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New important thread.

Explored: Rockefeller communique on #contacttracing, Verified (UN) guide on #vaccine #communications, insights via #Vaccine Confidence Project, & a Behavioral Insights report. Today> special report from Oct 15 2020 meeting, #WHO, Technical Advisory Group.

BEHAVIOURAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR **ACCEPTANCE AND UPTAKE OF COVID-19 VACCINES**

WHO TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP ON BEHAVIOURAL
INSIGHTS AND SCIENCES FOR HEALTH



Meeting Report
15 October 2020



"On 15 Oct 2020, the WHO Technical Advisory Group (TAG) on Behavioural Insights & Sciences for Health held a special meeting w/ the WHO Department of Immunization, Vaccines & Biologicals to discuss behavioural considerations in relation to COVID-19 #vaccine #acceptance & uptake."

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The report was developed by members of the WHO Technical Advisory Group on Behav. Insights & Sciences for Health, chaired by Cass Sunstein, largely credited w/ developing/popularizing notion of "nudges" as policy tools.

Technical Advisory Group members:

<https://t.co/LhWPeGjqOJ>

 **Cass Sunstein** ✓
@CassSunstein

How to increase COVID-19 vaccine acceptance and uptake? A report, released just yesterday, from @WHO, with reference to behavio(u)ral science. @ElenaAltieri @DrMikeRyan @LiamDelaney2020 @DrTedros @genebsperling @BrianCDeese @B_I_Tweets @MamidiPavanH apps.who.int/iris/bitstream...

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 **Elena Altieri**

Nudge theory: "concept in behavioral econ., political theory, & the broader behav. sciences purporting positive reinforce., defaults, indirect suggestions, [] still allowing freedom of choice, [] that can influence behavior & decision making, esp. aimed

at issues of #compliance."

Nudge Theory: Although it is debated whether this is a new concept in behavioral economics or not it has recently been brought to the forefront of intellectual endeavors and also political policy by Richard Thaler and Cass Sunstein's book "Nudge: Improving Decisions About Health, Wealth, and Happiness" (2008).

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