

# Lars Lien

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92	The psychological burden of skin diseases: a cross-sectional multicenter study among dermatological out-patients in 13 European countries. <i>Journal of Investigative Dermatology</i> , <b>2015</b> , 135, 984-991	4.3	394
91	Suicidal ideation, mental health problems, and social impairment are increased in adolescents with acne: a population-based study. <i>Journal of Investigative Dermatology</i> , <b>2011</b> , 131, 363-70	4.3	215
90	Is breakfast consumption related to mental distress and academic performance in adolescents?. <i>Public Health Nutrition</i> , <b>2007</b> , 10, 422-8	3.3	95
89	Selective aggregation of self-disorders in first-treatment DSM-IV schizophrenia spectrum disorders. <i>Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease</i> , <b>2012</b> , 200, 632-6	1.8	85
88	What we know and don't know about mental health problems among immigrants in Norway. <i>Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health</i> , <b>2014</b> , 16, 60-7	2.2	75
87	Mental health problems and post-migration stress among multi-traumatized refugees attending outpatient clinics upon resettlement to Norway. <i>Scandinavian Journal of Psychology</i> , <b>2012</b> , 53, 316-32	2.2	74
86	Suicidal ideation, mental health problems, and social function in adolescents with eczema: a population-based study. <i>Journal of Investigative Dermatology</i> , <b>2014</b> , 134, 1847-1854	4.3	53
85	The development of bulimic symptoms from adolescence to young adulthood in females and males: a population-based longitudinal cohort study. <i>International Journal of Eating Disorders</i> , <b>2012</b> , 45, 737-45	6.3	44
84	Immigrants' utilization of specialist mental healthcare according to age, country of origin, and migration history: a nation-wide register study in Norway. <i>Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology</i> , <b>2017</b> , 52, 679-687	4.5	40
83	Chronic pain in multi-traumatized outpatients with a refugee background resettled in Norway: a cross-sectional study. <i>BMC Psychology</i> , <b>2015</b> , 3, 7	2.8	39
82	Ethnic Norwegian and ethnic minority adolescents in Oslo, Norway. A longitudinal study comparing changes in mental health. <i>Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology</i> , <b>2008</b> , 43, 87-95	4.5	38
81	Postnatal depression among Sudanese women: prevalence and validation of the Edinburgh Postnatal Depression Scale at 3 months postpartum. <i>International Journal of Women's Health</i> , <b>2015</b> , 7, 677-84	2.8	37
80	The association between anomalous self-experience and suicidality in first-episode schizophrenia seems mediated by depression. <i>Comprehensive Psychiatry</i> , <b>2012</b> , 53, 456-60	7.3	34
79	Prevalence and risk factors for postpartum depressive symptoms in Argentina: a cross-sectional study. <i>International Journal of Women's Health</i> , <b>2013</b> , 5, 787-93	2.8	32
78	The association between self-disorders and neurocognitive dysfunction in schizophrenia. <i>Schizophrenia Research</i> , <b>2012</b> , 135, 79-83	3.6	31
77	A population-based study of acne and body mass index in adolescents. <i>Archives of Dermatology</i> , <b>2012</b> , 148, 131-2		30
76	Itch and mental distress: a cross-sectional study among late adolescents. <i>Acta Dermato-Venereologica</i> , <b>2009</b> , 89, 39-44	2.2	27

75	Community attitudes and social distance towards the mentally ill in South Sudan: a survey from a post-conflict setting with no mental health services. <i>Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology</i> , <b>2014</b> , 49, 771-80	4.5	26
74	The Sources of Meaning and Meaning in Life Questionnaire in the Norwegian Context: Relations to Mental Health, Quality of Life, and Self-Efficacy. <i>International Journal for the Psychology of Religion, The</i> , <b>2019</b> , 29, 32-45	1.8	26
73	Determinants of postnatal depression in Sudanese women at 3 months postpartum: a cross-sectional study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , <b>2016</b> , 6, e009443	3	25
72	The relationship between religious attendance and blood pressure: the HUNT Study, Norway. <i>International Journal of Psychiatry in Medicine</i> , <b>2011</b> , 42, 13-28	1	24
71	Binge Drinking, Cannabis and Tobacco Use Among Ethnic Norwegian and Ethnic Minority Adolescents in Oslo, Norway. <i>Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health</i> , <b>2015</b> , 17, 992-1001	2.2	22
70	PTSD patients show increasing cytokine levels during treatment despite reduced psychological distress. <i>Neuropsychiatric Disease and Treatment</i> , <b>2018</b> , 14, 2367-2378	3.1	22
69	The mental health of internally displaced persons: an epidemiological study of adults in two settlements in Central Sudan. <i>International Journal of Social Psychiatry</i> , <b>2013</b> , 59, 782-8	8.5	21
68	Expressive art therapy for psychosis: A multiple case study. <i>Arts in Psychotherapy</i> , <b>2013</b> , 40, 312-321	1.6	21
67	Coping, resilience and posttraumatic growth among Eritrean female refugees living in Norwegian asylum reception centres: A qualitative study. <i>International Journal of Social Psychiatry</i> , <b>2018</b> , 64, 359-366	8.5	19
66	Social dysfunction in first-episode psychosis and relations to neurocognition, duration of untreated psychosis and clinical symptoms. <i>Psychiatry Research</i> , <b>2013</b> , 207, 33-9	9.9	19
65	Exposure to life adversity in high school and later work participation: a longitudinal population-based study. <i>Journal of Adolescence</i> , <b>2013</b> , 36, 1143-51	3.4	19
64	Itch and Mental Health in Dermatological Patients across Europe: A Cross-Sectional Study in 13 Countries. <i>Journal of Investigative Dermatology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 140, 568-573	4.3	19
63	Serum brain-derived neurotrophic factor levels in relation to comorbid depression and cytokine levels in Nepalese men with alcohol-use disorders. <i>Alcohol</i> , <b>2015</b> , 49, 471-8	2.7	18
62	The psychosocial burden of hand eczema: Data from a European dermatological multicentre study. <i>Contact Dermatitis</i> , <b>2018</b> , 78, 406-412	2.7	18
61	Environmental factors during adolescence associated with later development of psychotic disorders - a nested case-control study. <i>Psychiatry Research</i> , <b>2014</b> , 215, 579-85	9.9	18
60	Occurrence, Chronicity and Intensity of Itch in a Clinical Consecutive Sample of Patients with Skin Diseases: A Multi-centre Study in 13 European Countries. <i>Acta Dermato-Venereologica</i> , <b>2019</b> , 99, 146-151	2.2	18
59	The relationship of alcohol use disorders and depressive symptoms to tryptophan metabolism: cross-sectional data from a Nepalese alcohol treatment sample. <i>Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research</i> , <b>2015</b> , 39, 514-21	3.7	17
58	Is the relationship between smoking and mental health influenced by other unhealthy lifestyle factors? Results from a 3-year follow-up study among adolescents in Oslo, Norway. <i>Journal of Adolescent Health</i> , <b>2009</b> , 45, 609-17	5.8	17

57	Factors Associated with the Persistence of Bullying Victimization From 10th grade to 13th Grade: A Longitudinal Study. <i>Clinical Practice and Epidemiology in Mental Health</i> , <b>2013</b> , 9, 243-50	3.2	16
56	A prospective population-based study of health complaints in adolescence and use of social welfare benefits in young adulthood. <i>Scandinavian Journal of Public Health</i> , <b>2015</b> , 43, 629-37	3	15
55	Circulating cytokine levels are associated with symptoms of depression and anxiety among people with alcohol and drug use disorders. <i>Journal of Neuroimmunology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 318, 80-86	3.5	15
54	‘If I Didn’t Have My Faith I Would Have Killed Myself!’ Spiritual Coping in Patients Suffering From Schizophrenia. <i>International Journal for the Psychology of Religion, The</i> , <b>2013</b> , 23, 126-144	1.8	15
53	Pain complaints as risk factor for mental distress: a three-year follow-up study. <i>European Child and Adolescent Psychiatry</i> , <b>2011</b> , 20, 509-16	5.5	15
52	Bodily pain and associated mental distress among immigrant adolescents. A population-based cross-sectional study. <i>European Child and Adolescent Psychiatry</i> , <b>2005</b> , 14, 371-5	5.5	15
51	Psychiatric symptoms experienced by adolescents in Nepal following the 2015 earthquakes. <i>Journal of Affective Disorders</i> , <b>2018</b> , 234, 239-246	6.6	14
50	Ethnic differences in seasonal affective disorder and associated factors among five immigrant groups in Norway. <i>Journal of Affective Disorders</i> , <b>2013</b> , 151, 237-42	6.6	14
49	Vitamin D deficiency in alcohol-use disorders and its relationship to comorbid major depression: a cross-sectional study of inpatients in Nepal. <i>Drug and Alcohol Dependence</i> , <b>2013</b> , 133, 480-5	4.9	14
48	Stigmatisation and body image impairment in dermatological patients: protocol for an observational multicentre study in 16 European countries. <i>BMJ Open</i> , <b>2018</b> , 8, e024877	3	12
47	Meaning-Making, Religiousness and Spirituality in Religiously Founded Substance Misuse Services – A Qualitative Study of Staff and Patients’ Experiences. <i>Religions</i> , <b>2015</b> , 6, 92-106	0.6	11
46	Distribution and understanding of items of religiousness in the Nord-Trøndelag Health Study, Norway. <i>Mental Health, Religion and Culture</i> , <b>2012</b> , 15, 571-585	1.1	11
45	Atopic conditions and mental health problems: a 3-year follow-up study. <i>European Child and Adolescent Psychiatry</i> , <b>2010</b> , 19, 705-13	5.5	11
44	The Personal Significance of Religiousness and Spirituality in Patients With Schizophrenia. <i>International Journal for the Psychology of Religion, The</i> , <b>2011</b> , 21, 145-158	1.8	10
43	Is Seeking God’s Help Associated with Life Satisfaction and Disease-specific Quality of Life in Cancer Patients? The HUNT Study. <i>Archive for the Psychology of Religion</i> , <b>2012</b> , 34, 191-213	1.1	10
42	Psychosomatic symptoms and stressful working conditions among Palestinian nurses: a cross-sectional study. <i>Contemporary Nurse</i> , <b>2016</b> , 52, 381-397	1.5	10
41	Is there a relationship between PTSD and complicated obesity? A review of the literature. <i>Biomedicine and Pharmacotherapy</i> , <b>2019</b> , 117, 108834	7.5	9
40	The Role of Therapy in Impairing Quality of Life in Dermatological Patients: A Multinational Study. <i>Acta Dermato-Venereologica</i> , <b>2018</b> , 98, 563-569	2.2	9

39	Medical benefits in young adulthood: a population-based longitudinal study of health behaviour and mental health in adolescence and later receipt of medical benefits. <i>BMJ Open</i> , <b>2015</b> , 5, e007139	3	9
38	Psychotic-like experiences in a conflict-affected population: a cross-sectional study in South Sudan. <i>Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology</i> , <b>2016</b> , 51, 971-9	4.5	9
37	Self-reported symptoms and health service use in adolescence in persons who later develop psychotic disorders: a prospective case-control study. <i>Microbial Biotechnology</i> , <b>2015</b> , 9, 221-7	3.3	8
36	Perceived current needs, psychological distress and functional impairment in a war-affected setting: a cross-sectional study in South Sudan. <i>BMJ Open</i> , <b>2015</b> , 5, e007534	3	8
35	The relation of early experienced negative life events and current itch. A longitudinal study among adolescents in Oslo, Norway. <i>Journal of Psychosomatic Research</i> , <b>2012</b> , 72, 226-9	4.1	8
34	Mental health in adolescence and subsequent receipt of medical benefits in young adulthood: The mediating role of upper secondary school completion. <i>Scandinavian Journal of Public Health</i> , <b>2016</b> , 44, 431-8	3	8
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32	Religiousness in First-Episode Psychosis. <i>Archive for the Psychology of Religion</i> , <b>2017</b> , 39, 139-164	1.1	7
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29	Relational recovery in co-occurring conditions: a qualitative study of first-person experiences. <i>Advances in Dual Diagnosis</i> , <b>2020</b> , 13, 89-100	1.1	5
28	Parental immigration and offspring post-traumatic stress disorder: A nationwide population-based register study. <i>Journal of Affective Disorders</i> , <b>2019</b> , 249, 294-300	6.6	4
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23	Alcohol use in South Sudan in relation to social factors, mental distress and traumatic events. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , <b>2016</b> , 16, 937	4.1	4
22	Cytokine concentrations are related to level of mental distress in inpatients not using anti-inflammatory drugs. <i>Acta Neuropsychiatrica</i> , <b>2020</b> , 32, 23-31	3.9	4

21	Experiences with general practitioners described by families of children with intellectual disabilities and challenging behaviour: a qualitative study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , <b>2011</b> , 1, e000304	3	3
20	Change in Mental Health Stigma After a Brief Intervention Among Internally Displaced Persons in Central Sudan. <i>Community Mental Health Journal</i> , <b>2019</b> , 55, 534-541	2.1	3
19	Domestic violence victimisation and its association with mental distress: a cross-sectional study of the Yangon Region, Myanmar. <i>BMJ Open</i> , <b>2020</b> , 10, e037936	3	2
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17	The Use of Antidepressants, Antipsychotics, and Stimulants in Youth Residential Care. <i>Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychopharmacology</i> , <b>2021</b> , 31, 350-357	2.9	2
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14	How women experience and cope with daily hassles after sexual abuse - a retrospective qualitative study. <i>Scandinavian Journal of Caring Sciences</i> , <b>2019</b> , 33, 487-497	2.3	1
13	Social phobia among long-term internally displaced persons: An epidemiological study of adults in two internally displaced person settlements in Sudan. <i>International Journal of Social Psychiatry</i> , <b>2015</b> , 61, 550-9	8.5	1
12	Changes in prevalence of mental disorders among internally displaced persons in central Sudan: a 1-year follow-up study. <i>Global Mental Health (Cambridge, England)</i> , <b>2020</b> , 7, e24	3.9	1
11	The Use of Sleep Medication in Youth Residential Care. <i>Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychopharmacology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 30, 335-341	2.9	1
10	Persistent level of mental distress in PTSD patients is not reflected in cytokine levels 1 year after the treatment. <i>Acta Neuropsychiatrica</i> , <b>2021</b> , 33, 254-260	3.9	1
9	Factors associated with the level of prolactin in patients under remission from Alcohol Use Disorder: A gender perspective. <i>Neuropsychopharmacology Reports</i> , <b>2021</b> , 41, 352-361	2.2	1
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