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#	Article	IF	CITATIONS
1	Accelerating the elimination of viral hepatitis: a Lancet Gastroenterology & Epatology Commission. The Lancet Gastroenterology and Hepatology, 2019, 4, 135-184.	8.1	370
2	The gamma-glutamyl transpeptidase to platelet ratio (GPR) predicts significant liver fibrosis and cirrhosis in patients with chronic HBV infection in West Africa. Gut, 2016, 65, 1369-1376.	12.1	267
3	Acceptability and feasibility of a screen-and-treat programme for hepatitis B virus infection in The Gambia: the Prevention of Liver Fibrosis and Cancer in Africa (PROLIFICA) study. The Lancet Global Health, 2016, 4, e559-e567.	6.3	137
4	Natural history of chronic HBV infection in West Africa: a longitudinal population-based study from The Gambia. Gut, 2016, 65, 2007-2016.	12.1	125
5	Efficacy and safety of antiviral prophylaxis during pregnancy to prevent mother-to-child transmission of hepatitis B virus: a systematic review and meta-analysis. Lancet Infectious Diseases, The, 2021, 21, 70-84.	9.1	100
6	Cost-effectiveness of community-based screening and treatment for chronic hepatitis B in The Gambia: an economic modelling analysis. The Lancet Global Health, 2016, 4, e568-e578.	6.3	91
7	Validation of Rapid Point-of-Care (POC) Tests for Detection of Hepatitis B Surface Antigen in Field and Laboratory Settings in the Gambia, Western Africa. Journal of Clinical Microbiology, 2015, 53, 1156-1163.	3.9	81
8	Accuracy of HBeAg to identify pregnant women at risk of transmitting hepatitis B virus to their neonates: a systematic review and meta-analysis. Lancet Infectious Diseases, The, 2021, 21, 85-96.	9.1	72
9	Association of Early Age at Establishment of Chronic Hepatitis B Infection with Persistent Viral Replication, Liver Cirrhosis and Hepatocellular Carcinoma: A Systematic Review. PLoS ONE, 2013, 8, e69430.	2.5	60
10	Barriers to timely administration of birth dose vaccines in The Gambia, West Africa. Vaccine, 2016, 34, 3335-3341.	3.8	60
11	Development of a simple score based on HBeAg and ALT for selecting patients for HBV treatment in Africa. Journal of Hepatology, 2018, 69, 776-784.	3.7	55
12	Time matters: Point of care screening and streamlined linkage to care dramatically improves hepatitis C treatment uptake in prisoners in England. International Journal of Drug Policy, 2020, 75, 102608.	3.3	42
13	Clinical utility of HCV core antigen detection and quantification using serum samples and dried blood spots in people who inject drugs in Darâ€esâ€Salaam, Tanzania. Journal of the International AIDS Society, 2017, 20, 21856.	3.0	38
14	Evaluation of data quality at the Gambia national cancer registry. International Journal of Cancer, 2013, 132, 658-665.	5.1	34
15	Birth order and risk of hepatocellular carcinoma in chronic carriers of hepatitis B virus: a case–control study in The Gambia. Liver International, 2015, 35, 2318-2326.	3.9	32
16	Hepatitis B Core-Related Antigen to Indicate High Viral Load: Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of 10,397 Individual Participants. Clinical Gastroenterology and Hepatology, 2021, 19, 46-60.e8.	4.4	27
17	Barriers to Linkage to Care for Hepatitis B Virus Infection: A Qualitative Analysis in Burkina Faso, West Africa. American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, 2016, 95, 1368-1375.	1.4	25
18	Hepatitis B Core-related Antigen: An Alternative to Hepatitis B Virus DNA to Assess Treatment Eligibility in Africa. Clinical Infectious Diseases, 2020, 70, 1442-1452.	5.8	25

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19	Motherâ€toâ€child transmission of hepatitis B: What more needs to be done to eliminate it around the world?. Journal of Viral Hepatitis, 2020, 27, 342-349.	2.0	24
20	Poor Sensitivity of Commercial Rapid Diagnostic Tests for Hepatitis B e Antigen in Senegal, West Africa. American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, 2018, 99, 428-434.	1.4	24
21	Residual risk of mother-to-child transmission of hepatitis B virus infection despite timely birth-dose vaccination in Cameroon (ANRS 12303): a single-centre, longitudinal observational study. The Lancet Global Health, 2022, 10, e521-e529.	6.3	24
22	The hepatitis C cascade of care in people who inject drugs in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania. Journal of Viral Hepatitis, 2018, 25, 1438-1445.	2.0	23
23	Epidemiological projections of viralâ€induced hepatocellular carcinoma in the perspective of WHO global hepatitis elimination. Liver International, 2021, 41, 915-927.	3.9	23
24	Inâ€field evaluation of Xpert® HCV viral load Fingerstick assay in people who inject drugs in Tanzania. Liver International, 2020, 40, 514-521.	3.9	22
25	Hepatitis B virus preS2Δ38–55 variants: A newly identified risk factor for hepatocellular carcinoma. JHEP Reports, 2020, 2, 100144.	4.9	21
26	The association between maternal hepatitis B e antigen status, as a proxy for perinatal transmission, and the risk of hepatitis B e antigenaemia in Gambian children. BMC Public Health, 2014, 14, 532.	2.9	19
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37	The prevalence and burden of symptoms in patients with chronic liver diseases in The Gambia, West Africa. Palliative Medicine, 2015, 29, 184-185.	3.1	10
38	Improving communication about viral hepatitis in Africa. Lancet Infectious Diseases, The, 2017, 17, 688-689.	9.1	10
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40	Clinical utility of TREAT-B score in African and non-African HBV-infected patients living in Europe. Journal of Hepatology, 2019, 70, 1295-1297.	3.7	9
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45	Early age at diagnosis of hepatocellular carcinoma in sub-Saharan Africa. The Lancet Gastroenterology and Hepatology, 2017, 2, 393.	8.1	6
46	Assessment and Simplification of Treatment Eligibility Among Patients With Chronic Hepatitis B Infection in Vietnam. Clinical Infectious Diseases, 2021, 73, e1072-e1077.	5.8	6
47	Diagnostic accuracy of the \hat{I}^3 -glutamyl transpeptidase to platelet ratio to predict liver fibrosis in Egyptian patients with HCV genotype 4. Gut, 2016, 65, 1577-1578.	12.1	5
48	Screening for Hepatitis B in partners and children of women positive for surface antigen, Burkina Faso. Bulletin of the World Health Organization, 2022, 100, 256-267.	3.3	5
49	Impact of Introducing Hepatitis B Birth Dose Vaccines into the Infant Immunization Program in Burkina Faso: Study Protocol for a Stepped Wedge Cluster Randomized Trial (NéoVac Study). Vaccines, 2021, 9, 583.	4.4	4
50	Cost-effectiveness of adding a birth dose of hepatitis B vaccine in the Dafra district of the Hauts-Bassins Region in Burkina Faso (NéoVac Study). Vaccine, 2021, 39, 4659-4670.	3.8	4
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55	The Costs of Introducing the Hepatitis B Birth Dose Vaccine into the National Immunization Programme in Senegal (NéoVac Study). Vaccines, 2021, 9, 521.	4.4	2
56	Including the voice of people living with viral hepatitis: lessons learned from Japan to accelerate progress towards global hepatitis elimination. Tropical Medicine and Health, 2021, 49, 79.	2.8	2
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