

## Review of: "[Viewpoint] Vaccination campaigns against Covid-19 may promote vaccine hesitancy toward mostly well-established, safe, and effective vaccines"

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Many studies on the national coverage and side effects of the COVID-19 vaccine have been published and continue to be published. It will be possible to form an opinion about the vaccine and its side effects by compiling the researches impartially and independently of the company.

The long-term effects of the disease also need to be considered. This situation will contribute to the correct comparison of vaccine side effects with the frequency of complications after the disease. This issue was not taken into account in the assessment.

The articles given below should be considered when discussing COVID-19 vaccine side effects;

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