In an editorial, Carmen Dolea et al. (486) announce a *Bulletin* theme issue that will explore health worker retention in remote and rural areas. In a second editorial, David A Sack et al. (487) discuss the complexities of international research contracts. Also in an editorial, Kevin M De Cock et al. (488) argue that expanding antiretroviral treatment may reduce HIV transmission rates.

In an interview, the Ethiopian health minister Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus (495–496) talks about a new approach to make aid for health work.



Is screening evidence-based?

Joseph Pachman (529–534) questions the relevance of pre-employment medical examinations.

Estimating immunization coverage

Anthony Burton et al. (535–541) describe the methods and processes used to assess national infant immunization coverage independently.

Cutting antiretroviral prices

Brenda Waning et al. (520–528) estimate the impact of global strategies aimed at reducing the price of antiretrovirals.