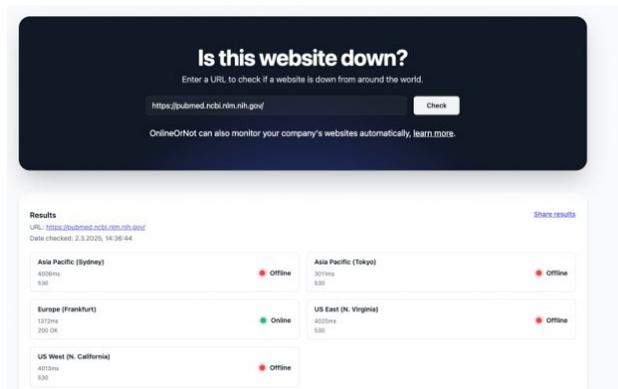


NOTEWORTHY

PUBMED ALREADY DYING?

2.03.2025

Pubmed is again down today following some cryptic messages last week.



*Pubmed not accessible. I don't believe in any geo block.
Maybe a DDOS attack?*

Medpage has a [longer article](#) discussing the fate of the database given the fact that the Trump administration has signaled its hostility to the NIH and research in general.

1. Make it inaccessible. ... This one is straightforward: lay off everyone involved in maintaining PubMed and take it offline.
2. Stop updating it. Similar to the first one ... stop adding new publications to the database...
3. Change the indexing system for journals. This could be weaponized to punish journals... [for] research on certain health policies and populations, and so on.
4. Strip the indexing system for journals. .. This would be the "flood the zone" method. ... This would remove the limited safeguards we have in place so no quality checks would exist at all.
5. Remake it. Delete what you don't like...

I think this is an emergency call for the EU to fund future Pubmed indexing.

Things to do now

- let <https://dnschecker.org/#A/pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov> do the job
- run standard searches “[transgender diversity](#)” and “[women equal opportunities](#)” for comparison to March 3, 2025

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RESULTS BY YEAR

1998 2025

Trans in treatment: a mixed-method systematic review on the psychotherapeutic experiences of transgender and gender diverse people.

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Cite Mezzalana S, Carone N, Bochicchio V, Villani S, Cruciani G, Quintigliano M, Scandurra C. Res Psychother. 2025 Feb 28. doi: 10.4081/ripppo.2025.834. Online ahead of print.

Share PMID: 40019470 **Free article.**

Transgender and/or non-binary (TNB) individuals encounter a variety of attitudes from mental healthcare professionals in therapeutic contexts, ranging from microaffirmations to the reinforcement of cis- and heteronormative stereotypes and even overtly invalidating behavior ...

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RESULTS BY YEAR

1971 2025

Perceived sexual harassment and gender differences in anesthesiology: a cross-sectional survey.

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Cite Shenoy R, Harter R, Uribe A, Abdel-Rasoul M, Tishko J, Weaver T, Stein E. Front Public Health. 2025 Feb 12;13:1478340. doi: 10.3389/fpubh.2025.1478340. eCollection 2025.

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Most studies investigating SH have found that **women** report higher rates of SH experiences compared to men, with documented incidences reaching as high as 81%. ...Around 40.1% of respondents indicated that they did not react to or report SH events, with a significantly high ...

Update 3.3.2025

With the help of chatGPT, the log files at zonemaster.net and [hacker news](https://hackernews.com), the most likely scenario is now a misconfigured firewall upfront of the 3 NIH name server. Can also confirm that the search for “transgender” at nih.gov is redirected to the search page.

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