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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Risk perceptions and health behavior. <i>Current Opinion in Psychology</i> , 2015, 5, 85-89.	2.5	558
2	Efficacy of Exercise Interventions in Modulating Cancer-Related Fatigue among Adult Cancer Survivors: A Meta-Analysis. <i>Cancer Epidemiology Biomarkers and Prevention</i> , 2011, 20, 123-133.	1.1	353
3	Exercise Interventions for Cancer Survivors: A Meta-Analysis of Quality of Life Outcomes. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2011, 41, 32-47.	1.7	230
4	The Tripartite Model of Risk Perception (TRIRISK): Distinguishing Deliberative, Affective, and Experiential Components of Perceived Risk. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2016, 50, 653-663.	1.7	172
5	Risk perception measures' associations with behavior intentions, affect, and cognition following colon cancer screening messages.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2012, 31, 106-113.	1.3	147
6	The Efficacy of Exercise in Reducing Depressive Symptoms among Cancer Survivors: A Meta-Analysis. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2012, 7, e30955.	1.1	137
7	Association of cancer worry and perceived risk with doctor avoidance: an analysis of information avoidance in a nationally representative US sample. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2014, 37, 977-987.	1.1	90
8	Worry and Risk Perceptions as Independent and Interacting Predictors of Health Protective Behaviors. <i>Journal of Health Communication</i> , 2013, 18, 397-409.	1.2	89
9	Interventions to Engage Affective Forecasting in Health-Related Decision Making: A Meta-Analysis. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2018, 52, 157-174.	1.7	84
10	Pilot test of an emotional education intervention component for sexual risk reduction.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2011, 30, 656-660.	1.3	83
11	When does risk perception predict protection motivation for health threats? A person-by-situation analysis. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2018, 13, e0191994.	1.1	83
12	Understanding the heterogeneity of cervical cancer screening non-participants: Data from a national sample of British women. <i>European Journal of Cancer</i> , 2017, 80, 30-38.	1.3	69
13	Feelings of vulnerability in response to threatening messages: Effects of self-affirmation. <i>Journal of Experimental Social Psychology</i> , 2011, 47, 1237-1242.	1.3	64
14	Reconceptualizing Self-Affirmation With the Trigger and Channel Framework: Lessons From the Health Domain. <i>Personality and Social Psychology Review</i> , 2019, 23, 285-304.	3.4	63
15	Knowledge of and beliefs about palliative care in a nationally-representative U.S. sample. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2019, 14, e0219074.	1.1	62
16	Information Avoidance Tendencies, Threat Management Resources, and Interest in Genetic Sequencing Feedback. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2015, 49, 616-621.	1.7	59
17	Perceived ambiguity as a barrier to intentions to learn genome sequencing results. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2015, 38, 715-726.	1.1	58
18	Affective Science Perspectives on Cancer Control. <i>Perspectives on Psychological Science</i> , 2015, 10, 328-345.	5.2	54

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19	Emotion, health decision making, and health behaviour. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2018, 33, 1-16.	1.2	52
20	Changing deliberative and affective responses to health risk: a meta-analysis. <i>Health Psychology Review</i> , 2014, 8, 296-318.	4.4	51
21	Effectiveness of internet-based affect induction procedures: A systematic review and meta-analysis.. <i>Emotion</i> , 2015, 15, 752-762.	1.5	51
22	The role of current affect, anticipated affect and spontaneous self-affirmation in decisions to receive self-threatening genetic risk information. <i>Cognition and Emotion</i> , 2015, 29, 1456-1465.	1.2	48
23	An affective booster moderates the effect of gain- and loss-framed messages on behavioral intentions for colorectal cancer screening. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2012, 35, 452-461.	1.1	44
24	Dispositional optimism and perceived risk interact to predict intentions to learn genome sequencing results.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2015, 34, 718-728.	1.3	44
25	Measuring Cigarette Smoking Risk Perceptions. <i>Nicotine and Tobacco Research</i> , 2020, 22, 1937-1945.	1.4	40
26	Relationships among health perceptions vary depending on stage of readiness for colorectal cancer screening.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2011, 30, 525-535.	1.3	35
27	Spontaneous self-affirmation is associated with psychological well-being: Evidence from a US national adult survey sample. <i>Journal of Health Psychology</i> , 2018, 23, 95-102.	1.3	35
28	Awareness of Palliative Care among a Nationally Representative Sample of U.S. Adults. <i>Journal of Palliative Medicine</i> , 2019, 22, 1578-1582.	0.6	35
29	Developing a scale to assess health regulatory focus. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2017, 195, 50-60.	1.8	34
30	Revisiting the Effects of Anger on Riskâ€Taking: Empirical and Metaâ€Analytic Evidence for Differences Between Males and Females. <i>Journal of Behavioral Decision Making</i> , 2017, 30, 516-526.	1.0	34
31	Optimism and Spontaneous Self-affirmation are Associated with Lower Likelihood of Cognitive Impairment and Greater Positive Affect among Cancer Survivors. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2016, 50, 198-209.	1.7	31
32	Emotion suppression, emotional eating, and eating behavior among parentâ€adolescent dyads.. <i>Emotion</i> , 2017, 17, 1052-1065.	1.5	31
33	Associations between narrative transportation, risk perception and behaviour intentions following narrative messages about skin cancer. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2018, 33, 573-593.	1.2	29
34	Direct and indirect associations of cognitive reappraisal and suppression with disease biomarkers. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2019, 34, 336-354.	1.2	29
35	Toward an informationâ€motivationâ€behavioral skills model of microbicide adherence in clinical trials. <i>AIDS Care - Psychological and Socio-Medical Aspects of AIDS/HIV</i> , 2010, 22, 997-1005.	0.6	28
36	Effects of Self-Affirmation on Implementation Intentions and the Moderating Role of Affect. <i>Social Psychological and Personality Science</i> , 2012, 3, 300-307.	2.4	27

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37	Associations of spontaneous self-affirmation with health care experiences and health information seeking in a national survey of US adults. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2016, 31, 292-309.	1.2	26
38	US adult tobacco users' absolute harm perceptions of traditional and alternative tobacco products, information-seeking behaviors, and (mis)beliefs about chemicals in tobacco products. <i>Addictive Behaviors</i> , 2017, 71, 38-45.	1.7	26
39	Projection, conformity and deviance regulation: A prospective study of alcohol use. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2012, 27, 1-16.	1.2	23
40	Worry as a Predictor of Nutrition Behaviors. <i>Health Education and Behavior</i> , 2013, 40, 88-96.	1.3	22
41	Lay Awareness of the Relationship between Age and Cancer Risk. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2017, 51, 214-225.	1.7	22
42	Variation in health beliefs across different types of cervical screening non-participants. <i>Preventive Medicine</i> , 2018, 111, 204-209.	1.6	21
43	Nonverbal and paraverbal behavior in (simulated) medical visits related to genomics and weight: a role for emotion and race. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2016, 39, 804-814.	1.1	20
44	Cancer screening: health impact, prevalence, correlates, and interventions. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2019, 34, 1036-1072.	1.2	20
45	Self-affirmation increases defensiveness toward health risk information among those experiencing negative emotions: Results from two national samples.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2017, 36, 380-391.	1.3	20
46	Smoke-free air laws and quit attempts: Evidence for a moderating role of spontaneous self-affirmation. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2015, 141, 46-55.	1.8	19
47	Effects of Fruit and Vegetable Feeding Messages on Mothers and Fathers: Interactions Between Emotional State and Health Message Framing. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2019, 53, 789-800.	1.7	19
48	Unrealistic optimism is associated with subclinical atherosclerosis.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2012, 31, 815-820.	1.3	17
49	The role of incidental affective states in appetitive risk behavior: A meta-analysis.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2020, 39, 1109-1124.	1.3	17
50	The Effect of Emotion on Visual Attention to Information and Decision Making in the Context of Informed Consent Process for Clinical Trials. <i>Journal of Behavioral Decision Making</i> , 2016, 29, 245-253.	1.0	16
51	Moving beyond categorization to understand affective influences on real world health decisions. <i>Social and Personality Psychology Compass</i> , 2019, 13, e12502.	2.0	15
52	How (or Do) People "Think" About Cancer Risk, and Why That Matters. <i>JAMA Oncology</i> , 2020, 6, 983.	3.4	15
53	Emotions and Health Decision Making. , 2015, , 101-132.		15
54	Perceived Ambiguity, Fatalism, and Believing Cancer Is More Prevalent Than Heart Disease. <i>American Journal of Preventive Medicine</i> , 2014, 46, e45-e47.	1.6	14

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55	Factor Structure and Stability of Smoking-Related Health Beliefs in the National Lung Screening Trial. <i>Nicotine and Tobacco Research</i> , 2016, 18, 321-329.	1.4	14
56	Heart disease versus cancer: understanding perceptions of population prevalence and personal risk. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2017, 40, 839-845.	1.1	14
57	Interest in and reactions to genetic risk information: The role of implicit theories and self-affirmation. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2017, 190, 101-110.	1.8	14
58	Emotion-Related Constructs Engaged by Mindfulness-Based Interventions: a Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. <i>Mindfulness</i> , 2021, 12, 1041-1062.	1.6	14
59	Extending emotion and decision-making beyond the laboratory: The promise of palliative care contexts.. <i>Emotion</i> , 2016, 16, 581-586.	1.5	14
60	Effects of Emotion on Medical Decisions Involving Tradeoffs. <i>Medical Decision Making</i> , 2018, 38, 1027-1039.	1.2	13
61	Use of Health Behavior Theory in Funded Grant Proposals: Cancer Screening Interventions as a Case Study. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2015, 49, 809-818.	1.7	12
62	Perspectives on Palliative Care in Cancer Clinical Trials: Diverse Meanings from Multidisciplinary Cancer Care Providers. <i>Journal of Palliative Medicine</i> , 2018, 21, 616-621.	0.6	12
63	Preliminary evidence for differential effects of integral and incidental emotions on risk perception and behavioral intentions: A meta-analysis of eight experiments. <i>Journal of Behavioral Decision Making</i> , 2021, 34, 275-289.	1.0	12
64	Association of parental guilt with harmful versus healthful eating and feeding from a virtual reality buffet.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2020, 39, 199-208.	1.3	12
65	A Pilot Test of Self-Affirmations to Promote Smoking Cessation in a National Smoking Cessation Text Messaging Program. <i>JMIR MHealth and UHealth</i> , 2016, 4, e71.	1.8	12
66	Mode Effects in Assessing Cancer Worry and Risk Perceptions. <i>Medical Decision Making</i> , 2014, 34, 583-589.	1.2	11
67	Precancer risk perceptions predict postcancer subjective well-being.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2014, 33, 1023-1032.	1.3	11
68	Genomic Information may Inhibit Weight-Related Behavior Change Inclinations Among Individuals in a Fear State. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2016, 50, 452-459.	1.7	11
69	On Being More Amenable to Threatening Risk Messages Concerning Close Others (vis-À-vis the Self). <i>Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin</i> , 2018, 44, 1411-1423.	1.9	11
70	Toward a Conceptual Model of Affective Predictions in Palliative Care. <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> , 2019, 57, 1151-1165.	0.6	11
71	Increasing Receptivity to COVID-19 Public Health Messages with Self-Affirmation and Self vs. Other Framing. <i>Health Communication</i> , 2023, 38, 1942-1953.	1.8	10
72	Perceptions and tolerance of uncertainty: relationship to trust in COVID-19 health information and vaccine hesitancy. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2023, 46, 40-53.	1.1	10

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73	Evidence that perceptions of and tolerance for medical ambiguity are distinct constructs: An analysis of nationally representative US data. <i>Health Expectations</i> , 2020, 23, 603-613.	1.1	9
74	Associations of perceived norms with intentions to learn genomic sequencing results: Roles for attitudes and ambivalence.. <i>Health Psychology</i> , 2018, 37, 553-561.	1.3	9
75	Parental Defensiveness about Multifactorial Genomic and Environmental Causes of Children's Obesity Risk. <i>Childhood Obesity</i> , 2019, 15, 289-297.	0.8	8
76	Decision-making about genetic health information among family dyads: a systematic literature review. <i>Health Psychology Review</i> , 2022, 16, 412-429.	4.4	8
77	Investigating the Potential of Inoculation Messages and Self-Affirmation in Reducing the Effects of Health Misinformation. <i>Science Communication</i> , 2021, 43, 768-804.	1.8	8
78	Cigarette tax rates, behavioral disengagement, and quit ratios among daily smokers. <i>Journal of Economic Psychology</i> , 2018, 66, 13-21.	1.1	7
79	Accuracy of the Stages of Change Algorithm: Sexual Risk Reported in the Maintenance Stage of Change. <i>Prevention Science</i> , 2009, 10, 13-21.	1.5	6
80	Palliative Care in Cancer: Enhancing Our View with the Science of Emotion and Decision Making. <i>Journal of Palliative Medicine</i> , 2015, 18, 479-479.	0.6	6
81	Emotion suppression, coping strategies, dietary patterns, and BMI. <i>Eating Behaviors</i> , 2021, 41, 101500.	1.1	6
82	Positive excessive drinker prototypes predict greater drinking and alcohol problems. <i>British Journal of Health Psychology</i> , 2018, 23, 1000-1020.	1.9	5
83	Patient-provider care goal concordance: implications for palliative care decisions. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2019, 34, 983-998.	1.2	5
84	Associations between absolute and relative electronic cigarette harm perceptions and information-seeking behaviours among <sc>US</sc> adult current, former and never smokers. <i>Drug and Alcohol Review</i> , 2022, 41, 356-364.	1.1	5
85	Analysis of the components of cancer risk perception and links with intention and behaviour: A UK-based study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2022, 17, e0262197.	1.1	5
86	Social support, loneliness, eating, and activity among parent-adolescent dyads. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2019, 42, 1015-1028.	1.1	4
87	Self-affirmation inductions to reduce defensive processing of threatening health risk information. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2022, 37, 1287-1308.	1.2	4
88	The role of future-oriented affect in engagement with genomic testing results. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2022, 45, 103-114.	1.1	4
89	Leveraging Affective Science to Maximize the Effectiveness of Palliative Care. <i>Journal of Clinical Oncology</i> , 2015, 33, 4229-4230.	0.8	3
90	Greater benefit of self-affirmation for prevention-focused individuals prior to threatening health messages. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2020, 36, 1-20.	1.2	3

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91	Smoking self-concept moderates the effects of self-affirmation on smoking-related beliefs and behavioral intentions. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2022, 37, 964-984.	1.2	3
92	Fear increases likelihood of seeking decisional support from others when making decisions involving ambiguity. <i>Journal of Behavioral Decision Making</i> , 2022, 35, .	1.0	3
93	Goal conflict when making decisions for others. <i>Journal of Experimental Social Psychology</i> , 2018, 78, 93-103.	1.3	2
94	Association of Spontaneous and Induced Self-Affirmation With Smoking Cessation in Users of a Mobile App: Randomized Controlled Trial. <i>Journal of Medical Internet Research</i> , 2021, 23, e18433.	2.1	2
95	Patient Perspectives on the Risk-Based NLST Outcomes Tool for Lung Cancer Screening. <i>Journal of Cancer Education</i> , 2021, , 1.	0.6	2
96	Temporal and social comparative self-assessments of physical health in young, middle-aged, and young-old adults in the MIDUS study. <i>Journal of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2021, 44, 333-344.	1.1	2
97	Opportunities for theory-informed decision science in cancer control. <i>Translational Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2021, 11, 2055-2064.	1.2	2
98	Decision Science Can Inform Clinical Trade-Offs Regarding Cardiotoxic Cancer Treatments. <i>JNCI Cancer Spectrum</i> , 2021, 5, pkab053.	1.4	1
99	How beliefs about weight malleability and risk perceptions for obesity influence parents's information seeking and feeding. <i>Journal of Health Psychology</i> , 2021, , 135910532110614.	1.3	1
100	Optimizing the utility of the ARC Framework. <i>Journal of Health Psychology</i> , 2020, 25, 38-43.	1.3	0