

## MMR jabs urged after 420 pupils are struck by measles

The Times, April 2006

“Doctors urged German parents yesterday to immunise their children quickly with the MMR vaccine to counter a measles epidemic that is sweeping through the industrial Ruhr region.”

## Separated MMR shots use children as guinea pigs.

New Scientist, September 2001

“Children who receive separate measles, mumps and rubella vaccinations are experimental guinea-pigs for an untested, unlicensed therapy that could risk their health, British doctors warned on Monday.”

## MMR fears coming true

The Daily Mail, February 2006

"Dr Peter Fletcher, who was Chief Scientific Officer at the Department of Health, said if it is proven that the jab causes autism, "the refusal by governments to evaluate the risks properly will make this one of the greatest scandals in medical history. He said he has seen a "steady accumulation of evidence" from scientists worldwide that the measles, mumps and rubella jab is causing brain damage in certain children"

## Scottish expert group finds no link between MMR and autism

British Medical Journal Online  
May 2002

"An expert group's review of the use of the measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR) vaccine in Scotland has concluded that it is the best method of protecting children against these diseases."

## The death agony of the anti-MMR campaign

Spiked Health, November 2005

“Even after a Cochrane review found 'no credible evidence' of a link between MMR and autism, sections of the British media just won't let it lie.”

## MMR: Every Parent's Choice

BBC News, February 2002

“As parents continue to shun the controversial triple jab despite mounting fears of a measles epidemic, Panorama asks how safe is MMR? The government tells parents that MMR - the triple vaccine against Mumps, Measles and Rubella - will not harm their children. But many do not believe it.”

# Grandmother launches legal action against MMR Vaccine Manufacturer

Evening Standard, August 2003

“A British grandmother has launched a legal action against a drugs company, claiming the combined MMR (measles, mumps, rubella) vaccine has ruined her grandson's life.”

# First measles death for 14 years

BBC News online, April 2006

“A 13-year-old boy has become the first person in the UK in 14 years to die from measles. A string of outbreaks mainly in England and Wales's traveling communities has led to 100 cases so far in 2006, compared with 76 in the whole of 2005. The boy...had not had the measles, mumps and rubella vaccine.”

# Doctor who warned on MMR loses job

Daily Mail, December 2001

“The specialist who first raised concerns about links between the MMR vaccine and bowel disease and autism has been forced out of his job, it emerged yesterday. Dr Andrew Wakefield, whose research provoked controversy over the triple measles, mumps and rubella jab, said he was asked to leave his post at a North London teaching hospital because of his 'unpopular' findings.”