

A Current Collection of Reports and Readings

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Communicable Disease/Infection

[Avian influenza A\(H5N1\) and the continuing outbreak](#)

July 12, 2023. National Collaborating Centre for Environmental Health. Freely available.

[Ticks in a changing climate: Resources for Environmental Public Health Professionals](#)

July 13, 2023. National Collaborating Centre for Environmental Health. Freely available.

[The Incidence of Lyme Borreliosis Among Children](#)

July 3, 2023. The Paediatric Infectious Disease Journal.

Substance Use:

[Methamphetamine Use and Utilization of Medications for Opioid Use Disorder among Rural People Who Use Drugs](#)

August 2, 2023. Drug and Alcohol Dependence Journal

[Prescription of oxycodone versus codeine after childbirth and risk of persistent opioid use: a population-based cohort study](#)

July 31, 2023. CMAJ – Canadian Medical Association Journal

Tobacco and E-Cigarettes

[Efficacy and safety of e-cigarette use for smoking cessation: A systematic review and meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials](#)

August 2023

Link to Health Evidence quality assessment.

[What are the effective components of group-based treatment programmes for smoking cessation? A systematic review and meta-analysis](#)

April 2023

Link to Health Evidence quality assessment.

Environmental

[Blastomycosis](#)

July 31, 2023. CMAJ – Canadian Medical Association Journal. Freely available.

[Cyanobacteria in Freshwater](#)

July 19, 2023. National Collaborating Centre for Environmental Health. Freely available.

Health Equity

[Digital self-help for people experiencing intimate partner violence: a qualitative study on user experiences and needs including people with lived experiences and services providers](#)

August 2, 2023. BMC Public Health. Freely available.

Healthy Eating

[The effect of psychological interventions targeting overweight and obesity in school-aged children: a systematic review and meta-analysis](#)

August 3, 2023. BMC Public Health. Freely available.

[Dietary nitrate intake in relation to the risk of dementia and imaging markers of vascular brain health: a population-based study](#)

August 2023. The American Journal of Clinical Nutrition

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[Interventions to Mitigate Heat-related Harms among Vulnerable Populations: Rapid Review](#)

[ENVIRONMENTAL SCAN Heat Alert and Response Systems \(HARS\)](#)

[SURVEILLANCE REPORT Respiratory Virus Overview in Ontario: July 9, 2023 to July 22, 2023](#)

[Seasonal Bulletin: Interim Recommendations for Ontario's Heat Alert and Response System](#)

[Promoting Health: A \(re\) Introduction to Building Healthy Public Policy: Webinar](#)

[Warm Referrals A trauma- & violence-informed approach to supporting clients' engagement with community services: Webinar](#)

[Harm Reduction Services for Anyone who Smokes or Inhales Drugs](#)