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We are CMEL! Welcome to the eighth issue of the CMEL Newsletter! This publication aims to update you on the latest news and information in the biomedical world. We will also share information about upcoming events, so stay tuned! Find out more about [CMEL](#). We also have a Facebook page, you can follow us [here](#).

Top stories in this newsletter**Upcoming Conference: Tackling Antimicrobial Resistance: Meeting the Global Challenge of AMR**

Don't miss our upcoming conference on the highly important issue of antimicrobial resistance! The two-day conference will be held on 9-10 November, and will include presentations from eminent speakers all over the world. Find out more information and register [here](#).

本中心十一月將舉行有關抗微生物藥物耐藥性的國際研討會，現接受登記。屆時來自世界各地的專家將就這議題作出多方面的探討和議論。詳情及報名請[按此](#)。

In the News: Health Tourism Charges come into force in England

In a move to increase financing for the NHS, patients will now be checked whether they are eligible for free healthcare and will be charged up front if they are not. This includes checking whether they have lived abroad in the last 6 months and if so, requiring documentation to show their entitlement to free healthcare. Opponents to these measures say that they may prevent vulnerable populations from getting the care they need. See [here](#).

為了改善財政，英國 NHS 將會實施新措施查看病人是否合資格享有免費醫療，而不合資格的病人將要先付款。反對人士認為新措施會使弱勢人士得不到適當及時的治療。詳情請[按此](#)。

In Commentary: Anti-microbial resistance

In anticipation of our upcoming conference on the global challenge of anti-microbial resistance, see below some timely and important commentary on the issue:

CMEL 將舉抗微生物藥物耐藥性的研討會，以下有一些有關的評論報導：

[Patients need rest, not antibiotics, say health officials](#)

(Includes a video featuring Dame Sally Davies, who will be a keynote speaker at the conference)

(此報導包括 Dame Sally Davies 的訪問，她將會是研討會的主講嘉賓)

[Why is it so difficult to discover new antibiotics?](#)

[Superbug 'sleuthing' finds secret outbreaks](#)

In Entertainment: Should Instagram be regulating eating disorder communities?

This commentary piece explores the role that social media sites such as Instagram have in the regulation of eating disorder communities, as well as some of the challenges that may arise. See more [here](#).

此評論探討如 Instagram 一類的社交媒體於監察鼓勵飲食失調的群組的角色，以及當中的困難。詳情