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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.cjd.ed.ac.uk/>

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Description: The incidence of Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease (CJD) is monitored in the UK by the National CJD Surveillance Unit (NCJDSU) based at the Western General Hospital in Edinburgh, Scotland. The Unit brings together a team of clinical neurologists, neuropathologists and scientists specialising in the investigation of this disease. This document is intended to summarise the research in progress at the NCJDSU and also provide some background information about CJD and other human spongiform encephalopathies. We have also provided some links to other resources and contrary points of view available on the Web.

Abbreviations: NCJDSU

Synonyms: National Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease Surveillance Unit, The National Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease Surveillance Unit, National CJD Surveillance Unit

Resource Type: data or information resource, portal, topical portal

Resource Name: NCJDSU

Resource ID: SCR_013183

Alternate IDs: nif-0000-32035

Old URLs: <http://www.cjd.ed.ac.uk/vcjdworld.htm>

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for NCJDSU.

No alerts have been found for NCJDSU.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 9 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [NIF](#) .

Kanguru L, et al. (2024) A review of the enhanced CJD surveillance feasibility study in the elderly in Scotland, UK. BMC geriatrics, 24(1), 12.

Harrison KL, et al. (2022) Developing neuropalliative care for sporadic Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease. Prion, 16(1), 23.

Kanguru L, et al. (2022) A clinicopathological study of selected cognitive impairment cases in Lothian, Scotland: enhanced CJD surveillance in the 65 + population group. BMC geriatrics, 22(1), 603.

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Bekiesińska-Figatowska M, et al. (2012) The value of magnetic resonance imaging in the early diagnosis of Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease - own experience. Polish journal of radiology, 77(1), 63.

Williams R, et al. (2011) Creutzfeldt-jakob disease as a cause of cognitive decline and seizures in the elderly: diagnostic pointers and strategy for investigation. Case reports in medicine, 2011, 719583.

Notari S, et al. (2010) Multiorgan detection and characterization of protease-resistant prion protein in a case of variant CJD examined in the United States. PloS one, 5(1), e8765.

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Ludlam CA, et al. (2006) Clinical perspectives of emerging pathogens in bleeding disorders. Lancet (London, England), 367(9506), 252.