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## Announcement of Webinars

### Vaccination Necessity in UK Prisons

Every day, over 400,000 people are being vaccinated across the United Kingdom, a number far greater than the entire population of prisoners and staff. Vaccinating all prison staff and prisoners is eminently deliverable. It should be done. Now.

Not only would this reduce infection, illness and death in prison, and reduce the spread of infection into the community, it would also help prisons get out of their extreme lockdown and restore some hope, at least.

Next month, we will be hosting an expert panel, reviewing what has worked, and what hasn't, in the fight against coronavirus in prisons. You can [find out more about this webinar here](#).

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### News and Commentary

Nicki Jameson and Eric Allison, authors of *Strangeways 1990: A serious disturbance*, [chart the changes in imprisonment and punishment](#) across successive governments since the protests. Whilst there have been changes in prison policy, much intrinsically remains the same, and small pockets of resistance from within continue to emerge.

Last year, we collaborated with National Prisons Radio on a documentary about the **1990 Strangeway's prison protest**, called 'Secret life of prisons'.

The documentary, originally broadcast across the prison estate, featured interviews with a number of the contributors to our ['After Strangeways' webinar series](#), which we're holding later this month.

You can listen to the full documentary, in a two-part podcast, [here](#).