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- 20/8/18 - [Human rights groups set deadline to get all refugee children off Nauru](#). Coalition of NGOs and charities calls for children to be brought to Australia by 20 November
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- 11/8/18 - [Hamid was killed by Australia: Coroner damns offshore detention](#) It has taken four years, but the Coroner's Findings on the death of Hamid Khazaei have delivered a scathing indictment of offshore detention.
- 10/8/18 - [Sick Manus Island refugees not given interpreters](#) Following last year's eviction from the detention centre on Manus Island, interpretation services were withdrawn from about 600 men exiled there by Australia. Serious inadequacies and systematic failures with the men's healthcare have since been highlighted by the [United Nations](#), [Amnesty International](#) and the [Queensland Coroner](#).
- 7/8/18 - [Bangladesh says Myanmar isn't tackling Rohingya concerns](#)
- 3/8/18 - [Globally dealing with displaced people and migration](#). After six rounds of consultations, United Nations member states have produced the final draft of the [Global Compact](#) for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration (GCM).
- 2/8/18 - [Going blind, begging for painkillers: Manus medical neglect continues](#) Days after a coroner found "systemic failures" caused the death of Hamid Kehazaei on Manus Island, doctors say *healthcare on the island* is the worst it has been. Guardian Australia has learned of at least two critical cases being left untreated: one man faces permanent blindness and another has been five days with a suspected fractured femur, given only Panadol and a bandage. Doctors say more refugees under Australia's care will die if healthcare is not reformed.
- 2/8/18 - [Sri Lankan asylum seekers are being deported from Australia despite fears of torture](#) - Given Australia's intense secrecy on asylum issues, [little is known] about the

[116 Sri Lankans who were in detention](#) as of April, or the 42 holding precarious bridging visas who also face an uncertain future.



- 1/8/18 - [Why the media are to blame for racialising Melbourne's 'African gang' problem](#) - The central issue here is not that violent incidents are being covered – it's the media's duty to report on issues of public safety. The problem is the disproportionate amount of attention focused on the so-called African gang problem in Melbourne and the way these incidents are being discussed.
- 1/8/18 - [Peter Dutton again forced by court to transfer sick child from Nauru to Australia](#)

