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I'm editing a paper now that has gone thru second level review. Can we please get some guidance on virus and disease nomenclature?

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I'm reading that yesterday the International Committee on Taxonomy of Viruses came up with "SARS-CoV-2" as the new name of the virus. So, COVID-19=disease, SARS-CoV-2=virus. Glad that's all clear!

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It is not entirely clear but it seems WHO is calling the disease COVID-2019 but the virus remains 2019-nCoV. If that is the case, when or if we adapt the COVID-2019 name we'll need to be careful to use the two names appropriately.

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I would think so. The name issue has been talked about for weeks and WHO is the organization to do it.

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So we should definitely update everything in the production pipeline to reflect the name change, no?

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Today, WHO has declared a new name for the recently emerged coronavirus keeping us busy. Its:

COVID-19

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