

Further reading and information on Health Policy

The health trade press and news pages of the professional journals will carry news and comment on health policy, as will the mainstream press when health policy takes the form of current news and controversy.

There are a number of academic journals discussing health policy in terms which most journalists will not find congenial, but which can offer greater detail (and RSS feeds to flag up new developments): a few of those in English include:

Eurohealth London European Health Policy Research Network and LSE Health

<http://www2.lse.ac.uk/LSEHealthAndSocialCare/publications/eurohealth/eurohealth.aspx>

Evidence-based healthcare London Churchill Livingstone

<http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/14629410>

Health policy, Amsterdam Netherlands Elsevier

http://www.elsevier.com/wps/find/journaldescription.cws_home/505962/description#description

Health policy and planning Oxford University Press in association with the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine <http://heapol.oxfordjournals.org/>

Health research policy and systems, London BioMed Central <http://www.health-policy-systems.com/>

International Journal of Health Services, Baywood publishing, US,

<http://www.baywood.com/journals/PreviewJournals.asp?Id=0020-7314>

Journal of Public Health Policy South Burlington, Vt., Journal of Public Health Policy

<http://www.palgrave-journals.com/jphp/index.html>

Journal of Health Services Research & Policy Edinburgh Churchill Livingstone

<http://jhsrp.rsmjournals.com/>

The Open Health Services and Policy Journal Hilversum Bentham Science Publishers

<http://www.benthamsience.com/open/tohspj/>

Health Policy Monitor website <http://www.hpm.org/en/index.html>

Additional sources

The WHO website offers a wide range of sources on different aspects of health policy:

- [Research policy](#)
- [Health systems](#)
- [Health and development](#)
- [Health information \(Western Pacific Region\)](#)
- [Evidence and Information for Policy](#)
- [Alliance for Health Policy and Systems Research \(HPSR\)](#)
- [Health stewardship and governance \(European Region\)](#)
- [National health accounts](#)
- [Selection and rational use of essential medicines](#)
- [Medicines policy](#)
- [Mental health policy, planning and service development](#)
- [Drug access campaign, links](#)