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Alcohol misuse

[Right to know: are alcohol labels giving customers the information they need?](#)

Tuesday 29th August 2017 Source: UK Health Forum: <http://www.ukhealthforum.org.uk/>
Researchers found that, of the 315 product labels reviewed across 27 locations in the UK, only one informed the public of the up-to-date low-risk weekly drinking guideline of 14 units a week.

Black and ethnic minority groups

[Apology over Indian blood donation 'embarrassment'](#)

Tuesday 15th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>
The Blood Transfusion Service has apologised after 120 members of the Indian community were turned away from giving blood.

Chronic conditions

[Bowel cancer test: 'No health minister' means NI people must wait](#)

Wednesday 16th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>
A new, more accurate screening test for bowel cancer is on hold in Northern Ireland because there is no Stormont health minister.

['Healthy people get lung cancer too'](#)

Monday 21st August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>
A woman who shared a photo of herself taken just hours before she was diagnosed with lung cancer says she hopes it will show that fit and healthy people can get the disease too.

[Johnson & Johnson faces \\$417m payout in latest talc case](#)

Monday 21st August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>
Johnson & Johnson has been ordered to pay \$417m (£323.4m) to a woman who says she developed ovarian cancer after using products such as baby powder.

['Alternative cancer therapies' may increase your risk of death](#)

Wednesday 16th August 2017 Source: NHS Choices: <https://www.nhs.uk/>
"Cancer patients who use alternative medicine more than twice as likely to die," is the stark message from The Independent.

['Junk food' may increase cancer risk in 'healthy weight' women](#)

Friday 18th August 2017 Source: NHS Choices: <https://www.nhs.uk/>
"Women who eat junk food such as burgers or pizza are increasing their risk of cancer even if they're not overweight, new research has warned," reports the Daily Mail.

[Vitamin C injections could play a role in treating blood cancers](#)

Monday 21st August 2017 Source: NHS Choices: https://www.nhs.uk
"Super-strength vitamin C doses could be a way to fight leukaemia," the Mail Online reports.

Gum disease linked to increased risk of Alzheimer's disease

Tuesday 22nd August 2017

Source: NHS Choices: <https://www.nhs.uk/>

"Gum disease sufferers 70% more likely to get dementia," The Times reports. A Taiwanese study found that people with a 10-year or longer history of chronic periodontitis (CP) had a small but significant increased risk of developing Alzheimer's disease (AD).

Could adding lithium to tap water reduce dementia levels?

Friday 25th August 2017

Source: NHS Choices: <http://www.nhs.uk/news/>

"Adding lithium to tap water could prevent thousands of dementia cases," reports The Daily Telegraph.

Family members shave heads to raise money for cancer

Saturday 26th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Parents, partners and loved ones of people with cancer have their heads shaved to show their support. It was part of Macmillan Cancer Support's Brave the Shave campaign.

'I'll either wake up with some new lungs, or I won't'

Friday 25th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Nine years of working in coal mines destroyed Will Goddard's lungs, but with the help of a specialist clinic in Rotherham he was able to get a double lung transplant.

Anti-inflammatory drug 'cuts heart attack risk'

Monday 28th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Anti-inflammatory drugs could cut the risk of heart attacks and strokes, a study of 10,000 patients suggests.

Doddie Weir: 'I don't blame rugby for my MND'

Tuesday 29th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Two months ago former Scotland rugby international Doddie Weir announced he has motor neurone disease. After careers as a sportsman, farmer and after-dinner speaker, he spoke to BBC Scotland's John Beattie about his greatest challenge yet.

Virtual reality game takes on dementia

Tuesday 29th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Scientists have developed a virtual reality computer game as part of the world's biggest dementia research experiment.

Insulin pens: NovoPen Echo and NovoPen 5 (certain batches) – risk of hyperglycaemia due to cartridge holder weakening when exposed to certain household chemicals

Thursday 24th August 2017

Source: Medicines and Healthcare products

Regulatory Agency: <https://www.gov.uk/>

This alert advises healthcare workers to identify patients who use NovoPen Echo and NovoPen 5 insulin pens and inform them of the manufacturer's Field Safety Notice, which lists batch numbers of affected cartridge holders for recall and replacement.

Communicable diseases

Japanese fungus spreading in UK hospitals

Tuesday 15th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

More than 200 patients in England have been infected or contaminated with a drug-resistant fungus first found in Japan, health officials have confirmed.

Matt Dawson: I had to have heart surgery after a tick bite

Monday 21st August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

When former England rugby player Matt Dawson was bitten by a tick in a London park early last year, it caused a bacterial infection to spread through his body.

India swine flu death toll rises above 1,000 this year

Thursday 24th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

India appears to be in the grip of a swine flu outbreak with 1,094 recorded deaths over the past eight months, said an official report on Wednesday.

Diet & nutrition

Should we ban nuts in public places?

Wednesday 23rd August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Nuts are an on-the-go snacking staple, yet they are also potentially deadly to a small fraction of the UK population. So is it time to crack down on eating nuts in public and if so, where should we start?

Disability

How to get up mountains in a wheelchair

Saturday 19th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Michelle has multiple sclerosis and spends her time in a wheelchair. But she's going on a trek in the Lake District for the first time in more than 10 years.

Glasgow School of Art project personalises prosthetic limbs

Monday 21st August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Craftspeople have been working with amputees who use artificial lower limbs to create more personalised prosthesis.

'Three little girls tried to mug me'

Thursday 24th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

People from mining towns are three times as likely to claim disability benefit compared to the rest of the UK.

What I wish I hadn't said to my colleague

Monday 29th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Life with a disability can sometimes give rise to unspoken questions and sensitivities, but amid the awkwardness there can be humour.

Disabled people's rights to independent living eroded, equality bodies warn UN

Wednesday 23rd August 2017 Source: Equality and Human Rights Commission:

<https://www.equalityhumanrights.com/>

As health and social care budgets are slashed disabled people's right to independent living is being continually eroded, the UK's equality and human rights bodies have said.

Drug Misuse

[Drug deaths in Scotland rose by 23% in 2016](#)

Tuesday 15th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

The number of drug-related deaths in Scotland last year totalled 867, a rise of 23% on 2015.

Health protection

[Plants 'hijacked' to make polio vaccine](#)

Tuesday 15th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Plants have been "hijacked" to make polio vaccine in a breakthrough with the potential to transform vaccine manufacture, say scientists.

[Meningitis jab uptake 'worryingly low'](#)

Wednesday 16th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

School-leavers are putting themselves at risk of deadly meningitis if they do not take up the offer to be vaccinated against the disease, nurses are warning.

[Changes in duration of courses of antibiotics are options for further exploration, says RCGP](#)

Tuesday 15th August 2017 Source: Royal College of General Practitioners: <http://www.rcgp.org.uk/>

Professor Helen Stokes-Lampard, Chair of the Royal College of GPs, has responded to two studies published in the British Journal of General Practice today on the use of antibiotics to treat sore throats.

Health services administration

[Maternity 'must improve' at baby-deaths hospital trust](#)

Wednesday 16th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Maternity services at a health trust at the centre of a baby deaths inquiry must improve, inspectors have said.

[Newcastle health boss Sir Leonard Fenwick sacked](#)

Thursday 17th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

The longest-serving chief executive in the NHS has been sacked for gross misconduct.

[NHS call for equality over private hospitals' tax break](#)

Monday 21st August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

NHS trusts are calling for equal treatment on business rates after research revealed private hospitals get discounts worth £52m over five years.

Ashbrooke Care Home closed over 'serious risk to life'

Monday 21st August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

A nursing home has been forced to close because of care failings described as the worst ever seen by inspectors.

Health service savings consultation launched

Thursday 24th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Health trusts have unveiled £70m of cost-saving proposals that the public will have the opportunity to respond to in the coming weeks.

Stopping conflict 'boiling over' at children's hospitals

Friday 25th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

In his final ruling on the distressing and tortuous legal case of baby Charlie Gard, the High Court judge said last month that mediation should be tried in all such cases.

Operations cancelled as cyber attack hits NHS Lanarkshire hospitals and GPs

Friday 25th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Operations have been cancelled after hospitals and GP practices run by NHS Lanarkshire were hit by a cyber-attack.

PHE submits plans for world leading science campus

Tuesday 22nd August 2017

Source: Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

Plans for the new PHE site in Harlow are a step further forward after an outline planning application was submitted to Harlow District Council.

GP numbers set to receive major boost as NHS England acts to expand international recruitment

Tuesday 22nd August 2017

Source: NHS England: <https://www.england.nhs.uk>

NHS England is set to expand the GP workforce with the acceleration of an international recruitment programme, following a series of regional pilots.

NHS Digital launches e-nursing week campaign

Monday 21st August 2017

Source: NHS England: <https://www.england.nhs.uk>

NHS Digital has today launched its first ever e-nursing week in support of the campaign for a digital-ready workforce.

HIV & AIDS

Update on PrEP Impact trial in England

Monday 21st August 2017

Source: Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

In response to stakeholders, Public Health England (PHE) and NHS England have published an update on the PrEP Impact Trial.

HIV home-testing kits warning

Tuesday 22nd August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

People should not use the Hightop HIV/Aids Home Test Kit, the medicines regulator has warned.

Infant & child health

[Why Scottish babies might start sleeping in cardboard boxes](#)

Tuesday 15th August 2017 Source: BBC News: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Baby boxes containing essential items such as clothes, books and blankets are to be delivered to new mothers across Scotland for the first time.

[Peanut allergy treatment 'lasts up to four years'](#)

Thursday 17th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

An oral treatment for peanut allergy is still effective four years after it was administered, a study has found.

Mental health

[Theresa May admits UK mental health services are 'patchy'](#)

Thursday 17th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Theresa May says the UK's mental health services are "patchy" and has told Newsbeat she's going to review them.

[Asperger artist: Patrick Samuel says art saved his life](#)

Saturday 26th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Patrick Samuel has Asperger's syndrome. He uses art to deal with depression and self-injurious behaviour.

[Police calls for mental health issues up by a third](#)

Tuesday 29th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Calls to the Metropolitan Police about mental health have risen by almost a third in five years, figures show.

[Young people to benefit from new mental health awareness course](#)

Friday 18th August 2017 Source: gov.uk: <https://www.gov.uk/>

Theresa May visited NCS (National Citizen Service) to unveil a new course to raise awareness of mental health among young people.

[£500,000 to improve eating disorder services for young people in Wales](#)

Wednesday 16th August 2017 Source: Welsh Government:
<http://gov.wales/newsroom/>

An additional £500,000 a year will be invested by the Welsh Government to improve the care young people with eating disorders receive when they turn 18, Health Secretary Vaughan Gething has announced.

[Competition concerns found in adult mental health care merger](#)

Wednesday 23rd August 2017 Source: Competitions and Markets Authority:
<https://www.gov.uk/>

The CMA has provisionally found competition concerns in the merger between Cygnet and the Cambian Adult Services division of the Cambian Group.

[Global Council on Brain Health](#)

Tuesday 29th August 2017 Source: UK Health Forum: <http://www.ukhealthforum.org.uk/>

The new report outlined 9 recommendations to incorporate cognitively stimulating activities which maintain brain health and help with daily living. These recommendations offer a variety of ways for people to challenge their brains at any age.

17/78 Physical exercise for depression in adolescents

Tuesday 29th August 2017 *Source:* UK Health Forum: <http://www.ukhealthforum.org.uk/>
NHS National Institute for Health Research (NIHR), their Health Technology Assessment Programme is accepting stage 1 applications to their commissioned workstream for this primary research topic.

Vital that women aren't put off seeking help for perinatal mental illness

Tuesday 29th August 2017 *Source:* Royal College of General Practitioners: <http://www.rcgp.org.uk/>

"Attitudes towards mental health do seem to be improving across society – but a terrible stigma still surrounds mothers with mental health problems, not least from the women themselves. As this paper shows, many women think that if they disclose their concerns, they will be judged negatively or are frightened that social services might get involved.

Colleges join forces to make young people's mental health a priority

Monday 21st August 2017 *Source:* Royal College of General Practitioners: <http://www.rcgp.org.uk/>

The Royal Colleges of GPs (RCGP), Paediatrics and Child Health (RCPCH), and Psychiatrists (RCPsych) have committed to five shared principles that they hope will lead to tangible actions to improve the care and support of children and young people (CYP) with mental health problems.

UK Research Councils join forces on mental health

Thursday 17th August 2017 *Source:* Research Councils UK: <http://www.rcuk.ac.uk/>
The UK's seven research councils have announced they will be working together to encourage and strengthen mental health research.

Loneliness is not just for older people. I've found it crushing in my 20s

Saturday 19th August 2017 *Source:* The Guardian: <https://www.theguardian.com>
Being single, travelling the world solo, and grief over the death of my father have all taught me the meaning of loneliness.

How much can increasing spending improve mental health care?

Wednesday 23rd August 2017 *Source:* The Mental Health Foundation: <https://www.mentalhealth.org.uk/>

The Mental Health Foundation in partnership with the British Journal of Psychiatry discuss a recent paper on government spending on mental health.

Obesity

'Fat but fit' people may still be at risk of heart disease

Tuesday 15th August 2017 *Source:* NHS Choices: <https://www.nhs.uk/>
"Concept of being 'fit but fat' is a myth, researchers say," ITV News reports after a Europe-wide study looked at associations between body weight, metabolic health and heart disease.

Calories in popular foods must be cut, say health officials

Friday 18th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Targets are to be set to reduce calories in pizzas, burgers and ready meals as part of the government's drive to tackle child obesity in England.

Children with obesity need NHS help in Wales, doctor says

Tuesday 29th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Specialist help for obese children is essential to tackle an issue that has left young people facing major health problems, a leading expert has said.

Next stage of world-leading childhood obesity plan announced

Friday 18th August 2017

Source: Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk>

Public Health England (PHE) announces plans to consider the evidence, set guidelines and closely monitor progress on calorie reduction.

£5 million investment for new obesity policy research unit

Friday 18th August 2017

Source: Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk>

The new unit will look at the causes of childhood obesity and support delivery of the childhood obesity plan.

Older people

Time spent frail in old age 'doubles'

Wednesday 16th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

The amount of time spent needing daily care in late life has doubled in England over the past two decades, a study suggests.

Green man road crossings 'too fast'

Tuesday 22nd August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

The green man walking sign on pedestrian crossings may be too fast for elderly people to cross the road safely, suggest new draft guidelines for local councils.

Physical activity

10-minute walk a day app to tackle 'inactivity epidemic'

Thursday 24th August 2017

Source: NHS Choices: <http://www.nhs.uk/news/>

"Health bosses say 45 per cent of over-16s are so sedentary they do not manage the health-boosting ten-minute walk," the Daily Mail reports.

Middle-aged told to walk faster

Thursday 24th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Middle-aged people are being urged to walk faster to help stay healthy, amid concern high levels of inactivity may be harming their health.

'A pedometer saved my life': How I became fit in my 60s

Sunday 27th August 2017

Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Graham Ward was 60 when he was diagnosed with type 2 diabetes. It came after

decades of eating and drinking too much in a high-stress, sedentary job: "It was an explosion waiting to happen," he said.

Screening

[Cervical screening: coverage and data](#)

Tuesday 15th August 2017 *Source:* Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

These documents and links provide resources to help improve cervical screening coverage and access to screening services.

[Breast screening: consolidated programme standards](#)

Tuesday 15th August 2017 *Source:* Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

This document sets out the national standards for the NHS Breast Screening Programme (BSP).

[NHS screening programmes: KPI reports and briefings 2016 to 2017](#)

Wednesday 16th August 2017 *Source:* Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

Key performance indicator (KPI) data reports and professional briefings for NHS population screening programmes for financial year 2016 to 2017.

[Managing safety incidents in NHS screening programmes](#)

Monday 21st August 2017 *Source:* Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

Describes the processes for managing safety incidents in the NHS screening programmes.

[Sickle cell and thalassaemia screening: care pathway](#)

Friday 25th August 2017 *Source:* Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

This document describes the sickle cell and thalassaemia (SCT) screening pathways.

[Diabetic eye screening programme: pathway standards](#)

Thursday 24th August 2017 *Source:* Public Health England: <https://www.gov.uk/>

National pathway standards for the NHS diabetic eye screening (DES) programme.

Sexual health

[People who regularly groom their pubic hair at risk of injuries](#)

Thursday 17th August 2017 *Source:* NHS Choices: <https://www.nhs.uk/>

"A quarter of Americans are injured and hospitalized by tidying up 'down there'," the Mail Online reports.

[Record low teenage pregnancy rates could be under threat from 'perfect storm' of factors](#)

Tuesday 22nd August 2017 *Source:* Family Planning Association:

<http://www.fpa.org.uk/>

FPA has welcomed a further year-on-year drop in teenage pregnancy rates in England and Wales, but is concerned that this cannot be sustained in the face of a 'perfect storm' of factors reversing advances in sexual and reproductive healthcare.

Smoking

[LGA responds to Stop Smoking statistics](#)

Thursday 17th August 2017 *Source:* Local Government Association:

<https://www.local.gov.uk/>

Councils, which are responsible for public health, run a range of innovative programmes to help people quit smoking and have taken great strides in helping people to stub out tobacco for good.

Social & economic issues

[The rise of childlessness](#)

Friday 18th August 2017 *Source:* Economic and Social Research Council:

<http://www.esrc.ac.uk/>

Just 9% of English and Welsh women born in 1946 had no children. For the cohort born in 1970—who, barring a few late surprises, can be assumed to be done with babies—the proportion is 17%. In Germany 22% of women reach their early 40s without children; in Hamburg 32% do.

[The economic and social value of health](#)

Tuesday 29th August 2017 *Source:* UK Health Forum: <http://www.ukhealthforum.org.uk/>

The Health Foundation has launched a new £1.5 million funding programme for innovative research on the economic and social value of health in the UK.

Women's health

[Mum leaves random notes in York for new mothers](#)

Friday 18th August 2017 *Source:* BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

Handwritten letters offering mums support and a "kind word" have been left in random locations.

[Struggling after giving birth? You're not alone](#)

Saturday 19th August 2017 *Source:* BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/>

These mums had traumatic births, and they want more honesty about the toll it can take.

[Masks for smear test patients in Thailand](#)

Monday 21st August 2017 *Source:* BBC: http://www.bbc.co.uk

Cervical cancer can often be treated if it is caught early, but some women avoid being tested regularly due to embarrassment.

['Safer' Down's syndrome test to be introduced in Wales](#)

Monday 21st August 2017 *Source:* BBC: http://www.bbc.co.uk

A safer and more accurate test for Down's syndrome is to be introduced for pregnant mothers in Wales, the Welsh Government has announced.

[Chile abortion bill: 'My pregnancy was torture'](#)

Thursday 17th August 2017 *Source:* BBC: http://www.bbc.co.uk

Paola Valenzuela was 40 years old when she found out she was pregnant with her second child.

C-section mums warned about dangers of 'vaginal seeding'

Wednesday 23rd August 2017 Source: NHS Choices: <https://www.nhs.uk/>
A technique called vaginal seeding, sometimes used for babies born by caesarean section, "can give newborns deadly infections and sepsis," warns the Mail Online.

Reports that 'women have more stamina' look a little weak

Tuesday 29th August 2017 Source: NHS Choices: <http://www.nhs.uk/news/>
"Women have more stamina than men," is the definitive sounding, yet entirely unsupported headline in The Times.

Some women need a hysterectomy after sterilisation device Essure

Tuesday 29th August 2017 Source: BBC: <http://www.bbc.co.uk>
A number of women are having to undergo hysterectomies to remove a sterilisation device used on the NHS, the Victoria Derbyshire show has found.

Workplace health

Manual Handling for Assessors

Monday 28th August 2017 Source: Health and Safety Laboratory:
<https://www.hsl.gov.uk/>

This course will equip you with the knowledge to help recognise, assess and reduce manual handling risks in your organisation.

Slips and Trips - Falls Prevention

Monday 28th August 2017 Source: Health and Safety Laboratory:
<https://www.hsl.gov.uk/>

This course will help you understand the causes of slips, trips and falls, and highlight successful interventions that offer a great starting point for organisations looking to reduce falls.

BAOHSF/EEN - Healthy Workplaces for all ages - Promoting a sustainable working life

Monday 28th August 2017 Source: Health and Safety Executive:
<http://www.hse.gov.uk/>

Organisations of all sizes and sectors, public or private, as well as individuals, are welcome to join us for inspirational case studies from the public & private sector, sharing good practice and facts & figures from national bodies.

Too many trans employees lack support from their managers in the workplace, according to new Acas research

Friday 25th August 2017 Source: ACAS: <http://www.acas.org.uk/>
Prejudice can be a daily experience for trans people but poor awareness from employers about the challenges they face can leave them isolated at work, according to new research.

Local news: []

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Other Bulletins

Super Six Bulletin

This is a weekly Bulletin that details original articles in the BMJ, JAMA, New England Journal of Medicine and The Lancet, Annals of Internal Medicine and Annals of Emergency Medicine
<http://cash.libraryservices.nhs.uk/cash-service/rss-newsfeed-menu/medicine/big-four-bulletin/>

Daily Health Bulletin

The Daily Health Bulletin is produced by the Knowledge Service of the West and South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw Commissioning Support Unit.
<http://cash.libraryservices.nhs.uk/cash-service/daily-health-bulletin/>

Healthcare Public Health

Monthly bulletin containing news and information about key public health issues including health service commissioning, updates from Public Health England, local authorities, Faculty of Public Health and others agencies, resources and good practice.
<http://www.healthcarepublichealth.net/newsletters.php>

PHE Bulletin (Public Health England)

The PHE Bulletin is issued monthly and contains public health news and information.
<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/phe-bulletin>

Public Health and Social Care Bulletin

This is published weekly and created by Kent & Medway Public Health Observatory. It provides an update on what is new in public health and social care, both nationally and locally.
<http://www.kpho.org.uk/library-services/keeping-up-to-date/e-bulletin-archive>



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