>

[Reviewed earlier]

BMJ Open

June 2022 - Volume 12 - 6

<https://bmjopen.bmj.com/content/12/6>

[Reviewed earlier]

Bulletin of the World Health Organization

Volume 100(7); 2022 Jul 1

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/issues/411341/>

[Reviewed earlier]

Cell

Jul 07, 2022 Volume 185 Issue 14 p2391-2608

<https://www.cell.com/cell/current>

[New issue; No digest content identified]

Child Care, Health and Development

Volume 48, Issue 4 Pages: 513-657 July 2022

<https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/toc/13652214/current>

[Reviewed earlier]

Child Abuse and Neglect: The International Journal

Volume 128 June 2022

<https://www.sciencedirect.com/journal/child-abuse-and-neglect/vol/128/suppl/C>

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Authors: Benjamin Schmid, Éimhín Ansbro, Emmanuel Raju, Ruth Willis, Nazar Shabila and Pablo Perel

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Issue Edited by: Harlan Koff, Sandra Häbel

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Climate crisis and displacement: from commitment to action

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Volume 101, Number 3 May/June 2022

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[Leah Pierson & Joseph Millum](#)

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Most public and non-profit organisations that fund health research provide the majority of their funding in the form of grants. The calls for grant applications are often untargeted, such that a wide variety of applications may compete for the same funding. The grant review process therefore plays a critical role in determining how limited research resources are allocated. Despite this, little attention has been paid to whether grant review criteria align with widely endorsed ethical criteria for allocating health research resources. Here, we analyse the criteria and processes that ten of the largest public and non-profit research funders use to choose between competing grant applications. Our data suggest that research funders rarely instruct reviewers to consider disease burden or to prioritise research for sicker or more disadvantaged populations, and typically only include scientists in the review processes. This is liable to undermine efforts to link research funding to health needs.

Article Commentary

[What do we mean by critical and ethical global engagement? Questions from a research partnership between universities in Canada and Rwanda](#)

[Eugenia Canas](#), [Robert Gough](#), [Maxwell J. Smith](#), [Erynn M. Monette](#), [David D. McHugh](#), [Marlene Janzen Le Ber](#), [Tanya E. Benjamin-Thomas](#), [Yvonne Kasine](#), [Aimée J. Utuza](#) & [Elysée Nouvet](#)

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Mental health is mostly affected by numerous socioeconomic factors that need to be addressed through comprehensive strategies. The aftermath of armed conflict and natural disasters such as Ebola disease virus ...

Authors: Bives Mutume Nzanu Vivalya, Martial Mumbere Vagheni, Germain Manzekele Bin Kitoko, Jeremie Muhindo Vutegha, Augustin Kensale Kalume, Astride Lina Piripiri, Yvonne Duagani Masika and Jean-Bosco Kahindo Mbeva

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Authors: Kira Elsbernd, Karl M. F. Emmert-Fees, Amanda Erbe, Veronica Ottobriano, Arne Kroidl, Till Bärnighausen, Benjamin P. Geisler and Stefan Kohler

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Volume 28, Issue 7 (2022)

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Research Letter

Association Between COVID-19 Booster Vaccination and Omicron Infection in a Highly Vaccinated Cohort of Players and Staff in the National Basketball Association

Caroline G. Tai, PhD, MPH; Lisa L. Maragakis, MD, MPH; Sarah Connolly, PhD, MPH; et al.
free access

JAMA. 2022;328(2):209-211. doi:10.1001/jama.2022.9479

This study compares the incidence of SARS-CoV-2 infection in players and staff of the National Basketball Association (NBA) who did vs those who did not receive a COVID-19 vaccine booster dose.

JAMA Network

COVID-19 Update July 16 2022

These articles on COVID-19 were published across the JAMA Network in the last week.

JAMA Pediatrics

June 2022, Vol 176, No. 6, Pages 538-622

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Guest Editors Christine M. Koggel, Ami Harbin and Jennifer J. Llewellyn

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Special Issue: Long run effects of Covid-19 on developing countries

Issue Edited by: Sanghamitra Bandyopadhyay, Krishna Vadlamannati

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Volume 29, Issue 3, April 2022
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Volume 7, Number 1 2021
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Jul 16, 2022 Volume 400 Number 10347 p137-250

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Measuring the future of humanity for health

The Lancet

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Volume 607 Issue 7918, 14 July 2022

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Editorial

13 Jul 2022

[Why a vaccine hub for low-income countries must succeed](#)

A new initiative aims to shift the dangerous imbalance in access to medicines, laid bare by the COVID-19 pandemic. It deserves support.

Comment

[Who to vaccinate first? A peek at decision-making in a pandemic](#)

Faced with the challenge of advising the World Health Organization on who should be the first to receive COVID-19 vaccines, an advisory group used an approach it hadn't tried before.

Ruth Faden, Alejandro Cravioto, Saad B. Omer

Article Open Access 06 May 2022

[Omicron infection enhances Delta antibody immunity in vaccinated persons](#)

A study quantifying the neutralization of severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 variants in individuals infected with Omicron/BA.1 shows that vaccinated individuals previously infected with Omicron have enhanced protection against reinfection with current variants, including Omicron/BA.2, while Omicron/BA.1 infected unvaccinated individuals have limited protection.

Khadija Khan, Farina Karim, Alex Sigal

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[Delivering Pandemic Vaccines in 100 Days — What Will It Take?](#)

M. Saville and Others

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[Maternal Vaccination and Risk of Hospitalization for Covid-19 among Infants](#)

N.B. Halasa and Others

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[Covid-19 Vaccination during Pregnancy — Two for the Price of One](#)**S.A. Rasmussen and D.J. Jamieson**

[Audio Interview: Covid-19 Vaccines and the FDA](#)

J. Rubin, L.R. Baden, P. Marks, and S. Morrissey

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[Russia's War in Ukraine — The Devastation of Health and Human Rights](#)

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Volume 51 Issue 3, June 2022

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[Global human security in the post-COVID-19 era: The rising role of East Asia](#)

Kenji Shibuya, Chorh Chuan Tan, Asaph Young Chun, Gabriel M. Leung

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Summary points

- East Asia, comprising the 10 ASEAN countries, China, Japan, and the countries of the Korean peninsula, has achieved comparatively good outcomes during the ongoing Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic.
- This can be explained by sociological imprinting of and learning from past outbreaks, as well as competent governance.
- Concomitantly, East Asian nations have also been expanding capacity in global health development and diplomatic outreach, although there is as yet no coherent regional bloc vision, shared strategy, or a common set of operating principles, thus limiting synergistic impact.
- We believe that concrete next steps to bolster cooperation and extend influence could include the establishment of an East Asian Center for Disease Control, joint work in health and human security by the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and Asian Infrastructure and Investment Bank, and a region-wide research funding programme.
- Much, however, depends on evolving geopolitics writ large, notably the instability and reorientation of global alliances, which have the potential to adversely affect relations between neighbouring East Asian member states.
- Health diplomacy for global human security has the potential to become a stabilising influence and can be a topic around which all actors can more comfortably rally.

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[Measuring health literacy: A systematic review and bibliometric analysis of instruments from 1993 to 2021](#)

Mahmoud Tavousi, Samira Mohammadi, Jila Sadighi, Fatemeh Zarei, Ramin Mozafari Kermani, Rahele Rostami, Ali Montazeri

Research Article | published 15 Jul 2022 PLOS ONE

<https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0271524>

[COVID-19 infection among vaccinated and unvaccinated: Does it make any difference?](#)

Samar Fatima, Amara Zafar, Haris Afzal, Taymmia Ejaz, Sara Shamim, Shayan Saleemi, Amna Subhan Butt

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Leandro de Almeida, Pedro V. Carelli, Nara Gualberto Cavalcanti, José-Dias do Nascimento Jr., Daniel Felinto
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Read about how nonprofits can assess donations that pose moral concern, how corporations deploy successful circular business models, how agile collaborative initiatives can achieve social change, how a place-based approach to systems change can offer opportunity to all, and other topics in the Spring 2022 issue of Stanford Social Innovation Review.

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Public views on ethical issues in healthcare artificial intelligence: protocol for a scoping review

In recent years, innovations in artificial intelligence (AI) have led to the development of new healthcare AI (HCAI) technologies. Whilst some of these technologies show promise for improving the patient exper...

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The Global Population Will Soon Reach 8 Billion—Then What?

Michael Herrmann

Meeting the needs and lifting the living standards of a large and growing world population will require higher levels of production and result in greater consumption. Without green reforms in energy, manufacturing and transport, as well as changes in human behaviour, this will place mounting pressures on the natural environment.

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World Heritage Review

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New World Heritage sites 2020-2021

In this issue, we are happy to present the 34 sites that were added to the World Heritage List during that session, from the Spa Towns of Europe, with 11 spa towns across seven countries, to the biodiversity-rich Japanese serial site of Amami-Oshima Island, Tokunoshima Island, the northern part of Okinawa Island, and Iriomote Island. The remote and mountainous Cultural Landscape of Hawraman/Uramanat in Iran bears witness to the traditional culture of the Hawrami people down through the millenia, and the vast 300,000 ha of Ivindo National Park in Gabon includes spa ces that have not yet been explored completely. These and more you will discover in these pages.



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Comparative analysis of retracted pre-print and peer-reviewed articles on COVID-19

Manraj Singh Sra, Mehak Arora, Archisman Mazumder, Ritik Mahaveer Goyal, Giridara G

Parameswaran, Jitendra Kumar Meena

medRxiv 2022.07.12.22277529; doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2022.07.12.22277529>

[Quantifying political influence on COVID-19 fatality in Brazil](#)

Leandro de Almeida, Pedro V. Carelli, Nara G. Cavalcanti, José-Dias do Nascimento Jr., Daniel Felinto
medRxiv 2022.02.09.22270714; doi: <https://doi.org/10.1101/2022.02.09.22270714> Revision

[Clinical trials are moving to countries with fewer data protections](#)

Elad Yom-Tov, Yishai Ofran
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Abstract

Background The European Union implemented data privacy laws in mid-2018 and the state of California enacted a similar law several weeks later. These regulations affect medical data collection and analysis.

Methods Here we investigate the effect of these laws on clinical trials through analysis of clinical trials recorded on [ClinicalTrials.gov](https://www.clinicaltrials.gov), the World Health Organization's International Clinical Trials Registry Platform and scientific papers describing clinical trials.

Results The number of phase 1 and 2 trials in countries not adhering to data privacy laws rose significantly after implementation of these laws. The largest rise occurred in countries which are less free, as indicated by the negative correlation (-0.48 , $p=0.008$) between the civil liberties freedom score of countries and the increase in the number of trials. This trend was not observed in countries adhering to data privacy laws nor in the paper publication record.

Conclusions The implementation of data privacy laws is associated with a move of clinical trials to countries where people have fewer protections for their data.

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