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Media reports about refugees and asylum seekers

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- 31/05/19: [Armed PNG police deployed amid 'daily' Manus refugee suicide attempts](#) (Daily Mail UK)
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- 31/05/19: [Manus asylum seekers treated at local hospital despite million dollar health contract](#) (SBS News)
- 31/05/19: [UN Working Group criticises Australia on immigration detention](#) (ABC News)
- 31/05/19: [Where does the Coalition's re-election leave refugees on Manus and Nauru?](#) (Guardian Australia)
- 31/05/19: [Refugee Suicide Attempts Spike On Manus Island Following Australian Election Results](#) (The Organisation for World Peace)
- 30/05/19: [Asylum boat arrival sparks border debate](#) (9News)
- 30/05/19: [Boatload of 20 Sri Lankan asylum seekers brought to Christmas Island](#) (SMH)
- 29/05/19: [Manus Island in 'unprecedented crisis' as refugee self-harm surges after Australian election](#) (ABC News)
- 27/05/19: [New Zealand urged to create more compassionate refugee policy](#) (ProBono Australia)
- 23/05/19: [Manus Island: Refugee 'suicide attempts' in wake of Australia election](#) (BBC)
- 23/05/19: [Coalition's plan to repeal Medevac law a 'death warrant' for refugees: advocacy groups](#) (SBS News)
- 23/05/19: [More than 40 refugees transferred to Australia for urgent treatment since medevac laws passed](#) (Guardian Australia)
- 22/05/19: ['People just lost hope': After Australia's election, asylum seekers attempted suicide](#) (Washington Post)
- 22/05/19: [Aus govt cannot ignore Manus Island suicide attempts - advocate](#) (RNZ)
- 22/05/19: [At Least Four People on Manus Island Attempted Suicide after the Australian Election](#) (Vice.com)
- 22/05/19: [Government pushing ahead with medevac repeal, despite Senate opposition](#) (SBS News)
- 21/05/19: [Refugees attempted suicide after Australia's election, activists say](#) (CNN)
- 21/05/19: [Manus activist says detainees have 'completely lost hope' after election result](#) (News.com)

- 20/05/19: [Morrison faces roadblock on refugee bill](#) (Canberra Times)
- 19/05/19: [Aust coalition win dims hope for Manus, Nauru refugees](#) (PNG Post Courier)
- 18/05/19: [Petition supporting Tamil family delivered to Immigration Minister](#) (SBS News)
- 14/05/19: [Biloela's Tamil family lose high court bid to avoid deportation](#) (Guardian Australia)
- 10/05/19: [The obscurity of consensus: Refugees in the Australian Election](#) (Independent Australia)
- 10/05/19: [Refugees on Nauru hope for border policy change](#) (The Australian)
- 9/05/19: [NZ refugee offer not ruled out: Dutton](#) (The New Daily)
- 9/05/19: [PM sees plenty of scope in US refugee deal](#) (The Australian)
- 9/05/19: [Federal election 2019: Border security brought into election campaign by Peter Dutton](#) (The West Australian)
- 8/05/19: [Ex-Nauru president Sprent Dabwido who oversaw detention centre reopening dies](#) (ABC News)
- 5/05/19: [Whatever happened to the 'border security election' we were supposed to have?](#) (SMH)
- 3/05/19: [The issues that have swung our elections](#) (The Conversation)
- 2/05/19: [Advocates slam holding Manus Island refugee 'in police cell' after self-harm](#) (SBS News)
- 1/05/19: Trafficking in old anxieties ([The Interpreter](#))
- 30/04/19: [Partner of Deceased Refugee Sues Australian Government](#) (Lexology - Legal Updates)