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1	Global prevalence and genotype distribution of hepatitis C virus infection in 2015: a modelling study. <i>The Lancet Gastroenterology and Hepatology</i> , 2017, 2, 161-176.	8.1	1,619
2	Global prevalence, treatment, and prevention of hepatitis B virus infection in 2016: a modelling study. <i>The Lancet Gastroenterology and Hepatology</i> , 2018, 3, 383-403.	8.1	1,241
3	Carbapenemase-Producing <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> Bloodstream Infections: Lowering Mortality by Antibiotic Combination Schemes and the Role of Carbapenems. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2014, 58, 2322-2328.	3.2	520
4	PAGE-B predicts the risk of developing hepatocellular carcinoma in Caucasians with chronic hepatitis B on 5-year antiviral therapy. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2016, 64, 800-806.	3.7	358
5	The risk of hepatocellular carcinoma decreases after the first 5 years of entecavir or tenofovir in Caucasians with chronic hepatitis B. <i>Hepatology</i> , 2017, 66, 1444-1453.	7.3	239
6	The Effectiveness of a 9-Month Regimen of Isoniazid Alone versus 3- and 4-Month Regimens of Isoniazid plus Rifampin for Treatment of Latent Tuberculosis Infection in Children: Results of an 11-Year Randomized Study. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2007, 45, 715-722.	5.8	238
7	Hepatitis C virus prevalence and level of intervention required to achieve the WHO targets for elimination in the European Union by 2030: a modelling study. <i>The Lancet Gastroenterology and Hepatology</i> , 2017, 2, 325-336.	8.1	208
8	Impact of Hepatitis B Virus Infection on the Progression of AIDS and Mortality in HIV-Infected Individuals: A Cohort Study and Meta-Analysis. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2009, 48, 1763-1771.	5.8	193
9	aMAP risk score predicts hepatocellular carcinoma development in patients with chronic hepatitis. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2020, 73, 1368-1378.	3.7	158
10	Incidence and predictors of hepatocellular carcinoma in Caucasian chronic hepatitis B patients receiving entecavir or tenofovir. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2015, 62, 363-370.	3.7	138
11	Homelessness, unstable housing, and risk of HIV and hepatitis C virus acquisition among people who inject drugs: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Lancet Public Health</i> , The, 2021, 6, e309-e323.	10.0	99
12	Economic Recession and Emergence of an HIV-1 Outbreak among Drug Injectors in Athens Metropolitan Area: A Longitudinal Study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e78941.	2.5	97
13	Eight-year survival in chronic hepatitis B patients under long-term entecavir or tenofovir therapy is similar to the general population. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2018, 68, 1129-1136.	3.7	88
14	Melanocortin Receptor-1 Gene Polymorphisms and the Risk of Cutaneous Melanoma in a Low-Risk Southern European Population. <i>Journal of Investigative Dermatology</i> , 2006, 126, 1842-1849.	0.7	85
15	Hepatocellular carcinoma prediction beyond year 5 of oral therapy in a large cohort of Caucasian patients with chronic hepatitis B. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2020, 72, 1088-1096.	3.7	75
16	The Impact of the Heptavalent Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine on the Epidemiology of Acute Otitis Media Complicated by Otorrhea. <i>Pediatric Infectious Disease Journal</i> , 2011, 30, 551-555.	2.0	71
17	Similar risk of hepatocellular carcinoma during long-term entecavir or tenofovir therapy in Caucasian patients with chronic hepatitis B. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2020, 73, 1037-1045.	3.7	69
18	Increasing Prevalence of HIV-1 Subtype A in Greece: Estimating Epidemic History and Origin. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2007, 196, 1167-1176.	4.0	68

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19	In vivo characteristics of human immunodeficiency virus type 1 intersubtype recombination: determination of hot spots and correlation with sequence similarity. <i>Journal of General Virology</i> , 2003, 84, 2715-2722.	2.9	63
20	Incidence and patterns of hepatitis C virus seroconversion in a cohort of hemodialysis patients ¹ . <i>American Journal of Kidney Diseases</i> , 2005, 45, 334-343.	1.9	63
21	Design and baseline findings of a large-scale rapid response to an HIV outbreak in people who inject drugs in Athens, Greece: the ARISTOTLE programme. <i>Addiction</i> , 2015, 110, 1453-1467.	3.3	62
22	HIV outbreaks among people who inject drugs in Europe, North America, and Israel. <i>Lancet HIV</i> , 2020, 7, e434-e442.	4.7	62
23	A network intervention that locates and intervenes with recently HIV-infected persons: The Transmission Reduction Intervention Project (TRIP). <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2016, 6, 38100.	3.3	60
24	Integrating Phylodynamics and Epidemiology to Estimate Transmission Diversity in Viral Epidemics. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , 2013, 9, e1002876.	3.2	57
25	Transmission Dynamics of Carbapenemase-Producing <i>Klebsiella Pneumoniae</i> and Anticipated Impact of Infection Control Strategies in a Surgical Unit. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2012, 7, e41068.	2.5	52
26	Homelessness and Other Risk Factors for HIV Infection in the Current Outbreak Among Injection Drug Users in Athens, Greece. <i>American Journal of Public Health</i> , 2015, 105, 196-204.	2.7	50
27	The global campaign to eliminate HBV and HCV infection: International Viral Hepatitis Elimination Meeting and core indicators for development towards the 2030 elimination goals. <i>Journal of Virus Eradication</i> , 2019, 5, 60-66.	0.5	49
28	Rapid decline of HIV incidence among people who inject drugs during a fast-track combination prevention programme following an HIV outbreak in Athens. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2017, 215, 1496-1505.	4.0	48
29	Incidence of liver- and non-liver-related outcomes in patients with HCV-cirrhosis after SVR. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2022, 76, 302-310.	3.7	48
30	An artificial intelligence model to predict hepatocellular carcinoma risk in Korean and Caucasian patients with chronic hepatitis B. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2022, 76, 311-318.	3.7	48
31	Big Events in Greece and HIV Infection Among People Who Inject Drugs. <i>Substance Use and Misuse</i> , 2015, 50, 825-838.	1.4	47
32	Antibodies against SARS-CoV-2 among health care workers in a country with low burden of COVID-19. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2020, 15, e0243025.	2.5	45
33	The Course of Hepatitis C Virus Infection in Pretransplantation Anti-Hepatitis C Virus-Negative Renal Transplant Recipients: A Retrospective Follow-Up Study. <i>American Journal of Kidney Diseases</i> , 2006, 47, 309-316.	1.9	42
34	Treatment and primary prevention in people who inject drugs for chronic hepatitis C infection: is elimination possible in a high-prevalence setting?. <i>Addiction</i> , 2017, 112, 1290-1299.	3.3	42
35	Low-Dose IFN- α Monotherapy in Treatment-Naive Individuals with HIV-1 Infection: Evidence of Potent Suppression of Viral Replication. <i>Journal of Interferon and Cytokine Research</i> , 2001, 21, 861-869.	1.2	41
36	Socially-Integrated Transdisciplinary HIV Prevention. <i>AIDS and Behavior</i> , 2014, 18, 1821-1834.	2.7	39

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37	Epidemiologic risk factors of basal cell carcinoma development and age at onset in a Southern European population from Greece. <i>Experimental Dermatology</i> , 2011, 20, 622-626.	2.9	38
38	National Income Inequality and Declining GDP Growth Rates Are Associated with Increases in HIV Diagnoses among People Who Inject Drugs in Europe: A Panel Data Analysis. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2015, 10, e0122367.	2.5	37
39	Evaluation of the clinical sensitivity for the quantification of human immunodeficiency virus type 1 RNA in plasma: Comparison of the new COBAS TaqMan HIV-1 with three current HIV-RNA assaysâ€”LCx HIV RNA quantitative, VERSANT HIV-1 RNA 3.0 (bDNA) and COBAS AMPLICOR HIV-1 Monitor v1.5. <i>Journal of Virological Methods</i> . 2006, 131, 168-174.	2.1	36
40	Risk associations of melanoma in a Southern European population: results of a case/control study. <i>Cancer Causes and Control</i> , 2008, 19, 671-679.	1.8	36
41	Enhanced HIV-1 surveillance using molecular epidemiology to study and monitor HIV-1 outbreaks among intravenous drug users (IDUs) in Athens and Bucharest. <i>Infection, Genetics and Evolution</i> , 2015, 35, 109-121.	2.3	36
42	The global campaign to eliminate HBV and HCV infection: International Viral Hepatitis Elimination Meeting and core indicators for development towards the 2030 elimination goals. <i>Journal of Virus Eradication</i> , 2019, 5, 60-66.	0.5	34
43	Monitoring quality and coverage of harm reduction services for people who use drugs: a consensus study. <i>Harm Reduction Journal</i> , 2017, 14, 19.	3.2	33
44	Assessing the impact of biomedical research in academic institutions of disparate sizes. <i>BMC Medical Research Methodology</i> , 2009, 9, 33.	3.1	31
45	Early hCG addition to rFSH for ovarian stimulation in IVF provides better results and the cDNA copies of the hCG receptor may be an indicator of successful stimulation. <i>Reproductive Biology and Endocrinology</i> , 2009, 7, 110.	3.3	31
46	Effects of Social Distancing Measures during the First Epidemic Wave of Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Infection, Greece. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 27, 452-462.	4.3	31
47	Outbreaks of SARS-CoV-2 in naturally infected mink farms: Impact, transmission dynamics, genetic patterns, and environmental contamination. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2021, 17, e1009883.	4.7	26
48	Hepatic progenitor cells in chronic hepatitis C: a phenomenon of older age and advanced liver disease. <i>Virchows Archiv Fur Pathologische Anatomie Und Physiologie Und Fur Klinische Medizin</i> , 2010, 457, 457-466.	2.8	25
49	Network Characteristics of People Who Inject Drugs Within a New HIV Epidemic Following Austerity in Athens, Greece. <i>Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes (1999)</i> , 2015, 69, 499-508.	2.1	24
50	HCV elimination among people who inject drugs. Modelling pre- and postâ€”WHO elimination era. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2018, 13, e0202109.	2.5	24
51	Development of a new ultra sensitive real-time PCR assay (ultra sensitive RTQ-PCR) for the quantification of HBV-DNA. <i>Virology Journal</i> , 2010, 7, 57.	3.4	23
52	Sun exposure behavior and protection practices in a Mediterranean population: a questionnaireâ€”based study. <i>Photodermatology Photoimmunology and Photomedicine</i> , 2009, 25, 132-137.	1.5	21
53	Human herpesvirus 8 (HHV-8) infection in healthy urban employees from Greece: Seroprevalence and associated factors. <i>Journal of Medical Virology</i> , 2007, 79, 591-596.	5.0	19
54	Molecular Tracing of the Geographical Origin of Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 Infection and Patterns of Epidemic Spread Among Migrants Who Inject Drugs in Athens. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2017, 65, 2078-2084.	5.8	19

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55	Prevalence of different HPV types and estimation of prognostic risk factors based on the linear array HPV genotyping test. <i>Journal of Medical Virology</i> , 2009, 81, 2059-2065.	5.0	18
56	Molecular Analysis of Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 (HIV-1)â€“Infected Individuals in a Network-Based Intervention (Transmission Reduction Intervention Project): Phylogenetics Identify HIV-1â€“Infected Individuals With Social Links. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 218, 707-715.	4.0	18
57	Trends in COVID-19 Vaccination Intent, Determinants and Reasons for Vaccine Hesitancy: Results from Repeated Cross-Sectional Surveys in the Adult General Population of Greece during November 2020â€“June 2021. <i>Vaccines</i> , 2022, 10, 470.	4.4	18
58	Significance of IgM anti-HCVcore level in chronic hepatitis C. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 1997, 27, 36-41.	3.7	17
59	Seasonal pattern of the diagnosis of cutaneous melanoma: a hospitalâ€“based study in a Mediterranean country. <i>International Journal of Dermatology</i> , 2007, 46, 1136-1140.	1.0	13
60	Economic evaluation of the hepatitis C elimination strategy in Greece in the era of affordable direct-acting antivirals. <i>World Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2019, 25, 1327-1340.	3.3	13
61	Modelling SARS-CoV-2 Binding Antibody Waning 8 Months after BNT162b2 Vaccination. <i>Vaccines</i> , 2022, 10, 285.	4.4	13
62	Human Herpesvirus 8 Infection in Hemodialysis Patients. <i>American Journal of Kidney Diseases</i> , 2006, 47, 167-170.	1.9	12
63	The interferon receptorâ€“1 promoter polymorphisms affect the outcome of Caucasians with <sc>HB</sc>eAgâ€“negative chronic <sc>HBV</sc> infection. <i>Liver International</i> , 2015, 35, 2506-2513.	3.9	12
64	Estimating the Disease Burden of 2009 Pandemic Influenza A(H1N1) from Surveillance and Household Surveys in Greece. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2011, 6, e20593.	2.5	12
65	Head-to-Head Comparison of Response Rates to the Two mRNA SARS-CŒV-2 Vaccines in a Large Cohort of Solid Organ Transplant (SOT) Recipients. <i>Vaccines</i> , 2022, 10, 190.	4.4	12
66	Molecular investigation of HIV-1 cross-group transmissions during an outbreak among people who inject drugs (2011â€“2014) in Athens, Greece. <i>Infection, Genetics and Evolution</i> , 2018, 62, 11-16.	2.3	11
67	Age-dependent effects on infectivity and susceptibility to SARS-CoV-2 infection: results from nationwide contact tracing data in Greece. <i>Infectious Diseases</i> , 2022, 54, 186-195.	2.8	11
68	A study of a single variant allele (rs1426654) of the pigmentationâ€“related gene SLC24A5 in Greek subjects. <i>Experimental Dermatology</i> , 2009, 18, 175-177.	2.9	10
69	Is elimination of HCV possible in a country with low diagnostic rate and moderate HCV prevalence?: The case of Greece. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology (Australia)</i> , 2017, 32, 466-472.	2.8	10
70	Containing Carbapenemase-producing <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> in an endemic setting. <i>Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Control</i> , 2020, 9, 102.	4.1	10
71	Comparative Immunogenicity of BNT162b2 mRNA Vaccine with Natural SARS-CoV-2 Infection. <i>Vaccines</i> , 2021, 9, 1017.	4.4	10
72	IFN-Œ2b Monotherapy in Patients with Chronic Hepatitis C and Persistently Normal or Near Normal Aminotransferase Activity: A Randomized, Controlled Study. <i>Journal of Interferon and Cytokine Research</i> , 2002, 22, 365-369.	1.2	9

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73	Comparison of three current viral load assays for the quantitation of human immunodeficiency virus type 1 RNA in plasma. <i>Journal of Virological Methods</i> , 2004, 121, 93-99.	2.1	9
74	Impact of HBeAg on Hepatocellular Carcinoma Risk During Oral Antiviral Treatment in Patients With Chronic Hepatitis B. <i>Clinical Gastroenterology and Hepatology</i> , 2022, 20, 1343-1353.e16.	4.4	9
75	Comparative evaluation of the performance of the Abbott RealTime HIV-1 assay for measurement of HIV-1 plasma viral load on genetically diverse samples from Greece. <i>Virology Journal</i> , 2011, 8, 10.	3.4	8
76	High-risk behaviors and their association with awareness of HIV status among participants of a large-scale prevention intervention in Athens, Greece. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2020, 20, 105.	2.9	8
77	Molecular Epidemiology of SARS-CoV-2 in Greece Reveals Low Rates of Onward Virus Transmission after Lifting of Travel Restrictions Based on Risk Assessment during Summer 2020. <i>MSphere</i> , 2021, 6, e0018021.	2.9	8
78	Modelling of viral dynamics in hepatitis B and hepatitis C clinical trials. <i>Statistics in Medicine</i> , 2008, 27, 6505-6521.	1.6	7
79	A hepatitis C outbreak preceded the HIV outbreak among persons who inject drugs in Athens, Greece: Insights from a mathematical modelling study. <i>Journal of Viral Hepatitis</i> , 2019, 26, 1311-1317.	2.0	7
80	Why do HIV outbreaks re-emerge among people who inject drugs?. <i>Lancet HIV</i> , 2019, 6, e274-e275.	4.7	7
81	Aiming towards hepatitis C virus elimination in Greece. <i>Annals of Gastroenterology</i> , 2019, 32, 321-329.	0.6	7
82	A Proposed Etiology for an Aberrant Response to Enteric Adenovirus Infection in Previously SARS-CoV-2-Infected Children With Acute Hepatitis. <i>Journal of the Pediatric Infectious Diseases Society</i> , 2022, 11, 352-353.	1.3	7
83	Time of acquisition of HCV infection in renal transplant recipients: a major prognostic factor for disease progression. <i>Clinical Transplantation</i> , 2013, 27, 72-79.	1.6	6
84	A case-control study of MC1R variants in Greek patients with basal cell carcinoma: increased risk independently of pigmentary characteristics. <i>Experimental Dermatology</i> , 2015, 24, 476-478.	2.9	5
85	Predictive performance of newer Asian hepatocellular carcinoma risk scores in treated Caucasians with chronic hepatitis B. <i>JHEP Reports</i> , 2021, 3, 100290.	4.9	5
86	Design and Development of a Viral Hepatitis and HIV Infection Screening Program (Hprolipsis) for the General, Greek Roma, and Migrant Populations of Greece: Protocol for Three Cross-Sectional Health Examination Surveys. <i>JMIR Research Protocols</i> , 2020, 9, e13578.	1.0	5
87	Evaluating the effects of second-dose vaccine-delay policies in European countries: A simulation study based on data from Greece. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2022, 17, e0263977.	2.5	5
88	Sexual Mixing and HIV Transmission Potential Among Greek Men Who have Sex with Men: Results from SOPHOCLES. <i>AIDS and Behavior</i> , 2021, 25, 1935-1945.	2.7	4
89	Validation of molecular clock inferred HIV infection ages: Evidence for accurate estimation of infection dates. <i>Infection, Genetics and Evolution</i> , 2021, 91, 104799.	2.3	4
90	Ongoing HIV transmission following a large outbreak among people who inject drugs in Athens, Greece (2014-20). <i>Addiction</i> , 2022, 117, 1670-1682.	3.3	4

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91	Univariable associations between a history of incarceration and HIV and HCV prevalence among people who inject drugs across 17 countries in Europe 2006 to 2020 – is the precautionary principle applicable?. <i>Eurosurveillance</i> , 2021, 26, .	7.0	4
92	Histological features of chronic hepatitis C in haemodialysis patients. <i>Liver International</i> , 2014, 34, e56-61.	3.9	3
93	Living in Roma Settlements in Greece: Self-Perceived Health Status, Chronic Diseases and Associated Social Determinants of Health. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2021, 18, 8403.	2.6	2
94	Presenting a conceptual framework for an HIV prevention and care continuum and assessing the feasibility of empirical measurement in Estonia: A case study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2020, 15, e0240224.	2.5	2
95	Dating the Origin and Estimating the Transmission Rates of the Major HIV-1 Clusters in Greece: Evidence about the Earliest Subtype A1 Epidemic in Europe. <i>Viruses</i> , 2022, 14, 101.	3.3	2
96	Is Mandatory Vaccination in Population over 60 Adequate to Control the COVID-19 Pandemic in E.U.?. <i>Vaccines</i> , 2022, 10, 329.	4.4	2
97	Modeling the impact of interventions during an outbreak of HIV infection among people who inject drugs in 2012–2013 in Athens, Greece.. <i>Drug and Alcohol Dependence</i> , 2022, 234, 109396.	3.2	2
98	THU-427-A community-based fast-track seek-test-treat program to enhance diagnosis and linkage to care for hepatitis C infection among people who inject drugs in Athens, Greece (ARISTOTLE HCV-HIV) Tj ETQq0 0 0 rgBT30verlock110 Tf 50 4		
99	Reply to: “Similar risk of hepatocellular carcinoma during long-term entecavir or tenofovir therapy in Caucasian patients with chronic hepatitis B” <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2021, 74, 246-247.	3.7	1
100	Food insecurity among people who inject drugs in Athens, Greece: a study in the context of ARISTOTLE programme. <i>Public Health Nutrition</i> , 2021, 24, 813-818.	2.2	1
101	Pre-exposure Prophylaxis Persistence Among Greek Sexual Minority Men: Results from PrEP for Greece (P4G) Study. <i>AIDS and Behavior</i> , 2021, , 1.	2.7	1
102	Identifying Country-Level Risk Factors for the Spread of COVID-19 in Europe Using Machine Learning. <i>Viruses</i> , 2022, 14, 625.	3.3	1
103	The Emotion of Disgust among Medical and Psychology Students. <i>Diseases (Basel, Switzerland)</i> , 2020, 8, 43.	2.5	0
104	<i>Epidemiology: Modeling of Natural History.</i> , 2021, , 175-188.		0
105	Knowledge, Normative Beliefs and Attitudes Related to Recent HIV Infection among People who Inject Drugs in Athens, Greece. <i>Current HIV Research</i> , 2018, 15, 386-395.	0.5	0
106	A Network Approach to Determine Optimization of PrEP Uptake in Athens, Greece. <i>AIDS and Behavior</i> , 2022, , 1.	2.7	0
107	Antibodies against SARS-CoV-2 among health care workers in a country with low burden of COVID-19. , 2020, 15, e0243025.		0
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