Snappy Search: Poetry in healthcare

(Today is the UK's National Poetry Day)

A quick overview of the latest guidance and evidence on current issues such as smoking, sexual health, health inequalities, mental health, obesity, substance abuse, women’s health – in fact anything that you ask for!

If you have a topic suggestion, please email it to Rachel Posaner. Previous searches can be found at: http://bit.ly/1H6QOQk

All-Party Parliamentary Group on Arts, Health and Wellbeing

Creative Health: The Arts for Health and Wellbeing
(October 2017; includes links to full report to parliament, as well as podcasts and policy briefings)

Healthcare Values Partnership
(University of Oxford)

Education for compassion in healthcare: poetry for new doctors

Social Care Online

‘Angry, when things don’t go my own way’: what it means to be gay with learning disabilities
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THWAITE Alice
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Poems in the Waiting Room
Negotiating the care maze in poetry: the process of decision-making when a family member or friend needs full-time residential care
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Creative methodologies to enhance communication
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Healing words: A study of poetry interventions in dementia care
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Poetry as hybrid pedagogy in mental health nurse education
Short, N.P., Grant, A.
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Shapiro, J., Ortiz, D., Ree, Y.Y., Sarwar, M.
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Why not poems in the waiting room?
Young-Mason, J.
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The use of poetry writing in nurse education: An evaluation
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Blogs and other news

The Power of Poetry on Prescription (Created to Read blog, May 2016)

Narrative Matters: Poetry Meets Health Care (Health Affairs blog, Oct. 2015)

Poetry and Healthcare: The meeting of two worlds (Future Patient blog, Dec. 2014)

Art and literature could make doctors more competent and humane (Guardian, Nov. 2013)

Using poetry to boost the effectiveness of care (Guardian, Oct. 2013)


Developing the use of poetry within healthcare culture (British Journal of Nursing, Jan. 2002)

HSMC Library

Bibliotherapy (Snappy Search, Sept. 2016)