

DR KHOR SWEE KHENG

Record of Publications, Lectures, Broadcast Interviews, Consulting & External Reviews
3 March 2022

PUBLICATIONS (since 2019)

Academic Journals

1. SK Khor. Challenges and opportunities for Health Policy and Systems Research Funding in the Western Pacific region. [Public Health Research & Practice](#), Volume 31, Issue 4, E3142123. 10 Nov 2021.
2. V Lin, A Ghaffar, SK Khor, KS Reddy. Strengthening health systems globally: a lingering challenge of funding. [Public Health Research & Practice](#), Volume 31, Issue 4, E3142115. 10 Nov 2021.
3. MWL Cheong, JM Piedagnel, SK Khor. Ravidasvir: equitable access through an alternative drug development pathway. [The Lancet Global Health](#). Volume 9, Issue 11, E1496-1497. 1 Nov 2021.
4. SK Khor, DL Heymann. Pandemic preparedness in the 21st century: which way forward? [The Lancet Global Health](#). Volume 6, Issue 6, E357-E358. 5 May 2021
5. YL Woo, P Gravitt, SK Khor, CW Ng, M Saville. Accelerating action on cervical screening in lower- and middle-income countries post COVID-19 era. [Preventive Medicine](#). Volume 144. 7 Mar 2021.
6. Healthier Society for Healthy Populations. [The Lancet](#). Volume 395, Issue 10239, P1747-P1749. 6 Jun 2020.
7. S Ambigapathy, GS Rajahram, UK Shamsudin, EM Khoo, WK Cheah, KM Peariasamy, PP Goh, SK Khor. How to use PPE for General Practitioners. [Malaysian Family Physician](#). Volume 15, Issue 1. 18 Mar 2020.

Book Chapters

1. The Evolution of Global Health Security (with DL Heymann). *Never Again: Ensuring the Future Health Security of Ireland and the World*. Elsevier (in press).
2. The Malaysian Health System: An Introduction. *Malaysian Health System Review*. Malaysian Medical Association (in press).
3. Leadership & Governance of the Malaysian Health System. *Malaysian Health System Review*. Malaysian Medical Association (in press).
4. Health Policy Issues in Malaysia (with Nur Nabila Nasharuddin & Victor Moses). *INPUMA Policy Casebook Series*. Institute of Public Policy & Management, University of Malaya Press (Nov 2021).

As Editor

1. Section Editor, Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases (with David L Heymann). *International Encyclopedia of Public Health*, Elsevier (in press)
2. Co-Editor (with Ronald McCoy, Mary Cardosa, Ashok Philip & Siang Chin Teoh), *Malaysian Health System Review*, Malaysian Medical Association (in press)
3. Co-Editor (with Vivian Lin), *Moving Towards Health Equity in the SDG Era – Lessons from the Asia-Pacific*, Routledge (in press).
4. Co-Editor (with Vivian Lin, Abdul Ghaffar & K Srinath Reddy), *Supplementary Issue: Strengthening Health Systems Globally*. [Public Health Research & Practice Journal](#), Volume 31, Issue 4, November 2021.
5. Co-Editor (with John Lim & Amina Mahmood Islam). *SDGHI Perspectives Essay Series: COVID-19 Vaccines in Southeast Asia*. [SingHealth Duke-NUS Global Health Institute](#), May 2021.

For Think-Tanks

1. Global Health Security Demands National as well as Global Responses ([Health Policy Watch](#), 29 Jan 2022)
2. India, Covid-19 and the Global Health Agenda ([Observer Research Foundation India](#), 26 Jan 2022)
3. Three Inter-locking Functions for Global Health Security ([Global Challenges Organization](#), 30 Nov 2021)
4. Decentralizing Healthcare in Post-Covid Malaysia ([Wisdom Foundation](#), 29 Sept 2021)
5. Malaysia-US Relations and the Biden Administration ([ISEAS Singapore](#), 16 April 2021)
6. Vaccine Confidence Requires Politics- Alongside Science ([Asia Global Institute](#), 8 April 2021)
7. A V(accine)-shaped Recovery for SEA ([SingHealth Duke-NUS Global Health Institute](#), 25 Mar 2021)

8. Insuring 100 Million Filipinos during Covid-19 ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 19 Feb 2021)
9. Lessons from Asia for a Multi-Year Pandemic ([Asia Society](#), 23 Dec 2020)
10. Should Covid-19 Vaccines be Mandatory? ([ISIS Malaysia](#), 23 Dec 2020)
11. Reforming Global Health Governance ([Council on Foreign Relations](#) Council of Councils, 10 Nov 2020)
12. South Korea's Test-kit Diplomacy ([ISIS Malaysia](#), 16 Nov 2020)
13. Non-Citizen Health in Thailand ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 16 Sept 2020)
14. Southeast Asia needs its own CDC ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 2 July 2020)
15. Re-evaluating SEA Public Health Policies for Second Covid Wave ([Penang Institute](#), 26 June 2020)
16. Malaysia needs a Pandemic Production Act ([Asia-Europe Institute](#), University of Malaya, 15 Apr 2020)
17. Reducing Moral Hazards in Malaysia's Public Healthcare System ([Penang Institute](#), 17 Mar 2020)
18. Why is Southeast Asia Responding Differently to Covid-19? ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 28 Feb 2020)
19. Global Refugee Health ([Council on Foreign Relations](#) Council of Councils, 30 Jan 2020)
20. The Politics of Coronavirus ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 24 Jan 2020)
21. The March of Private Healthcare in SEA ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 17 Jan 2020)
22. Elite Capture in Southeast Asia ([New Mandala](#), 10 Jan 2020)
23. The Geopolitics of Polio in Southeast Asia ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 20 Dec 2019)
24. The Brain Drain of Health Professionals from SEA ([Council on Foreign Relations](#), 11 Dec 2019)
25. Non-economic Benefits of Flexible Work Arrangements ([Penang Institute](#), 15 Nov 2019)
26. Economic Benefits of Flexible Work Arrangements ([Penang Institute](#), 15 Nov 2019)
27. Prevention Over Cure ([Penang Institute](#), 16 Aug 2019)
28. Projecting Malaysia's Soft Power ([Penang Institute](#), 9 Aug 2019)
29. Cutting Queues in Public Hospitals ([Penang Institute](#), 5 Aug 2019)
30. Future-proofing Malaysia's Health Workforce ([Penang Institute](#), 26 April 2019)

For Print Media

1. How to Improve Aged Care Infrastructure in Malaysia ([The Edge](#), 2 Mar 2022)
2. Solving the Healthcare Trilemma ([The Edge](#), 5 Feb 2022)
3. The Time for Healthcare Reforms is Now ([The Star](#), 11 Jan 2022)
4. The Second Year of Living Dangerously ([The Edge](#), 30 Dec 2021)
5. Three Unknown Public Health Heroes ([The Star](#), 16 Dec 2021)
6. Social Sciences and the Humanities for the Malaysian Physician ([The Edge](#), 8 Dec 2021)
7. The Care Economy in Malaysia ([The Edge](#), 18 Nov 2021)
8. How to Improve Private Primary Care in Malaysia ([The Star](#), 4 Nov 2021)
9. Five Suggestions to Strengthen the Booster Strategy ([The Star](#), 21 Oct 2021)
10. Tackling Urban Poverty in Malaysia ([The Edge](#), 21 Oct 2021)
11. Insurance Coverage for Mental Healthcare ([The Star](#), 11 Oct 2021)
12. How to Reduce Covid-19 Brought In Deaths in Malaysia ([The Edge](#), 5 Oct 2021)
13. Making Malaysia a Tobacco-free Nation ([The Star](#), 21 Sept 2021)
14. *Pentadbiran Awam Malaysia Masih Tidak Sempurna* ([Sinar Harian](#), 10 Sept 2021)
15. A Note to the New Health Minister ([The Edge](#), 8 Sept 2021)
16. My Profile in Malaysiakini ([Malaysiakini](#), 5 Sept 2021)
17. Merdeka Wishes for Our New Health Minister ([The Star](#), 2 Sept 2021)
18. Five Health Strategies for the New Government ([The Edge](#), 24 Aug 2021)
19. Malaysia Needs a Pandemic Cabinet ([Malaysiakini](#), 19 Aug 2021)
20. Accelerate ASEAN Collaborations on Covid-19 ([The Edge](#), 10 Aug 2021)
21. This is the Covid-19 Data We Need ([The Star](#), 10 Aug 2021)
22. More Scrutiny for Health Service by Parliament ([Malaysiakini](#), 8 Aug 2021)
23. Maintaining Trust in Public Health ([The Star](#), 4 Aug 2021)
24. The Way Out for SEA's 2021 Covid Disaster ([East Asia Forum](#), 21 July 2021)
25. Doctors Cry Out for Fairer Employment Terms ([The Star](#), 21 July 2021)
26. Health Emergency Action Plan ([Malaysiakini](#), 19 July 2021)
27. Malaysia Cannot Hope to Overcome Covid-19 Without A Plan ([South China Morning Post](#), 14 July 2021)

28. Complex Solutions for a Complex Migrant Health Problem ([The Edge](#), 14 July 2021)
29. Crucial Vaccination Months are Jul-Aug 2021 ([The Star](#), 7 July 2021)
30. A Health New Deal ([Project Syndicate](#), 6 July 2021)
31. Using Telehealth to Strengthen Primary Care ([The Edge](#), 30 June 2021)
32. Can We Ban a Medical Student Who Refuses Vaccinations? ([The Star](#), 23 June 2021)
33. Instilling Vaccine Confidence ([The Star](#), 9 June 2021)
34. Integrate Primary Care into the National Immunization Program ([The Edge](#), 8 June 2021)
35. How to Reduce Covid-19 in Malaysian Prisons ([Malay Mail](#), 31 May 2021)
36. What Does the Independent Panel Report Mean for Malaysia? ([Malaysiakini](#), 29 May 2021)
37. Tackling the Problem of Burnout ([The Star](#), 26 May 2021)
38. Malaysia Needs a 'Rakyat Vaccine Team' ([Malay Mail](#), 16 May 2021)
39. Act Now to Avert Mental Health Crisis Post-MCO3 ([Malaysiakini](#), 11 May 2021)
40. Three Selfish Reasons to Share Vaccines ([South China Morning Post](#), 6 May 2021)
41. Empower Teachers to Teach Sexuality Education ([Malaysiakini](#), 30 April 2021)
42. Companies Should Now Hire Chief Health Officers ([The Edge](#), 8 April 2021)
43. Re-imagining a Fairer and Healthier South-east Asia ([The Strait Times](#), 7 April 2021)
44. Covid-19 Vaccine Visas Risk "Vaccine Blocs" ([South China Morning Post](#), 31 Mar 2021)
45. Vaccinating Non-citizens and Building Vaccine Independence in Malaysia ([The Edge](#), 25 Mar 2021)
46. Southeast Asia's Vaccine-shaped Road to Recovery ([Bangkok Post](#), 25 Mar 2021)
47. Vaccine Passports in Singapore ([South China Morning Post](#), 18 Mar 2021)
48. After a Year of MCO, Recovery in Sight ([The Edge](#), 18 Mar 2021)
49. The Private Market for Vaccines ([The Edge](#), 9 Mar 2021)
50. Mobilizing Communities Against Covid-19 ([The Edge](#), 25 Feb 2021)
51. Three Vaccine Assumptions for 2021 ([Project Syndicate](#), 23 Feb 2021)
52. How to Manage Vaccine Liability in Malaysia ([Malaysiakini](#), 11 Feb 2021)
53. Strengthening Malaysia's Pandemic Laws ([The Edge](#), 4 Feb 2021)
54. Five health Policy Insights from Asia after a Year of Covid-19 ([The Straits Times](#), 3 Feb 2021)
55. Improve Covid-19 Data Reporting System ([Free Malaysia Today](#), 2 Feb 2021)
56. *Kes Baru Harian Tidak Mencerminkan Situasi Sebenar* ([Astro Awani](#), 31 Jan 2021)
57. Pandemic Emergency Powers must be Used Responsibly ([The Edge](#), 19 Jan 2021)
58. Is the Covid-19 Vaccine Safe? ([Science Media Centre](#), 5 Jan 2021)
59. Beating Covid in 2021: Managing time, risk and ambition ([Malay Mail](#), 31 Dec 2020)
60. Why Malaysia Can't Reveal the Vaccine Prices ([The Star](#), 29 Dec 2020)
61. The End of the Year of Living Dangerously ([The Edge](#), 28 Dec 2020)
62. How to Increase Vaccine Confidence in Malaysia ([Sin Chew](#) et al, 11 Dec 2020)
63. Malaysia's Vaccine Path ([The Edge](#), 8 Dec 2020)
64. Next Steps in Malaysia's Vaccine Journey ([Malaysiakini](#), 4 Dec 2020)
65. Sabah is Malaysia's Covid Priority ([The Edge](#), 27 Oct 2020)
66. Learning from SWIFT to Reopen Borders ([Straits Times Singapore](#), 17 Oct 2020)
67. Three Organizing Principles for Malaysia's Third Covid Wave ([The Edge](#), 13 Oct 2020)
68. The Plan to Vaccinate Malaysia ([The Edge](#), 3 Oct 2020)
69. An Asian Pandemic Success Story ([Foreign Affairs](#), 21 Sept 2020)
70. How can Southeast Asia Health Systems Collaborate Better ([The Edge](#), 18 Sept 2020)
71. What does Merdeka mean for Malaysia's Health? ([The Edge](#), 2 Sept 2020)
72. We need private sector-led public health responses ([The Edge](#), 15 Aug 2020)
73. The Politics of a Coronavirus Vaccine ([The Edge](#), 28 July 2020)
74. How to Pilot an ASEAN Travel Bubble ([Straits Times Singapore](#), 16 July 2020)
75. Smart Travel Bubbles in Southeast Asia ([The Edge](#), 15 July 2020)
76. Covid Travel Bubbles must be Rooted in Science ([South China Morning Post](#), 7 July 2020)
77. Malaysia & Global Health Security ([The Edge](#), 4 July 2020)
78. Health Reforms during Pandemics ([The Star](#), 15 May 2020)
79. Predictable Ultra-Long-Term Strategy Needed ([Malaysiakini](#), 14 May 2020)

80. How to Make Predictable Long-Term Covid Decisions ([South China Morning Post](#), 11 May 2020)
81. Ramadan and MCO can Co-exist ([The Star](#), 11 Apr 2020)
82. Uniting for Better Health after Covid ([The Star](#), 8 April 2020)
83. Balancing Regulatory Safety & Speed ([The Star](#), 7 April 2020)
84. Avoiding Domestic Abuse during Covid ([Malay Mail](#), 7 April 2020)
85. Outbreak Procurement ([The Star](#), 5 Apr 2020)
86. Surge Hospital Construction ([Malaysiakini](#), 5 Apr 2020)
87. Alternative Face Masks from Textiles Industry ([Malaysiakini](#), 3 April 2020)
88. Unintended Consequences of Decisions ([The Star](#), 1 April 2020)
89. Three Priorities: Procure, Test & Public Health in NSC ([The Star](#), 1 April 2020)
90. The Rights and Duties of Doctors during Pandemics ([Berita MMA](#), 29 Mar 2020)
91. Non-Medical Experts to Fight Covid ([The Star](#), 25 Mar 2020)
92. Social Distancing, Together ([The Star](#), 18 Mar 2020)
93. Covid is a National Security Issue ([Malaysiakini](#), 15 Mar 2020)
94. How to treat powerlessness in Malaysia's politics ([Malay Mail](#), 13 Mar 2020)
95. Here are Your Priorities, Health Minister ([The Star](#), 11 Mar 2020)
96. Travel Bans Don't Work ([South China Morning Post](#), 10 Mar 2020)
97. How to Select a Health Minister ([The Star](#), 4 Mar 2020)
98. Politicians are the new threat to public health ([The Star](#), 26 Feb 2020)
99. How will Malaysia fight Covid-19 without a Health Minister? ([South China Morning Post](#), 26 Feb 2020)
100. We Must Understand and Harness Fear ([The Edge Weekly](#), 18 Feb 2020)
101. All-of-Science Response ([South China Morning Post](#), 17 Feb 2020)
102. The Coronavirus that can change China ([Straits Times Singapore](#), 15 Feb 2020)
103. The Coronavirus Fight is a Marathon, not a Sprint ([The Star](#), 12 Feb 2020)
104. Science & Solidarity to Fight Coronavirus ([South China Morning Post](#), 8 Feb 2020)
105. Science & Unity will Save Malaysia ([The Star](#), 29 Jan 2020)
106. The Politics of Sihat Bersama 2030 ([Malaysiakini](#), 19 Jan 2020)
107. How to Reform Malaysia's Health Governance (Berita MMA, 15 Jan 2020)
108. How to Increase Transparency in MOH ([The Star](#), 15 Jan 2020)
109. Stand Firm on Smoking Ban ([The Star](#), 15 Jan 2020)
110. Proposing a Non-Citizens Health Act for Malaysia ([The Star](#), 11 Jan 2020)
111. Call for Motorcycle Safety ([Malaysiakini](#), 2 Jan 2020)
112. Lessons from Vision 2020 ([The Star](#), 1 Jan 2020)
113. Reinstate Critical Service Allowance ([The Star](#), 30 Dec 2019)
114. How to Reform Malaysia's Medical Schools ([The Star](#), 18 Dec 2019)
115. The Case for Mandatory Vaccinations ([The Edge](#), 17 Dec 2019)
116. The Case for Vaccinating Non-Citizens ([Malay Mail](#), 16 Dec 2019)
117. A Response by the Academy of Medicine Malaysia ([The Star](#), 16 Dec 2019)
118. Mandatory Vaccines in Malaysia ([Malaysiakini](#), 14 Dec 2019)
119. Is Our System in Crisis? Polio & Deregulation ([The Star](#), 10 Dec 2019)
120. How to Choose the Best Medical Students? ([The Star](#), 4 Dec 2019)
121. How Many Medical Schools Does Malaysia Need? ([The Star](#), 20 Nov 2019)
122. Modern Medicine Conceals Weaknesses of Systems (Berita MMA, 13 Nov 2019)
123. Paternalism in Healthcare: Part 2 (The Edge, 11 Nov 2019)
124. How Many Doctors does Malaysia Need? ([The Star](#), 6 Nov 2019)
125. Paternalism in Healthcare: Part 1 (The Edge, 4 Nov 2019)
126. Reactions to Budget 2020 ([The Star](#), 23 Oct 2019)
127. How to Reduce Costs of Private Hospitals, Private Insurance and Medicines ([The Star](#), 9 Oct 2019)
128. How to Reduce Unnecessary Healthcare Demand and Cost ([The Star](#), 2 Oct 2019)
129. How to Make Budget Decisions as Fair as Possible ([The Star](#), 25 Sept 2019)
130. Free to be Healthy (The Edge, 23 Sept 2019)
131. How do We Decide on Resource Allocations? ([The Star](#), 18 Sept 2019)

132. Why are Healthcare Costs Rising? ([The Star](#), 12 Sept 2019)
133. The Vital Signs of Merdeka ([The Star](#), 5 Sept 2019)
134. Where Should MOH Spend its Money in 2020: Part 2 ([The Star](#), 28 Aug 2019)
135. Where Should MOH Spend its Money in 2020: Part 1 ([The Star](#), 21 Aug 2019)
136. How to Improve Stewardship of Health Ministry Funds ([The Star](#), 15 Aug 2019)
137. Malaysia's Government Must Spend 10% Only for Health ([The Star](#), 7 Aug 2019)
138. Budget 2020: Spending Other People's Money ([The Star](#), 31 July 2019)
139. "Don't tell me what; tell me how" ([The Star](#), 24 July 2019)
140. Health is More Than Just the Health Ministry ([The Star](#), 18 July 2019)
141. Do We Want Health, or Healthcare? ([The Star](#), 10 July 2019)
142. What is a Health System? ([The Star](#), 8 July 2019)

LECTURES & PRESENTATIONS (since 2019)

Academic Presentations

1. Plenary: From National to Regional and Global Health Systems (8th Universiti Malaysia Sarawak Public Health Seminar, 22 Feb 2022)
2. "*Mengurangkan Beban Penyakit dan Meningkatkan Literasi Kesihatan*" (4th Malaysia Plan Webinar Series, organized by the Ministry of Health Malaysia, 15 Feb 2022)
3. SDG Webinar Series: Good Health and Well-being (National University of Malaysia, 11 Feb 2022)
4. The Ethics of Covid-19 (11th National Pediatric Research Conference, International Medical University, 19 Nov 2021)
5. Futures Studies and Humanities in Medical Education ([International Islamic University Malaysia](#), 24 Sept 2021)
6. Covid-19: Immediate Vaccine Needs and Considerations Beyond (SingHealth Duke-NUS Global Health Institute, 6 Sept 2021)
7. Global Health Governance and Pandemic Responses ([54th Malaysia-Singapore Congress of Medicine](#), 27 Aug 2021)
8. *Rasuah dan Generasi Muda* ([International Institute for Public Policy & Management](#), University of Malaya, 2 June 2021)
9. IP Rights and COVID: The WTO Waiver ([International Islamic University Malaysia](#), 7 May 2021)
10. Asia's Role in Global Health Leadership & Governance (Harvard Medical School's World Pre-Health Conference & AMSA, 21 Mar 2021)
11. Reinventing Careers: Covid-19 and the Future Work (SEA societies of Cambridge University, Kings' College and Warwick, 23 Jan 2021)
12. The Science, Politics and Geopolitics of the Covid Vaccine ([RSIS NTU](#), 15 Dec 2020)
13. Applying Health Systems Principles & Economic Analyses towards a Pandemic-Resilient Lab Service (Malaysian Association of Clinical Biochemists, 26 Nov 2020)
14. The Political & Commercial Determinants of Non-Citizen Health (Malaysian Bioethics Community, 3 Oct 2020)
15. The Anatomy of Health Advocacy in Malaysia (Academy of Medicine Malaysia, 23 Aug 2020)
16. The Impact of Covid-19 on Health & Health Equity in ASEAN ([SingHealth-Duke Global Health Institute](#), 1 July 2020)
17. Assessing the Impact of Coronavirus in China & Beyond (University of Oxford, 4 Mar 2020)
18. The Politics of Primary Care Reform (Queen Mary University London, 27 Jan 2020)
19. The Geopolitics of Health Systems (Raisina Dialogue Observer Research Foundation, 15 Jan 2020)
20. Non-State Actors in Malaysia's Health System (International Medical University, 11 Aug 2019)

Presentations for Think-tanks

1. COVID-19 Vaccination: Balancing Personal Liberty and Community Interest ([Institute for Democracy and Economic Affairs](#), 24 Oct 2021)
2. *Wacana Demokrasi dan Pembinaan Bangsa Malaysia* ([Institut Darul Ehsan](#), 20 Sep 2021)
3. Essence of a New National Paradigm ([Projek Bangsa Malaysia & Malaysian Youth Council](#), 10 Sep 2021)
4. Expectations From the Upcoming Parliament Session ([BERSIH](#), 8 Sep 2021)
5. The Challenge of Vaccine Distribution and Diplomacy (Moderator) ([34th Asia Pacific Roundtable ISIS Malaysia](#), 18 Aug 2021)
6. What do Health System Have to do to Prepare for the Next Pandemic ([KASI](#), 13 Aug 2021)
7. Healthcare Resilience: Malaysia's year into the Pandemic – tried and tested ([ISIS Malaysia](#), 10 May 2021)
8. Public or Private? Equity, Efficiency and Quality in Malaysia's Healthcare (Moderator) ([Konrad Adenauer Stiftung](#), 5 May 2021)
9. How to Manage Vaccine Confidence, Sustainably ([Asia Global Institute](#), 14 April 2021)
10. New Strategies for the Pandemic's Second Year ([ISIS Malaysia & the United States Embassy in Malaysia](#), 24 Mar 2021)
11. Malaysia & the Politics of Global Health during Covid-19 ([ISIS](#), 11 June 2020)
12. Covid-19 and Southeast Asia's Haze ([CERAH Anti-Haze Group](#), 7 June 2020)
13. Fighting Extremism during Disaster Planning ([SEA Women Peacebuilders Network](#), 15 May 2020)
14. The New Normal & The Path to Recovery ([Malaysian Health Diplomacy Foundation](#), 8 May 2020)
15. Constructing our Post-Covid Future ([REFSA](#), 6 May 2020)
16. The Science, Politics and Geopolitics of COVID-2019 ([ISIS Malaysia](#), 17 Feb 2020)

Public Lectures or Webinars

1. Budget 2022 and Decentralization ([Wisdom Foundation](#), 11 Nov 2021)
2. Healthcare and Budget 2022 ([Perdana Fellows Alumni Association](#), 31 Oct 2021)
3. Wellness and Health Strategies for Crisis Recovery and Nation Building (Moderator) ([5th International Conference on Nation-Building 2021](#), 9 Sept 2021)
4. Enhancing International Cooperation for Long-term Crisis Recovery and Nation-Building (Moderator) ([5th International Conference on Nation-Building 2021](#), 9 Sept 2021)
5. United Nations SDG Voluntary National Review ([Malaysia VNR](#), 22 Jul 2021)
6. Decentralizing Healthcare in Post Covid-19 Malaysia ([Wisdom Foundation](#), 29 Jun 2021)
7. The Global Vaccine Landscape ([International Society of Pharmaceutical Engineering Vaccines Conference 2021](#), 24 May 2021)
8. COVID-19 vaccine rollout and the ASEAN economy recovery ([CARI ASEAN](#), 7 April 2021)
9. World Health Day: Towards a Fairer and Healthier Tropics (Moderator) ([Mahathir Science Award Foundation and International Science Council](#), 7 April 2021)
10. The Public Health Implications of COVID-19 Vaccines (Malaysian Dental Public Health Specialists Association, 20 Mar 2021)
11. Ethics and Vaccines ([Malaysian Philosophy Society](#), 6 Mar 2021)
12. Should I take the Covid Vaccine? (In Hokkien Dialect/ Language) (2 Mar 2021)
13. The Vaccine Dialogue ([Projek Wawasan Rakyat](#), 24 Feb 2021)
14. Contract Doctors in Malaysia (Malaysian Medics International, 5 Dec 2020)
15. Plastics Pollution & Public Health (Bar Council & C4, 26 Nov 2020)
16. Sustainable Cost Control in SEA Private Healthcare (Malaysian Healthcare Tourism Council, 25 Nov 2020)
17. Health Policymaking and Diabetes (Sweet Spot Hackathon with Sanofi & Undi18, 22 Nov 2020)
18. Budget 2021: Borak MUDA Kesihatan ([Parti Muda](#), 12 Nov 2020)
19. Boosting the Economy and Managing Public Health (MIDF, 11 Nov 2020)
20. Budget 2021: Where is Healthcare Headed? ([National Oversight and Whistleblowers](#), 11 Nov 2020)
21. Balancing Lives & Livelihoods: The H2 Covid Update (UBS OneASEAN Conference, 21 Sept 2020)
22. Private Sector Leadership in Covid Responses in Southeast Asia (British Chamber of Commerce, Cambodia, 8 Sept 2020)

23. Youth Mental Health (Workshop for [Malaysian Public Policy Competition](#), 15 Aug 2020)
24. Malaysian Medical Summit: Panel on Contract Doctors ([MMI](#), 9 Aug 2020)
25. Beating Covid with the Whole of Malaysia ([Malaysia-China Chamber of Commerce](#), 26 April 2020)
26. Durable Solutions to the Climate Emergency (Dataran Merdeka, 19 Sept 2019)
27. Human Capital in Primary Care (Moderator) (People's Health Forum, 18 Sept 2019)
28. Provider Payment Mechanisms (People's Health Forum, 7 Aug 2019)
29. Durable Solutions: Transitioning from Humanitarian Assistance to Health Systems (MERCY Malaysia International Humanitarian Conference, 6 Aug 2019)
30. Sustainable Humanitarian Financing (MERCY Malaysia International Humanitarian Conference, 4 Aug 2019)
31. The Vital Signs of Malaysia's Health System (MMA Public Forum, 15 June 2019)
32. Models for Public-Private Partnerships in Malaysia (Moderator) (People's Health Forum, 11 June 2019)
33. Early Career Global Health Conference (Asia Pacific Consortium for Public Health, 15 April 2019)

BROADCAST INTERVIEWS (since 2019)

1. Analysis of Budget 2022 ([BFM](#), 1 Nov 2021)
2. Living with an Endemic COVID ([Astro Awani](#), 18 Oct 2021)
3. New Cabinet: Will it be any different? ([BFM](#), 27 Aug 2021)
4. Malaysia Has No Health Minister Currently ([BFM](#), 16 Aug 2021)
5. *Pertukaran Kerajaan & Masa Depan Kesihatan Negara* ([Astro Awani](#), 16 Aug 2021)
6. Status of Malaysia's Covid Responses ([Astro Awani](#), 12 Aug 2021)
7. Short-term Concessions are not Enough for Our Contract Doctors ([BFM](#), 27 July 2021)
8. The AstraZeneca Vaccine Roll-out in Malaysia ([Astro Awani](#), 4 May 2021)
9. Global Dynamics that are Reshaping Vaccine Policies ([Astro Awani](#), 6 April 2021)
10. Should We Allow Private Hospitals to Procure Their Own Vaccines? ([BFM](#), 12 Mar 2021)
11. Explaining the Covid Vaccine ([98.8 FM](#), 10 Mar 2021)
12. One Year of Covid Policies: Where are We? ([AI FM](#), in Mandarin, 9 Mar 2021)
13. Vaccine Queue – Jumping is a Threat ([BFM](#), 5 Mar 2021)
14. No Private Vaccines Market Until All Vulnerable Groups are Vaccinated ([Astro Awani](#), 3 Mar 2021)
15. *Menyelaras Pemberian dan Penerimaan Vaksin* ([Astro Awani](#), 3 Mar 2021)
16. *Memahami Faedah Vaksin COVID-19* ([Astro Awani](#), 25 Feb 2021)
17. What to Expect When the Vaccination Drive Begins ([Astro Awani](#), 23 Feb 2021)
18. How Will Malaysia Roll Out its Covid-19 Vaccination? ([BFM](#), 19 Feb 2021)
19. Can Malaysia Achieve Herd Immunity? ([BFM](#), 8 Feb 2021)
20. A More Holistic Approach to Covid ([BFM](#), 2 Feb 2021)
21. *Selaraskan SOP di Tempat Kerja untuk Pelaksanaan Adil dan Saksama* ([Astro Awani](#), 2 Feb 2021)
22. *Rawatan Covid untuk Bukan Warga Malaysia* ([Astro Awani](#), 28 Jan 2021)
23. *Apakah Iktibar Selepas Setahun Melawan Covid?* ([Astro Awani](#), 25 Jan 2021)
24. Is an MCO Necessary? (BFM, 22 Jan 2021)
25. *Adakah SOP Cukup Berkesan untuk Covid?* ([Astro Awani](#), 17 Jan 2021)
26. *COVID-19: Kes naik mendadak, Malaysia ke PKP Bersasar?* ([Astro Awani](#), 16 Jan 2021)
27. *COVID-19: Varian Baharu di Malaysia, SOP Ketat kepada Pengembara* ([Astro Awani](#), 13 Jan 2021)
28. What You Need to Know about the New Covid-19 Variants (BFM, 12 Jan 2021)
29. Malaysia's Vaccine Roll-out ([Astro Awani](#), 8 Jan 2021)
30. Hello Again, MCO? (BFM, 8 Jan 2021)
31. Covid-19: Vaccine Rollout Ready? ([Astro Awani](#), 8 Jan 2021)
32. Is There a Golden Ratio of Doctors Per Population? (BFM, 5 Aug 2020)
33. Wanted: A Health Minister (BFM, 9 Mar 2020)
34. Health: The Nuts & Bolts #5 – Hospitals and Healthcare (BFM, 9 Mar 2020)
35. Health: The Nuts & Bolts #4 – Training Doctors (BFM, 10 Feb 2020)
36. Health Matters: Healthcare for the Needy (Part 3 of 3) ([Astro Awani](#), 17 Jan 2020)

37. Health Matters: Healthcare for the Needy (Part 2 of 3) ([Astro Awani](#), 17 Jan 2020)
38. Health Matters: Healthcare for the Needy (Part 1 of 3) ([Astro Awani](#), 17 Jan 2020)
39. Health: The Nuts & Bolts #3 – Health Workforce (BFM, 13 Jan 2020)
40. Health: The Nuts & Bolts #2 – Corruption, Wastage and Fraud in Healthcare (BFM, 9 Dec 2019)
41. Health: The Nuts & Bolts #1 – Health System 101 (BFM, 11 Nov 2019)
42. Health Matters: Too Many Doctors in Malaysia?! (Part 3 of 3) ([Astro Awani](#), 9 Nov 2019)
43. Health Matters: Too Many Doctors in Malaysia?! (Part 2 of 3) ([Astro Awani](#), 9 Nov 2019)
44. Health Matters: Too Many Doctors in Malaysia?! (Part 1 of 3) ([Astro Awani](#), 8 Nov 2019)

CONSULTING

1. Leading a 15-month research project on enhanced Covid vaccination programs and post-Covid health security response in SEA for the Asian Development Bank. Beginning Mar 2022.
2. Supported the Asian Development Bank contribution to the Evidence-to-Policy Summit organized by the Evidence-to-Policy and Impact Unit, WHO. Oct-Dec 2021.
3. Led a research project for six WHO Regions on the political determinants of Health Policies & Systems Research (HPSR) funding for the Alliance for HPSR, WHO. Aug 2020-Jan 2021.

EXTERNAL REVIEWER

1. External Reviewer, [Mobility](#): Global Medicine & Health Research Program. Administered by the Wellcome Trust, Novo Nordisk Fonden, La Caixa Foundation and Volkswagen Stiftung. Offering 4-6 grants worth up to EUR1.5 million for 3-5 years. Oct 2020 (Round 1) and Sept 2021 (Round 2).
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