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Dear Dr Fauci

I was just re-reading your January 23 Viewpoint article in JAMA. So little time has passed, but so much has changed, and your comments seem prescient.

I have been working on emergent/re-emergent infectious agents for some time, and authored a 2018 report for the UK government on vaccine responses that was summarised in a Vaccine publication last October attached. As almost everyone else, my attention has been redirected to Covid-19, although monkeypox remains a focus of my interest.

You and your colleagues may be interested in two short documents I produced for the UK government on the 20<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> of March. That also seems long ago now!

As fellow citizen of our planet, I thank you and colleagues for your unstinting efforts to control infectious disease and Covid-19 in particular.

Warmest wishes

Karl