

Ben Cowling

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Messenger RNA Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Vaccination With BNT162b2 Increased Risk of Bell's Palsy: A Nested Case-Control and Self-Controlled Case Series Study. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2023, 76, e291-e298.	5.8	9
2	Immunogenicity of a Third Dose of BNT162b2 to Ancestral Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2 and the Omicron Variant in Adults Who Received 2 Doses of Inactivated Vaccine. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2023, 76, e299-e307.	5.8	16
3	The use of digital technology to improve and monitor handwashing among children 12 years or younger in educational settings: a scoping review. <i>International Journal of Environmental Health Research</i> , 2022, 32, 547-564.	2.7	5
4	Serological Evidence of Human Infection With Avian Influenza A(H7N9) Virus: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 226, 70-82.	4.0	3
5	Clinical Improvement, Outcomes, Antiviral Activity, and Costs Associated With Early Treatment With Remdesivir for Patients With Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 74, 1450-1458.	5.8	30
6	Reducing Influenza Virus Transmission: The Potential Value of Antiviral Treatment. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 74, 532-540.	5.8	25
7	Optimal Timing of Remdesivir Initiation in Hospitalized Patients With Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Administered With Dexamethasone. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 75, e499-e508.	5.8	20
8	Estimating the Latent Period of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19). <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 74, 1678-1681.	5.8	69
9	Bell's palsy following vaccination with mRNA (BNT162b2) and inactivated (CoronaVac) SARS-CoV-2 vaccines: a case series and nested case-control study. <i>Lancet Infectious Diseases</i> , The, 2022, 22, 64-72.	9.1	168
10	Excess respiratory mortality and hospitalizations associated with influenza in Australia, 2007-2015. <i>International Journal of Epidemiology</i> , 2022, 51, 458-467.	1.9	8
11	Waning Immunity After Receipt of Pertussis, Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Polio-Related Vaccines: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 225, 557-566.	4.0	11
12	Economic evaluations of interventions against influenza at workplaces: systematic review. <i>Occupational Medicine</i> , 2022, 72, 70-80.	1.4	5
13	Universal Community Nucleic Acid Testing for Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in Hong Kong Reveals Insights Into Transmission Dynamics: A Cross-Sectional and Modeling Study. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 75, e216-e223.	5.8	8
14	Insufficient ventilation led to a probable long-range airborne transmission of SARS-CoV-2 on two buses. <i>Building and Environment</i> , 2022, 207, 108414.	6.9	69
15	Effects of Nonpharmaceutical COVID-19 Interventions on Pediatric Hospitalizations for Other Respiratory Virus Infections, Hong Kong. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 28, 63-69.	4.3	0
16	Mechanistic Correlates of Protection for SARS-CoV-2 Vaccines. <i>Epidemiology</i> , 2022, 33, e1-e1.	2.7	0
17	Influenza seasonality and its environmental driving factors in mainland China and Hong Kong. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2022, 818, 151724.	8.0	32
18	Serial Interval and Transmission Dynamics during SARS-CoV-2 Delta Variant Predominance, South Korea. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 28, 407-410.	4.3	31

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19	Predominant airborne transmission and insignificant fomite transmission of SARS-CoV-2 in a two-bus COVID-19 outbreak originating from the same pre-symptomatic index case. <i>Journal of Hazardous Materials</i> , 2022, 425, 128051.	12.4	30
20	Changing epidemiology of hand, foot, and mouth disease in China, 2013~2019: a population-based study. <i>The Lancet Regional Health - Western Pacific</i> , 2022, 20, 100370.	2.9	30
21	Omicron severity: milder but not mild. <i>Lancet</i> , The, 2022, 399, 412-413.	13.7	124
22	Priming with social benefit information of vaccination to increase acceptance of COVID-19 vaccines. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2022, 40, 1074-1081.	3.8	17
23	Effectiveness of International Travel Controls for Delaying Local Outbreaks of COVID-19. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 28, 251-253.	4.3	11
24	Effects of Nonpharmaceutical COVID-19 Interventions on Pediatric Hospitalizations for Other Respiratory Virus Infections, Hong Kong. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 28, 62-68.	4.3	23
25	Cost-effective proactive testing strategies during COVID-19 mass vaccination: A modelling study. <i>The Lancet Regional Health Americas</i> , 2022, 8, 100182.	2.6	10
26	Herpes zoster related hospitalization after inactivated (CoronaVac) and mRNA (BNT162b2) SARS-CoV-2 vaccination: A self-controlled case series and nested case-control study. <i>The Lancet Regional Health - Western Pacific</i> , 2022, 21, 100393.	2.9	41
27	Self-reported reactogenicity of CoronaVac (Sinovac) compared with Comirnaty (Pfizer-BioNTech): A prospective cohort study with intensive monitoring. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2022, 40, 1390-1396.	3.8	11
28	Genomic epidemiology of SARS-CoV-2 under an elimination strategy in Hong Kong. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2022, 13, 736.	12.8	26
29	Modeling comparative cost-effectiveness of SARS-CoV-2 vaccine dose fractionation in India. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 2022, 28, 934-938.	30.7	27
30	Reproduction Numbers of Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) Variants: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 75, e293-e295.	5.8	20
31	Estimation of Relative Vaccine Effectiveness in Influenza: A Systematic Review of Methodology. <i>Epidemiology</i> , 2022, 33, 334-345.	2.7	10
32	Reconstructing antibody dynamics to estimate the risk of influenza virus infection. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2022, 13, 1557.	12.8	9
33	Human seasonal influenza under COVID-19 and the potential consequences of influenza lineage elimination. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2022, 13, 1721.	12.8	116
34	Incorporating temporal distribution of population-level viral load enables real-time estimation of COVID-19 transmission. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2022, 13, 1155.	12.8	16
35	Impact of a delayed second dose of mRNA vaccine (BNT162b2) and inactivated SARS-CoV-2 vaccine (CoronaVac) on risks of all-cause mortality, emergency department visit, and unscheduled hospitalization. <i>BMC Medicine</i> , 2022, 20, 119.	5.5	14
36	Transmission dynamics and epidemiological characteristics of SARS-CoV-2 Delta variant infections in Guangdong, China, May to June 2021. <i>Eurosurveillance</i> , 2022, 27, .	7.0	66

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37	Metformin Use in Relation to Clinical Outcomes and Hyperinflammatory Syndrome Among COVID-19 Patients With Type 2 Diabetes: A Propensity Score Analysis of a Territory-Wide Cohort. <i>Frontiers in Endocrinology</i> , 2022, 13, 810914.	3.5	4
38	Biphasic waning of hemagglutination inhibition antibody titers after influenza vaccination in children. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, , .	4.0	1
39	Variability in transmission risk of SARS-CoV-2 in close contact settings: A contact tracing study in Shandong Province, China. <i>Epidemics</i> , 2022, 39, 100553.	3.0	13
40	Temporal changes in factors associated with COVID-19 vaccine hesitancy and uptake among adults in Hong Kong: Serial cross-sectional surveys. <i>The Lancet Regional Health - Western Pacific</i> , 2022, 23, 100441.	2.9	100
41	Remdesivir use and risks of acute kidney injury and acute liver injury among patients hospitalised with COVID-19: a self-controlled case series study. <i>Alimentary Pharmacology and Therapeutics</i> , 2022, 56, 121-130.	3.7	20
42	Shorter serial intervals and incubation periods in SARS-CoV-2 variants than the SARS-CoV-2 ancestral strain. <i>Journal of Travel Medicine</i> , 2022, 29, .	3.0	34
43	Slower Recovery with Early Lopinavir/Ritonavir use in Pediatric COVID-19 Patients: A Retrospective Observational Study. <i>Paediatric Drugs</i> , 2022, 24, 269.	3.1	3
44	Reproduction Number of the Omicron Variant Triples That of the Delta Variant. <i>Viruses</i> , 2022, 14, 821.	3.3	38
45	Public acceptability of COVID-19 control measures in Singapore, Hong Kong, and Malaysia: A cross-sectional survey. <i>International Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 120, 51-58.	3.3	6
46	Determining Existing Human Population Immunity as Part of Assessing Influenza Pandemic Risk. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 28, 977-985.	4.3	6
47	How repeated influenza vaccination effects might apply to COVID-19 vaccines. <i>Lancet Respiratory Medicine</i> , 2022, 10, 636-638.	10.7	9
48	Editorial: liver and kidney injury from remdesivir – an issue not as much as its purpose. Authors' reply. <i>Alimentary Pharmacology and Therapeutics</i> , 2022, 55, 1457-1458.	3.7	0
49	Selection for infectivity profiles in slow and fast epidemics, and the rise of SARS-CoV-2 variants. <i>ELife</i> , 2022, 11, .	6.0	8
50	Estimating excess septicaemia mortality and hospitalisation burden associated with influenza in Hong Kong, 1998 to 2019. <i>Epidemiology and Infection</i> , 2022, 150, .	2.1	0
51	Genomic epidemiology of seasonal influenza circulation in China during prolonged border closure from 2020 to 2021. <i>Virus Evolution</i> , 2022, 8, .	4.9	1
52	Systematic review and meta-analyses of superspreading of SARS-CoV-2 infections. <i>Transboundary and Emerging Diseases</i> , 2022, 69, .	3.0	7
53	Safety of an inactivated, whole-virion COVID-19 vaccine (CoronaVac) in people aged 60 years or older in Hong Kong: a modified self-controlled case series. <i>The Lancet Healthy Longevity</i> , 2022, 3, e491-e500.	4.6	24
54	Different Transmission Dynamics of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and Influenza Suggest the Relative Efficiency of Isolation/Quarantine and Social Distancing Against COVID-19 in China. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 73, e4305-e4311.	5.8	15

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55	Case Fatality Risk of the First Pandemic Wave of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in China. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 73, e79-e85.	5.8	50
56	Human Influenza Epidemiology. <i>Cold Spring Harbor Perspectives in Medicine</i> , 2021, 11, a038356.	6.2	15
57	The transfer and decay of maternal antibodies against enterovirus A71, and dynamics of antibodies due to later natural infections in Chinese infants: a longitudinal, paired mother–neonate cohort study. <i>Lancet Infectious Diseases</i> , The, 2021, 21, 418-426.	9.1	14
58	Multi-route respiratory infection: When a transmission route may dominate. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2021, 752, 141856.	8.0	41
59	Influenza Virus: Tracking, Predicting, and Forecasting. <i>Annual Review of Public Health</i> , 2021, 42, 43-57.	17.4	13
60	Human post-infection serological response to the spike and nucleocapsid proteins of SARS-CoV-2. <i>Influenza and Other Respiratory Viruses</i> , 2021, 15, 7-12.	3.4	4
61	Vaccination Uncertainties and COVID-19 Prospects in 2021. <i>China CDC Weekly</i> , 2021, 3, 150-152.	2.3	0
62	Repeated influenza vaccination provides cumulative protection from distinct H3N2 viruses. <i>Clinical and Translational Immunology</i> , 2021, 10, e1297.	3.8	5
63	Immunogenicity of standard, high-dose, MF59-adjuvanted, and recombinant-HA seasonal influenza vaccination in older adults. <i>Npj Vaccines</i> , 2021, 6, 25.	6.0	23
64	Clinical outcomes of different therapeutic options for COVID-19 in two Chinese case cohorts: A propensity-score analysis. <i>EClinicalMedicine</i> , 2021, 32, 100743.	7.1	24
65	Assessing Asymptomatic, Presymptomatic, and Symptomatic Transmission Risk of Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 73, e1314-e1320.	5.8	39
66	An investigation of Human Clonorchiasis prevalence in an Endemic County in Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region, China, 2016. <i>Food and Waterborne Parasitology</i> , 2021, 22, e00109.	2.7	4
67	Comparative cost-effectiveness of SARS-CoV-2 testing strategies in the USA: a modelling study. <i>Lancet Public Health</i> , The, 2021, 6, e184-e191.	10.0	106
68	COVID-19 Infection, Reinfection, and Vaccine Effectiveness in Arizona Frontline and Essential Workers: Protocol for a Longitudinal Cohort Study. <i>JMIR Research Protocols</i> , 2021, 10, e28925.	1.0	33
69	Decreased Use of Broad-Spectrum Antibiotics During the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Epidemic in South Korea. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 224, 949-955.	4.0	21
70	The Causal Interpretation of “Overall Vaccine Effectiveness” in Test-Negative Studies. <i>American Journal of Epidemiology</i> , 2021, 190, 1993-1999.	3.4	3
71	The impact of childhood pneumococcal conjugate vaccine immunisation on all-cause pneumonia admissions in Hong Kong: A 14-year population-based interrupted time series analysis. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2021, 39, 2628-2635.	3.8	4
72	Theoretical Framework for Retrospective Studies of the Effectiveness of SARS-CoV-2 Vaccines. <i>Epidemiology</i> , 2021, 32, 508-517.	2.7	84

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73	Gut microbiome and resistome changes during the first wave of the COVID-19 pandemic in comparison with pre-pandemic travel-related changes. <i>Journal of Travel Medicine</i> , 2021, 28, .	3.0	14
74	Upper Respiratory Infections in Schools and Childcare Centers Reopening after COVID-19 Dismissals, Hong Kong. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 27, 1525-1527.	4.3	27
75	Upper Respiratory Infections in Schools and Childcare Centers Reopening after COVID-19 Dismissals, Hong Kong. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 27, 1525-1527.	4.3	2
76	Transmission dynamics and control of two epidemic waves of SARS-CoV-2 in South Korea. <i>BMC Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 21, 485.	2.9	34
77	Serial Intervals and Case Isolation Delays for Coronavirus Disease 2019: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, , .	5.8	17
78	Probable airborne transmission of SARS-CoV-2 in a poorly ventilated restaurant. <i>Building and Environment</i> , 2021, 196, 107788.	6.9	367
79	Accounting for Imported Cases in Estimating the Time-Varying Reproductive Number of Coronavirus Disease 2019 in Hong Kong. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 224, 783-787.	4.0	13
80	The Incubation Period Distribution of Coronavirus Disease 2019: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 73, 2344-2352.	5.8	53
81	Analysing human population movement data for malaria control and elimination. <i>Malaria Journal</i> , 2021, 20, 294.	2.3	5
82	Modeling influenza seasonality in the tropics and subtropics. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , 2021, 17, e1009050.	3.2	24
83	Lack of cross-transmission of SARS-CoV-2 between passenger's cabins on the Diamond Princess cruise ship. <i>Building and Environment</i> , 2021, 198, 107839.	6.9	14
84	Evaluation of post-introduction COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness: Summary of interim guidance of the World Health Organization. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2021, 39, 4013-4024.	3.8	110
85	Fractionation of COVID-19 vaccine doses could extend limited supplies and reduce mortality. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 2021, 27, 1321-1323.	30.7	35
86	COVID-19 transmission in Hong Kong despite universal masking. <i>Journal of Infection</i> , 2021, 83, 92-95.	3.3	12
87	Assessing Community Vulnerability over 3 Waves of COVID-19 Pandemic, Hong Kong, China. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 27, 1935-1939.	4.3	11
88	The differential importation risks of COVID-19 from inbound travellers and the feasibility of targeted travel controls: A case study in Hong Kong. <i>The Lancet Regional Health - Western Pacific</i> , 2021, 13, 100184.	2.9	20
89	Influenza vaccine effectiveness against influenza-associated hospitalization in children in Hong Kong, 2010â€“2020. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2021, 39, 4842-4848.	3.8	5
90	Joint Estimation of Generation Time and Incubation Period for Coronavirus Disease 2019. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, , .	4.0	13

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91	Viral RNA and infectious influenza virus on mobile phones of influenza patients in Hong Kong and the United States. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, , .	4.0	5
92	A Research and Development (R&D) roadmap for influenza vaccines: Looking toward the future. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2021, 39, 6573-6584.	3.8	32
93	Air travel-related outbreak of multiple SARS-CoV-2 variants. <i>Journal of Travel Medicine</i> , 2021, 28, .	3.0	14
94	Diagnostic performance of different sampling approaches for SARS-CoV-2 RT-PCR testing: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Lancet Infectious Diseases</i> , The, 2021, 21, 1233-1245.	9.1	185
95	Comparative immunogenicity of mRNA and inactivated vaccines against COVID-19. <i>Lancet Microbe</i> , The, 2021, 2, e423.	7.3	112
96	Changing Disparities in Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Burden in the Ethnically Homogeneous Population of Hong Kong Through Pandemic Waves: An Observational Study. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 73, 2298-2305.	5.8	16
97	Neutralizing antibody titres in SARS-CoV-2 infections. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2021, 12, 63.	12.8	303
98	A Mixed-Methods Study to Evaluate Elementary School Staff's Acceptability, Delivery Challenges, and Communication Regarding the Implementation of School-Located Influenza Vaccination Program in Hong Kong. <i>Vaccines</i> , 2021, 9, 1175.	4.4	3
99	Monitoring key epidemiological parameters of SARS-CoV-2 transmission. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 2021, 27, 1854-1855.	30.7	28
100	Using secondary cases to characterize the severity of an emerging or re-emerging infection. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2021, 12, 6372.	12.8	7
101	Community psychological and behavioural responses to coronavirus disease 2019 over one year of the pandemic in 2020 in Hong Kong. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2021, 11, 22480.	3.3	14
102	Seroprevalence of Antibodies to SARS-CoV-2 in Guangdong Province, China between March to June 2020. <i>Pathogens</i> , 2021, 10, 1505.	2.8	1
103	Demographic and Epidemiological Contributions to Recent Trends in Cancer Incidence in Hong Kong. <i>Cancers</i> , 2021, 13, 5727.	3.7	2
104	CoronaVac efficacy data from Turkey. <i>Lancet</i> , The, 2021, 398, 1873-1874.	13.7	9
105	Use of DPP4i reduced odds of clinical deterioration and hyperinflammatory syndrome in COVID-19 patients with type 2 diabetes: propensity score analysis of a territory-wide cohort in Hong Kong. <i>Diabetes and Metabolism</i> , 2021, 48, 101307.	2.9	8
106	Symptom-specific health-seeking behaviour for common infectious diseases and implications in disease control and surveillance: abridged secondary publication. <i>Hong Kong Medical Journal</i> , 2021, 27 Suppl 2, 44-47.	0.1	0
107	Deciphering early-warning signals of SARS-CoV-2 elimination and resurgence from limited data at multiple scales. <i>Journal of the Royal Society Interface</i> , 2021, 18, 20210569.	3.4	22
108	Effective risk management strategy prevented severe acute respiratory coronavirus virus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) transmission in three private hospitals in Hong Kong throughout the pandemic. <i>Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology</i> , 2021, , 1-2.	1.8	0

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109	Pandemic fatigue and attenuated impact of avoidance behaviours against COVID-19 transmission in Hong Kong by cross-sectional telephone surveys. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2021, 11, e055909.	1.9	17
110	Turning influenza vaccinology on its head to reveal the stalk. <i>Lancet Infectious Diseases</i> , The, 2020, 20, 5-7.	9.1	4
111	Distinguishing Causation from Correlation in the Use of Correlates of Protection to Evaluate and Develop Influenza Vaccines. <i>American Journal of Epidemiology</i> , 2020, 189, 185-192.	3.4	7
112	The Effect of Influenza Vaccination History on Changes in Hemagglutination Inhibition Titers After Receipt of the 2015â€“2016 Influenza Vaccine in Older Adults in Hong Kong. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 221, 33-41.	4.0	11
113	Maternal Antibodies Against Influenza in Cord Blood and Protection Against Laboratory-Confirmed Influenza in Infants. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 71, 1741-1748.	5.8	6
114	Testing an integrative theory of health behavioural change for predicting seasonal influenza vaccination uptake among healthcare workers. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2020, 38, 690-698.	3.8	43
115	Hand hygiene and surface cleaning should be paired for prevention of fomite transmission. <i>Indoor Air</i> , 2020, 30, 49-59.	4.3	24
116	Depression and post-traumatic stress during major social unrest in Hong Kong: a 10-year prospective cohort study. <i>Lancet</i> , The, 2020, 395, 273-284.	13.7	193
117	Knowledge, Attitudes, and Behaviors (KAB) of Influenza Vaccination in China: A Cross-Sectional Study in 2017/2018. <i>Vaccines</i> , 2020, 8, 7.	4.4	23
118	Comparative Immunogenicity of Several Enhanced Influenza Vaccine Options for Older Adults: A Randomized, Controlled Trial. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 71, 1704-1714.	5.8	67
119	The Use of Test-negative Controls to Monitor Vaccine Effectiveness. <i>Epidemiology</i> , 2020, 31, 43-64.	2.7	102
120	The heterogeneity of influenza seasonality by subtype and lineage in China. <i>Journal of Infection</i> , 2020, 80, 469-496.	3.3	6
121	Burden of influenzaâ€“associated outpatient influenzaâ€“like illness consultations in China, 2006â€“2015: A populationâ€“based study. <i>Influenza and Other Respiratory Viruses</i> , 2020, 14, 162-172.	3.4	42
122	Surveillance of swine influenza viruses in sentinel familial farms in Hung Yen province in Northern Vietnam in 2013â€“2014. <i>Zoonoses and Public Health</i> , 2020, 67, 213-221.	2.2	2
123	Effect of Nonpharmaceutical Interventions on Transmission of Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2, South Korea, 2020. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 26, 2406-2410.	4.3	44
124	The impact of influenza vaccination on the COVID-19 pandemic? Evidence and lessons for public health policies. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2020, 38, 6485-6486.	3.8	31
125	Nowcasting (Short-Term Forecasting) of Influenza Epidemics in Local Settings, Sweden, 2008â€“2019. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 26, 2669-2677.	4.3	1
126	Serial interval of SARS-CoV-2 was shortened over time by nonpharmaceutical interventions. <i>Science</i> , 2020, 369, 1106-1109.	12.6	303

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127	Meteorological drivers of respiratory syncytial virus infections in Singapore. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2020, 10, 20469.	3.3	10
128	Serological evidence of human infections with highly pathogenic avian influenza A(H5N1) virus: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>BMC Medicine</i> , 2020, 18, 377.	5.5	14
129	Influenza vaccination effectiveness in preventing influenza hospitalization in children, Hong Kong, winter 2019/20. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2020, 38, 8078-8081.	3.8	4
130	Enterovirus genomic load and disease severity among children hospitalised with hand, foot and mouth disease. <i>EBioMedicine</i> , 2020, 62, 103078.	6.1	16
131	Comparison of alternative full and brief versions of functional status scales among older adults in China. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2020, 15, e0234698.	2.5	1
132	Using the COVID-19 to influenza ratio to estimate early pandemic spread in Wuhan, China and Seattle, US. <i>EClinicalMedicine</i> , 2020, 26, 100479.	7.1	19
133	Anxiety levels, precautionary behaviours and public perceptions during the early phase of the COVID-19 outbreak in China: a population-based cross-sectional survey. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2020, 10, e040910.	1.9	93
134	Beyond clinical trials: Evolutionary and epidemiological considerations for development of a universal influenza vaccine. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2020, 16, e1008583.	4.7	22
135	Short- and potential long-term adverse health outcomes of COVID-19: a rapid review. <i>Emerging Microbes and Infections</i> , 2020, 9, 2190-2199.	6.5	146
136	Clustering and superspreading potential of SARS-CoV-2 infections in Hong Kong. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 2020, 26, 1714-1719.	30.7	507
137	Ecologic association between influenza and COVID-19 mortality rates in European countries. <i>Epidemiology and Infection</i> , 2020, 148, e209.	2.1	8
138	A population-based study on healthcare-seeking behaviour of persons with symptoms of respiratory and gastrointestinal-related infections in Hong Kong. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2020, 20, 402.	2.9	24
139	Comparative Reactogenicity of Enhanced Influenza Vaccines in Older Adults. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 222, 1383-1391.	4.0	13
140	A sixâ€plex droplet digital RTâ€PCR assay for seasonal influenza virus typing, subtyping, and lineage determination. <i>Influenza and Other Respiratory Viruses</i> , 2020, 14, 720-729.	3.4	14
141	What influenza vaccination programmes are preferred by healthcare personnel? A discrete choice experiment. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2020, 38, 4557-4563.	3.8	22
142	Dynamic interactions of influenza viruses in Hong Kong during 1998-2018. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , 2020, 16, e1007989.	3.2	26
143	Reconstruction of Transmission Pairs for Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in Mainland China: Estimation of Superspreading Events, Serial Interval, and Hazard of Infection. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 71, 3163-3167.	5.8	91
144	Presence of Influenza Virus on Touch Surfaces in Kindergartens and Primary Schools. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 222, 1329-1333.	4.0	18

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145	Rational use of face masks in the COVID-19 pandemic. Lancet Respiratory Medicine, 2020, 8, 434-436.	10.7	1,000
146	Detection of Covid-19 in Children in Early January 2020 in Wuhan, China. New England Journal of Medicine, 2020, 382, 1370-1371.	27.0	586
147	Avian Influenza Human Infections at the Human-Animal Interface. Journal of Infectious Diseases, 2020, 222, 528-537.	4.0	56
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