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Why behavioural health promotion endures despite its failure to reduce health inequities

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Looking forward to the next 70 years: from a National Ill-Health Service to a National Health System

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There is no wealth but life: addressing health inequalities (HSMC, April 2018)

Forget lifestyle – poverty is driving cancer deaths (Irish Times, July 2017)

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A glossary of policy frameworks: the many forms of 'universalism' and policy 'targeting' (Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health, March 2017)

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Lifestyle drift is killing health promotion (James