List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	Article	IF	CITATIONS
1	The effect of travel restrictions on the spread of the 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak. Science, 2020, 368, 395-400.	6.0	2,784
2	Changes in contact patterns shape the dynamics of the COVID-19 outbreak in China. Science, 2020, 368, 1481-1486.	6.0	942
3	Hand, foot, and mouth disease in China, 2008–12: an epidemiological study. Lancet Infectious Diseases, The, 2014, 14, 308-318.	4.6	755
4	Synchrony, Waves, and Spatial Hierarchies in the Spread of Influenza. Science, 2006, 312, 447-451.	6.0	726
5	Evolving epidemiology and transmission dynamics of coronavirus disease 2019 outside Hubei province, China: a descriptive and modelling study. Lancet Infectious Diseases, The, 2020, 20, 793-802.	4.6	541
6	Modeling infectious disease dynamics in the complex landscape of global health. Science, 2015, 347, aaa4339.	6.0	492
7	Impact of Influenza Vaccination on Seasonal Mortality in the US Elderly Population. Archives of Internal Medicine, 2005, 165, 265.	4.3	457
8	Environmental Predictors of Seasonal Influenza Epidemics across Temperate and Tropical Climates. PLoS Pathogens, 2013, 9, e1003194.	2.1	416
9	Early epidemiological analysis of the coronavirus disease 2019 outbreak based on crowdsourced data: a population-level observational study. The Lancet Digital Health, 2020, 2, e201-e208.	5.9	406
10	Transmission characteristics of MERS and SARS in the healthcare setting: a comparative study. BMC Medicine, 2015, 13, 210.	2.3	384
11	Estimation of Excess Deaths Associated With the COVID-19 Pandemic in the United States, March to May 2020. JAMA Internal Medicine, 2020, 180, 1336.	2.6	374
12	Influenza in Tropical Regions. PLoS Medicine, 2006, 3, e89.	3.9	363
13	Transmission heterogeneities, kinetics, and controllability of SARS-CoV-2. Science, 2021, 371, .	6.0	341
14	Latitudinal Variations in Seasonal Activity of Influenza and Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV): A Global Comparative Review. PLoS ONE, 2013, 8, e54445.	1.1	317
15	Mathematical models to characterize early epidemic growth: A review. Physics of Life Reviews, 2016, 18, 66-97.	1.5	297
16	Reassessing Google Flu Trends Data for Detection of Seasonal and Pandemic Influenza: A Comparative Epidemiological Study at Three Geographic Scales. PLoS Computational Biology, 2013, 9, e1003256.	1.5	273
17	Urbanization and humidity shape the intensity of influenza epidemics in U.S. cities. Science, 2018, 362, 75-79.	6.0	272
18	Risk factors of influenza transmission in households. British Journal of General Practice, 2004, 54, 684-9.	0.7	241

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19	A generalized-growth model to characterize the early ascending phase of infectious disease outbreaks. Epidemics, 2016, 15, 27-37.	1.5	237
20	Mortality due to Influenza in the United States—An Annualized Regression Approach Using Multiple-Cause Mortality Data. American Journal of Epidemiology, 2006, 163, 181-187.	1.6	230
21	Characterizing the Epidemiology of the 2009 Influenza A/H1N1 Pandemic in Mexico. PLoS Medicine, 2011, 8, e1000436.	3.9	200
22	Influenza seasonality: Lifting the fog. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2009, 106, 3645-3646.	3.3	197
23	Multinational Impact of the 1968 Hong Kong Influenza Pandemic: Evidence for a Smoldering Pandemic. Journal of Infectious Diseases, 2005, 192, 233-248.	1.9	194
24	Serological evidence of human infection with SARS-CoV-2: a systematic review and meta-analysis. The Lancet Global Health, 2021, 9, e598-e609.	2.9	193
25	The RAPIDD ebola forecasting challenge: Synthesis and lessons learnt. Epidemics, 2018, 22, 13-21.	1.5	185
26	Preliminary Estimates of Mortality and Years of Life Lost Associated with the 2009 A/H1N1 Pandemic in the US and Comparison with Past Influenza Seasons. PLOS Currents, 2010, 2, RRN1153.	1.4	177
27	The Genesis and Spread of Reassortment Human Influenza A/H3N2 Viruses Conferring Adamantane Resistance. Molecular Biology and Evolution, 2007, 24, 1811-1820.	3.5	174
28	Human mobility and the spatial transmission of influenza in the United States. PLoS Computational Biology, 2017, 13, e1005382.	1.5	174
29	Global Mortality Impact of the 1957–1959 Influenza Pandemic. Journal of Infectious Diseases, 2016, 213, 738-745.	1.9	166
30	Association between Respiratory Syncytial Virus Activity and Pneumococcal Disease in Infants: A Time Series Analysis of US Hospitalization Data. PLoS Medicine, 2015, 12, e1001776.	3.9	143
31	Improving the Estimation of Influenza-Related Mortality Over a Seasonal Baseline. Epidemiology, 2012, 23, 829-838.	1.2	140
32	Global, regional, and national estimates of target population sizes for covid-19 vaccination: descriptive study. BMJ, The, 2020, 371, m4704.	3.0	140
33	Spatial Transmission of 2009 Pandemic Influenza in the US. PLoS Computational Biology, 2014, 10, e1003635.	1.5	139
34	Using phenomenological models for forecasting the 2015 Ebola challenge. Epidemics, 2018, 22, 62-70.	1.5	129
35	Global migration of influenza A viruses in swine. Nature Communications, 2015, 6, 6696.	5.8	128
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37	Using Phenomenological Models to Characterize Transmissibility and Forecast Patterns and Final Burden of Zika Epidemics. PLOS Currents, 2016, 8, .	1.4	123
38	Influenza Epidemics in the United States, France, and Australia, 1972–19971. Emerging Infectious Diseases, 2004, 10, 32-39.	2.0	121
39	Infectivity, susceptibility, and risk factors associated with SARS-CoV-2 transmission under intensive contact tracing in Hunan, China. Nature Communications, 2021, 12, 1533.	5.8	117
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41	Infectious Disease Surveillance in the Big Data Era: Towards Faster and Locally Relevant Systems. Journal of Infectious Diseases, 2016, 214, S380-S385.	1.9	109
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44	Characterizing the reproduction number of epidemics with early subexponential growth dynamics. Journal of the Royal Society Interface, 2016, 13, 20160659.	1.5	101
45	Risk factors of influenza transmission in households. International Congress Series, 2004, 1263, 291-294.	0.2	97
46	The origin and global emergence of adamantane resistant A/H3N2 influenza viruses. Virology, 2009, 388, 270-278.	1.1	96
47	Childhood immune imprinting to influenza A shapes birth year-specific risk during seasonal H1N1 and H3N2 epidemics. PLoS Pathogens, 2019, 15, e1008109.	2.1	95
48	Evaluating Google Flu Trends in Latin America: Important Lessons for the Next Phase of Digital Disease Detection. Clinical Infectious Diseases, 2017, 64, 34-41.	2.9	88
49	Disease burden and clinical severity of the first pandemic wave of COVID-19 in Wuhan, China. Nature Communications, 2020, 11, 5411.	5.8	84
50	The Western Africa Ebola Virus Disease Epidemic Exhibits Both Global Exponential and Local Polynomial Growth Rates. PLOS Currents, 2015, 7, .	1.4	84
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54	Epidemic dynamics of respiratory syncytial virus in current and future climates. Nature Communications, 2019, 10, 5512.	5.8	78

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55	SARS-CoV-2 incidence, transmission, and reinfection in a rural and an urban setting: results of the PHIRST-C cohort study, South Africa, 2020–21. Lancet Infectious Diseases, The, 2022, 22, 821-834.	4.6	74
56	Perspectives on model forecasts of the 2014–2015 Ebola epidemic in West Africa: lessons and the way forward. BMC Medicine, 2017, 15, 42.	2.3	63
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58	Global mortality of 2009 pandemic influenza A H1N1. Lancet Infectious Diseases, The, 2012, 12, 651-653.	4.6	61
59	Cryptic transmission of SARS-CoV-2 and the first COVID-19 wave. Nature, 2021, 600, 127-132.	13.7	61
60	Impact of cross-protective vaccines on epidemiological and evolutionary dynamics of influenza. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2012, 109, 3173-3177.	3.3	60
61	Demonstrating the Use of High-Volume Electronic Medical Claims Data to Monitor Local and Regional Influenza Activity in the US. PLoS ONE, 2014, 9, e102429.	1.1	59
62	Who should be prioritized for COVID-19 vaccination in China? A descriptive study. BMC Medicine, 2021, 19, 45.	2.3	56
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68	Air Travel and the Spread of Influenza: Important Caveats. PLoS Medicine, 2006, 3, e503.	3.9	48
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70	Asymptomatic Transmission and the Dynamics of Zika Infection. Scientific Reports, 2017, 7, 5829.	1.6	47
71	The Association of Meningococcal Disease with Influenza in the United States, 1989–2009. PLoS ONE, 2014, 9, e107486.	1.1	45
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74	Potential Role of Social Distancing in Mitigating Spread of Coronavirus Disease, South Korea. Emerging Infectious Diseases, 2020, 26, 2697-2700.	2.0	42
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77	Contrasting the epidemiological and evolutionary dynamics of influenza spatial transmission. Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences, 2013, 368, 20120199.	1.8	38
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80	Mortality burden of the 2009â€10 influenza pandemic in the <scp>U</scp> nited <scp>S</scp> tates: improving the timeliness of influenza severity estimates using inpatient mortality records. Influenza and Other Respiratory Viruses, 2013, 7, 863-871.	1.5	35
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84	Searching for Sharp Drops in the Incidence of Pandemic A/H1N1 Influenza by Single Year of Age. PLoS ONE, 2012, 7, e42328.	1.1	32
85	A comprehensive look at the COVID-19 pandemic death toll. ELife, 2021, 10, .	2.8	32
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95	Projected resurgence of COVID-19 in the United States in July—December 2021 resulting from the increased transmissibility of the Delta variant and faltering vaccination. ELife, 0, 11, .	2.8	22
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97	Reduced-Dose Schedule of Prophylaxis Based on Local Data Provides Near-Optimal Protection Against Respiratory Syncytial Virus. Clinical Infectious Diseases, 2015, 61, 506-514.	2.9	20
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101	Model-based evaluation of alternative reactive class closure strategies against COVID-19. Nature Communications, 2022, 13, 322.	5.8	17
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109	Real-time estimation of disease activity in emerging outbreaks using internet search information. PLoS Computational Biology, 2020, 16, e1008117.	1.5	13
110	Fitbit-informed influenza forecasts. The Lancet Digital Health, 2020, 2, e54-e55.	5.9	11
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112	Identification and evaluation of epidemic prediction and forecasting reporting guidelines: A systematic review and a call for action. Epidemics, 2020, 33, 100400.	1.5	10
113	Investigating vaccine-induced immunity and its effect in mitigating SARS-CoV-2 epidemics in China. BMC Medicine, 2022, 20, 37.	2.3	10
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125	Levels of outpatient prescribing for four major antibiotic classes and rates of septicemia hospitalization in adults in different US states - a statistical analysis. BMC Public Health, 2019, 19, 1138.	1.2	3
126	Does seasonal influenza vaccination increase the risk of illness with the 2009 A/H1N1 pandemic virus?. International Journal of Risk and Safety in Medicine, 2011, 23, 97-102.	0.3	2

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