

## **Press release: Preventable illness is factor in slower life expectancy increases**

A new report from Public Health England shows that preventable illness is one of many factors behind slowdown in raising life expectancy.

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## **Press release: Milestone for A585 bypass plan**

A new dual carriageway in Lancashire is a step closer after the Planning Inspectorate agrees to examine plans.

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## **Press release: Employment Minister welcomes new UK employment record**

Wage growth has outstripped inflation for the ninth month in a row and the UK employment level is at an all-time high.

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## **Press release: Construction resourcing boss banned for failing to pay correct taxes**

Boss of Bolton-based company that supplied construction workers has been disqualified for seven years for failing to declare all the company's tax liabilities.

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## **Press release: SMC relaunch with 12 new commissioners and bigger research budget**

To coincide with relaunch, we're publishing the 2018 social mobility barometer. It shows a deep divide between rich and poor and pessimism amongst the young.