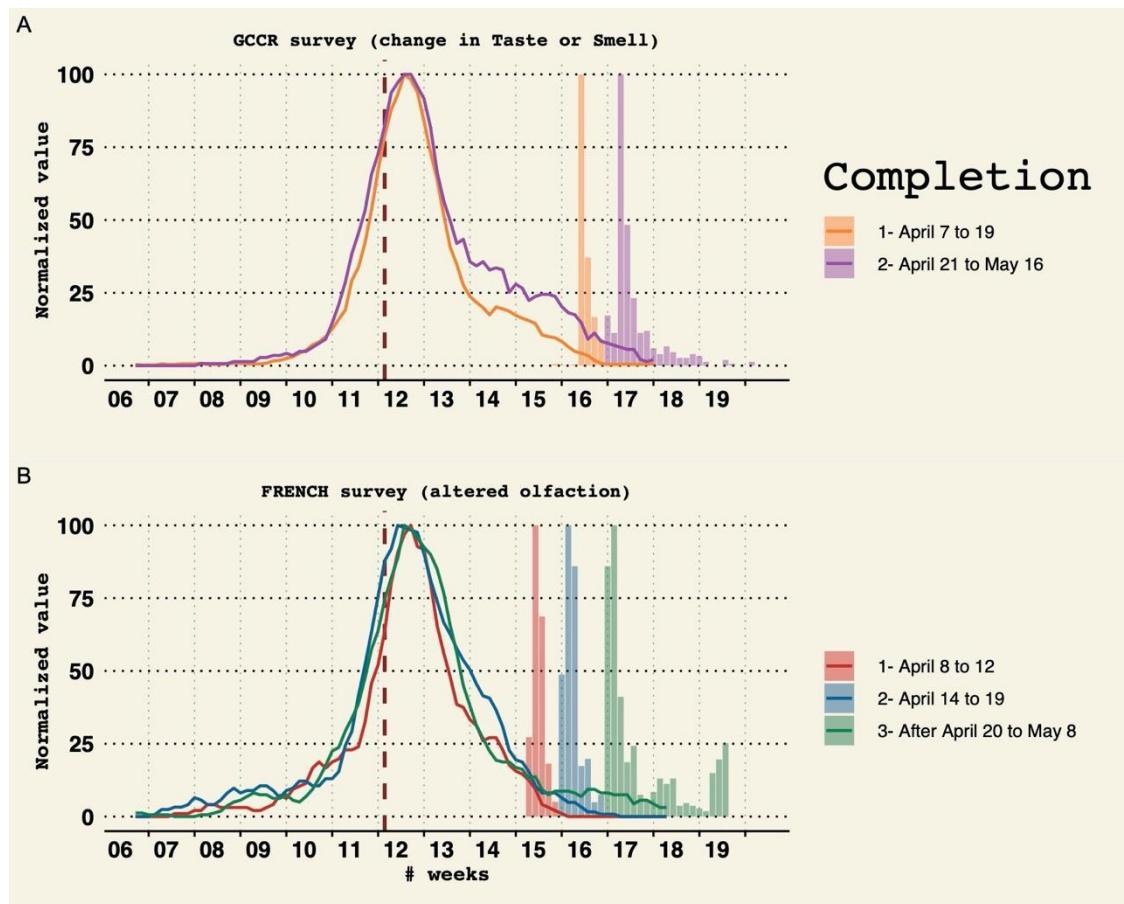


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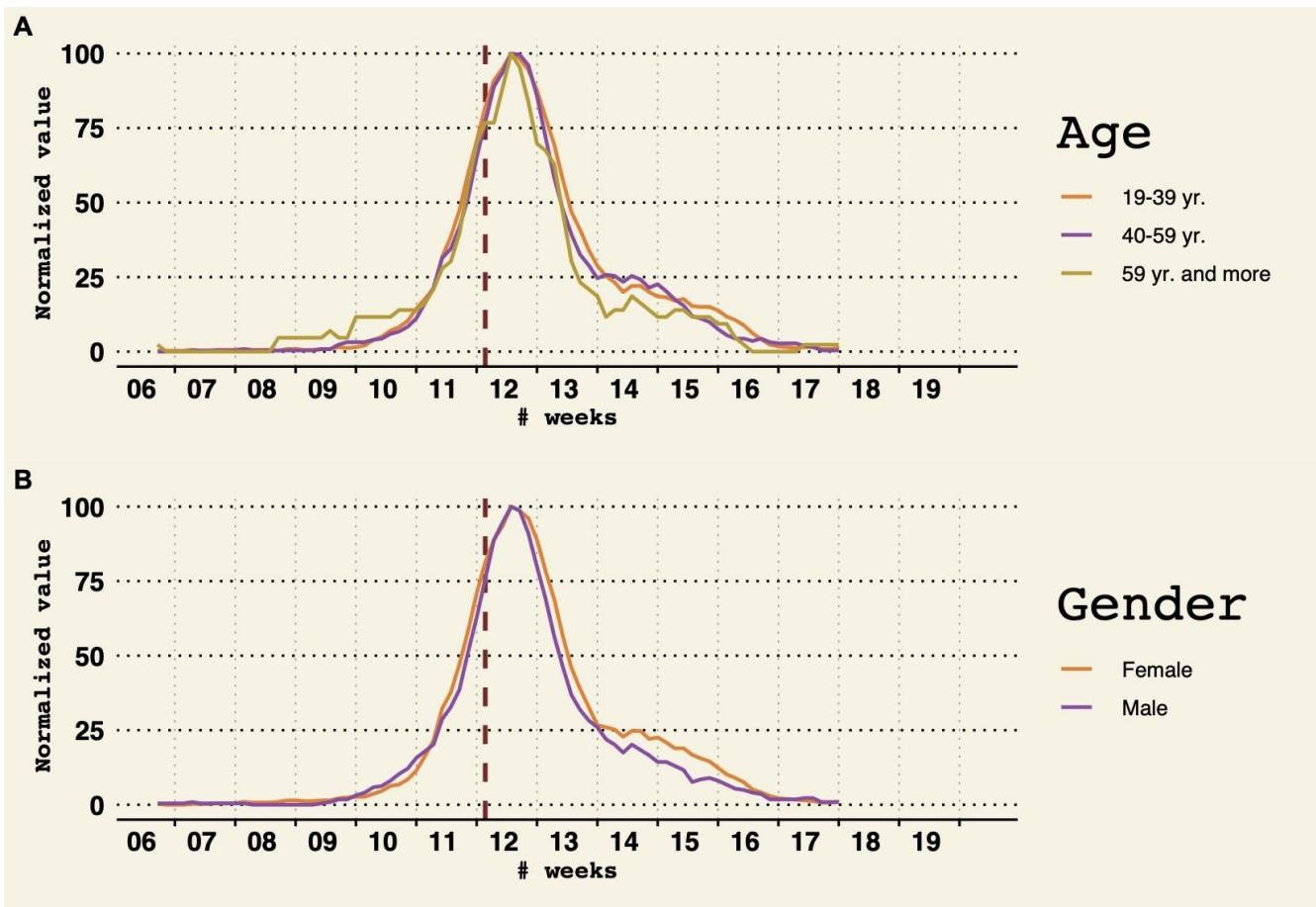


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3 **Supplementary Figure 1.** Evaluation of the robustness of reported smell and taste changes over time.
4 Colored lines represent the proportion of reported onset of smell and taste change normalized to the
5 highest value of each series. The barplot indicates the proportion of the date of completion of the survey
6 (normalized to the highest value of each series). Colors represent groups of participants according to
7 completion time. French lockdown is represented by the vertical brown dashed line. **A)** Peaks of
8 smell/taste changes in the French participants who answered the GCCR questionnaire according to
9 different dates of completion (before or after April 20). **B)** Date distribution of an independent French
10 survey performed on 950 individuals and focusing on smell alterations in the French population
11 independently of COVID-19 (see **Methods**).
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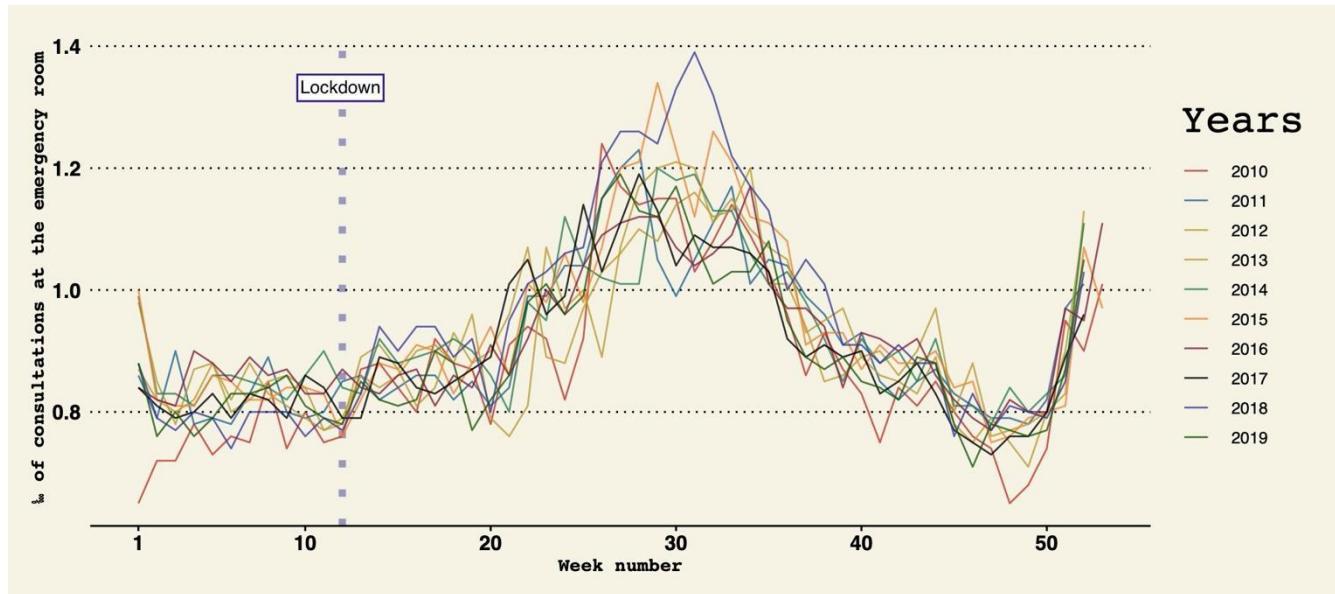
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4 **Supplementary Figure 2.** Time of peaks of smell/taste changes in French participants who answered
 5 the GCCR questionnaire according to their age or gender. Similarly to figure S1, colored lines represent
 6 the proportion of reported onset of smell and taste normalized to the highest value of each series. Colors
 7 represent groups of participants according to age (S2.A) or gender (S2.B).

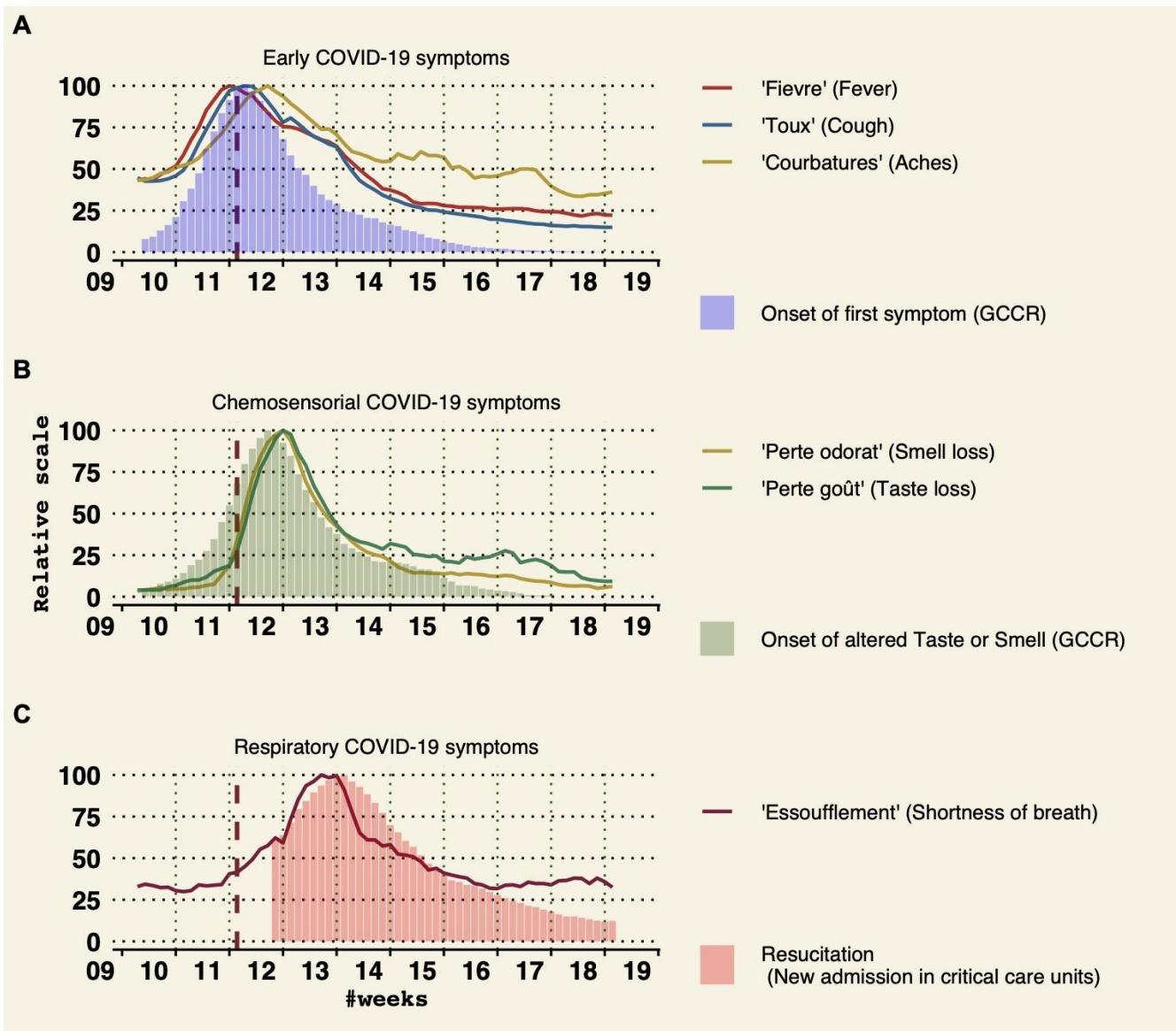
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3 **Supplementary Figure 3.** Evolution of the ratio of consultation for allergies in the emergency room (for
 4 10,000 consultation) over time during the last 10 years. The start of the 2020 lockdown is represented
 5 by the vertical blue line.



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3 **Supplementary Figure 4.** Google trends in France for COVID-19 symptoms. The French lockdown
 4 start is shown by a brown dashed line. **A)** The peak of the onset of first symptoms declared in the GCCR
 5 survey (blue bars, 1 day after the lockdown) corresponds to peaks of online queries for fever (red line),
 6 cough (blue line) and aches (yellow line). **B)** The peak of onset of altered smell/taste (green bars, 4 days
 7 after the lockdown) corresponds to peaks of online queries for “smell loss” (yellow) and “taste loss”
 8 (green). **C)** Online queries for “shortness of breath” (red curve) preceded the peak of the number of
 9 admissions to CCRU by three days.

1 **Supplementary Tables**

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3 **Supplementary Table 1 : Data exclusions and Sampling strategy**

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Total GCCR participants	41759
Answering Smell change question	18118
Change in SMELL or TASTE	15872
Residents in France - ITALY - UK	7929
With date onset of first symptom	6784
FIGURE 1 :	
French resident with onset of first symptom between 03-01-2020 and 05-11-2020	3832
France resident with information regarding the onset of Smell/taste change	1476
FIGURE 2 :	
FRANCE With date onset of first symptom between 02-01-2020 and 05-11_2020	4720
ITALY With date onset of first symptom between 02-01-2020 and 05-11_2020	1241
UK With date onset of first symptom between 02-01-2020 and 05-11_2020	750
FRANCE with date onset of SMELL/TASTE change between 02-01-2020 and 05-11_2020	1487
ITALY with date onset of SMELL/TASTE change between 02-01-2020 and 05-11_2020	264
UK with date onset of SMELL/TASTE change between 02-01-2020 and 05-11_2020	243

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1 **Supplementary Table 2: Test of associations between putative indicators**
 2 *Test for association between paired samples, using one of Pearson's product moment correlation*
 3 *coefficient, without correction for multiple comparisons.(IDF= Ile de France, capital region fo France,*
 4 *"GCCR participants" =participant to the present study)*

variableX	variableY	p	cor	type	level
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	ratioER	7.32e-01	0,04	without IDF an departement	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	ratioER	7.54e-01	0,07	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants	ratioER	1.21e-01	0,17	without IDF an departement	
proportion of GCCR participants	ratioER	4.13e-01	0,19	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	hospital death	1.91e-02	0,25	without IDF an departement	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	hospitalization	1.3e-02	0,27	without IDF an departement	
ratioER	CCRU admission	2.96e-03	0,32	without IDF an departement	
ratioER	hospitalization	1.16e-03	0,34	without IDF an departement	
ratioER	hospital death	1.05e-03	0,35	without IDF an departement	
courbatures_GOOGL	ratioER	3.2e-01	0,38	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	ratioER	8.01e-05	0,39	all	departement
proportion of GCCR participants	hospital death	6.42e-05	0,42	without IDF an departement	
proportion of GCCR participants	ratioER	1.6e-05	0,42	all	departement
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	hospital death	5.58e-02	0,43	without IDF an region	
ratioER	CCRU admission	6.06e-02	0,43	without IDF an region	
ratioER	hospital death	2.12e-01	0,43	all	region
courbatures_GOOGL	ratioER	5.02e-02	0,44	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	hospitalization	4.73e-02	0,45	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	ratioER	3.43e-02	0,45	all	region
ratioER	hospitalization	3.19e-06	0,46	all	departement
courbatures_GOOGL	CCRU admission	4.09e-02	0,46	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants	hospitalization	2.16e-01	0,46	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	CCRU admission	5.3e-06	0,47	without IDF an departement	
courbatures_GOOGL	hospitalization	4.55e-06	0,47	without IDF an departement	
proportion of GCCR participants	ratioER	1.97e-01	0,47	without IDF an region	
courbatures_GOOGL	ratioER	2.23e-02	0,48	all	region
proportion of GCCR participants	hospital death	1.86e-01	0,48	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants	ratioER	1.86e-07	0,5	all	departement
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	hospitalization	2.49e-07	0,5	all	departement
ratioER	hospital death	1.86e-07	0,5	all	departement
ratioER	hospitalization	1.14e-07	0,51	all	departement
ratioER	CCRU admission	6.9e-08	0,52	all	departement
proportion of GCCR participants	hospitalization	6.08e-09	0,55	all	departement
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	CCRU admission	1.21e-02	0,55	without IDF an region	
ratioER	CCRU admission	4.82e-03	0,58	all	region
ratioER	hospital death	4.97e-03	0,58	all	region
perte gout_GOOGL	ratioER	8.1e-02	0,58	all	region
perte gout_GOOGL	ratioER	1.01e-01	0,58	without IDF an region	
perte odorat_GOOGL	hospital death	9.79e-02	0,59	without IDF an region	
ratioER	hospitalization	3.35e-03	0,6	all	region
perte odorat_GOOGL	CCRU admission	8.91e-02	0,6	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants	hospital death	3.16e-03	0,63	without IDF an region	
fievre_GOOGL	hospital death	7.15e-02	0,63	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants	CCRU admission	2.56e-11	0,64	without IDF an departement	
perte odorat_GOOGL	hospitalization	5.52e-02	0,66	without IDF an region	
courbatures_GOOGL	hospitalization	3.4e-02	0,67	all	region
courbatures_GOOGL	CCRU admission	3.45e-02	0,67	all	region
courbatures_GOOGL	hospital death	3.51e-02	0,67	all	region
fievre_GOOGL	CCRU admission	4.96e-02	0,67	without IDF an region	
toux_GOOGL	ratioER	4.88e-02	0,67	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants	hospitalization	1.03e-03	0,68	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	hospital death	3.9e-04	0,69	all	region
toux_GOOGL	ratioER	2.71e-02	0,69	all	region
fievre_GOOGL	hospitalization	3.58e-02	0,7	without IDF an region	
fievre_GOOGL	CCRU admission	2.43e-02	0,7	all	region
fievre_GOOGL	hospital death	2.44e-02	0,7	all	region
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	CCRU admission	1.69e-16	0,72	all	departement
proportion of GCCR participants	CCRU admission	3.02e-04	0,72	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	hospitalization	8.13e-05	0,74	all	region
fievre_GOOGL	hospitalization	1.43e-02	0,74	all	region
proportion of GCCR participants	hospital death	5.62e-05	0,75	all	region
proportion of GCCR participants	CCRU admission	4.16e-19	0,76	all	departement
toux_GOOGL	CCRU admission	1.08e-02	0,76	all	region
perte gout_GOOGL	CCRU admission	1.42e-02	0,78	without IDF an region	
perte odorat_GOOGL	hospital death	8.23e-03	0,78	all	region
perte gout_GOOGL	hospital death	1.12e-02	0,79	without IDF an region	
perte odorat_GOOGL	ratioER	5.43e-03	0,8	all	region
proportion of GCCR participants	hospitalization	5.71e-06	0,81	all	region
perte odorat_GOOGL	CCRU admission	3.97e-03	0,82	all	region
toux_GOOGL	CCRU admission	7.2e-03	0,82	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants without medical diagnostic	CCRU admission	1.65e-06	0,83	all	region
perte odorat_GOOGL	hospitalization	3.07e-03	0,83	all	region
toux_GOOGL	hospital death	2.7e-03	0,83	all	region
toux_GOOGL	hospitalization	2.62e-03	0,84	all	region
perte gout_GOOGL	hospitalization	3.78e-03	0,85	without IDF an region	
toux_GOOGL	hospital death	4.01e-03	0,85	without IDF an region	
proportion of GCCR participants	CCRU admission	8.95e-08	0,88	all	region
perte gout_GOOGL	CCRU admission	7.66e-04	0,88	all	region
perte gout_GOOGL	hospital death	7.31e-04	0,88	all	region
toux_GOOGL	hospitalization	1.85e-03	0,88	without IDF an region	
fievre_GOOGL	ratioER	4.55e-04	0,9	all	region
fievre_GOOGL	hospitalization	8.67e-04	0,9	without IDF an region	
perte gout_GOOGL	hospitalization	1.74e-04	0,92	all	region
perte odorat_GOOGL	ratioER	3.56e-04	0,92	without IDF an region	

1 Supplementary Table 3: National and regional media coverage of the GCCR study in France

type	medium	distribution	date	link
presse	BFM TV	national	14-avr	https://www.bfmtv.com/sante/coronavirus-une-etude-internationale-lancee-.
presse	orange	national	14-avr	https://actu.orange.fr/france/lancement-d'une-vaste-enquete-sur-la-perte-.
presse	msn	national	14-avr	https://www.msn.com/fr-fr/actualite/coronavirus/coronavirus-une-.
presse	BFM / RMC	national	14-avr	https://rmc.bfmtv.com/emission/un-questionnaire-en-ligne-pour-participer-a-.
presse	femme actuel	national	14-avr	https://www.femmeactuelle.fr/sante/news-sante/coronavirus-comment-.
presse	huffingtonpost	national	14-avr	https://www.huffingtonpost.fr/entry/vous-avez-eu-le-coronavirus-aidez-les-.
presse	france info	national	14-avr	https://www.francetinfo.fr/sante/maladie/coronavirus/coronavirus-une-.
presse	20 minutes	national	14-avr	https://www.20minutes.fr/sante/2760607-20200414-coronavirus-enquete-.
presse	nouvel obs	national	14-avr	https://www.nouvelobs.com/sante/20200414.OBS27524/coronavirus-perte-.
presse	le Figaro	national	14-avr	https://www.lefigaro.fr/flash-actu/covid-19-enquete-internationale-sur-la-.
presse	CNRS	national	14-avr	http://www.cnrs.fr/fr/covid-19-lancement-dune-enquete-internationale-sur-la-.
presse	libération	national	14-avr	https://www.liberation.fr/direct/element/une-enquete-internationale-lancee-.
blog	medisite	national	14-avr	https://www.medisite.fr/coronavirus-covid-19-la-perte-du-gout-et-de-lodorat-.
blog	1001 infos	national	14-avr	https://1001infos.net/france/coronavirus-une-enquete-internationale-lancee-.
blog	la gazette du	national	14-avr	https://www.gazettelabo.fr/breves/9706Covid19-enquete-internationale-.
blog	myscience	national	14-avr	https://www.myscience.fr/news/wire/covid_19_lancement_d_une_enquete_i-.
blog	yahoo sport	national	14-avr	https://fr.sports.yahoo.com/news/coronavirus-enu% C3%AAt科學-.
blog	le blob	national	14-avr	https://leblob.fr/actualites/covid-19-une-enquete-mondiale-pour-decrire-.
blog	lactu24	national	14-avr	https://lactu24.com/26376-2/
radio	radio scoop	Auvergne / Rhône-Alpes	14-avr	https://radioscoop.com/infos/participez-a-une-enquete-sur-la-perte-de-l-.
presse	lyonmag	Rhône-Alpes	14-avr	https://www.lyonmag.com/article/106956/coronavirus-une-etude-sur-la-perte-.
radio	impact fm	Rhône-Alpes	14-avr	https://www.impactfm.fr/infos/participez-a-une-enquete-sur-la-perte-de-l-.
presse	lyon capitale	Rhône-Alpes	14-avr	https://www.lyoncapitale.fr/actualite/coronavirus-lyon-participe-a-une-.
presse	la depeche du	Languedoc-Roussillon	14-avr	https://www.ladepeche.fr/2020/04/14/covid-19-enquete-internationale-sur-la-.
presse	golfe de St Tropez	PACA	14-avr	https://golfedesainttropez.maville.com/actu/actudet_-coronavirus-une-.
presse	ma ville dragu	PACA	14-avr	https://draguignan.maville.com/actu/actudet_-coronavirus-une-enquete-.
presse	brignoles - m2	PACA	14-avr	https://brignoles.maville.com/actu/actudet_-coronavirus-une-enquete-.
presse	la provence	PACA	14-avr	https://www.laprovidence.com/article/sante/5961521/covid-19-enquete-.
blog	cres PACA	PACA	14-avr	http://www.cres-.
presse	ouest france	Bretagne / Centre-Val de Loire	14-avr	https://www.ouest-france.fr/sante/virus/coronavirus/coronavirus-une-.
presse	sante magazin	national	15-avr	https://www.santemagazine.fr/actualites/actualites-sante/coronavirus-une-.
presse	notre temps	national	15-avr	https://www.notretemps.com/sante/covid-19-enquete-internationale-sur-la-.
presse	latribune	national	15-avr	https://www.latribune.ca/covid-19/participants-recherches-pour-une-.
presse	science et avenir	national	15-avr	https://www.sciencesetavenir.fr/sante/coronavirus-le-point-du-jour-sur-le-.
blog	technoscience	national	15-avr	https://www.techno-science.net/actualite/covid-19-lancement-enquete-.
blog	presse19	national	15-avr	http://presse19.centerblog.net/4098-etude-internationale-sur-la-perte-de-.
radio	tonic radio	Rhône-Alpes	15-avr	https://www.tonicradio.fr/covid-19-une-etude-lancee-face-a-la-perte-dodorat-.
presse	centre jacques cartier	Rhône-Alpes	15-avr	https://centrecartier.com/actualites/detail/actu/covid-19-traitements-.
presse	france 3 region	Rhône-Alpes	15-avr	https://france3-regions.francetvinfo.fr/auvergne-rhone-alpes/coronavirus-.
radio	KISS FM	PACA	15-avr	http://www.kissfm.fr/page.asp?id=90
presse	france 3 PACA	PACA	15-avr	https://france3-regions.francetvinfo.fr/provence-alpes-cote-d-.
TV	france 3 PACA	PACA	15-avr	https://france3-regions.francetvinfo.fr/provence-alpes-cote-d-.
presse	futurasciences	national	16-avr	https://www.futura-sciences.com/sante/breves/coronavirus-covid-19-.
presse	yahoo	national	16-avr	https://fr.news.yahoo.com/covid-19-participez-%C3%A0-enqu%C3%AAte-.
blog	anosmie.org	national	16-avr	https://www.anosmie.org/2020/04/16/enquetes-publiees-etu-.
presse	Le Monde	national	20-avr	https://www.lemonde.fr/sciences/article/2020/04/20/combien-de-cas-de-.
radio	France inter	national	17-avr	https://www.franceinter.fr/environnement/detox-la-perte-du-gout-et-de-l-.
radio	RCF	national	17-avr	https://rcf.fr/la-matinale/trois-questions-jerome-golebiowski-.
blog	pourquoi docteur	national	17-avr	https://www.pourquiodocteur.fr/Articles/Question-d-actu/32168-Coronavirus-.
radio	RFI	national	20-avr	http://www.rfi.fr/ru/D1%84%D1%80%D0%B0%D0%BD%D1%86%D0%BA
presse	top santé	national	20-avr	https://www.topsante.com/medecine/maladies-.
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presse	UCA	PACA	21-avr	http://univ-cotedazur.fr/contenus-riches/actualites/fr/covid-19-lancement-.
blog	breakingnews	national	22-avr	https://www.breakingnews.fr/sante/avez-vous-perdu-lodeur-ou-le-gout-des-.
blog	seronet	national	23-avr	https://seronet.info/breve/enquete-sur-la-perte-de-lodorat-et-du-gout-87429-.
presse	actu toulouse	Midi-Pyrénées	23-avr	https://actu.fr/occitanie/toulouse_31555/toulouse-perte-gout-de-lodorat-.
presse	france3 region	Languedoc-Roussillon	27-avr	https://france3-regions.francetvinfo.fr/occitanie/haute-.
blog	CPU	national	02-mai	http://www.cpu.fr/actualite/covid-19-la-piste-du-gout-et-de-lodorat/
presse	tribune de lyon	Rhône-Alpes	03-mai	https://tribunedelyon.fr/salade-lyonnaise/article/sommeil-et-confinement-.
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blog	crumpe	national	?	https://www.crumpe.com/2020/04/une-enquete-scientifique-internationale-.
presse	cnrs occitanie	Languedoc-Roussillon	?	https://www.cnrs.fr/occitanie-ouest/actualites/article/alerte-presse-covid-19-.
blog	alternatif bien	national	?	https://alternatif-bien-etre.com/urgence-sante-coronavirus/des-chercheurs-.
presse	univ lyon	Rhône-Alpes	?	https://popsciences.universite-lyon.fr/ressources/covid-19-odorat-et-qualite-.
presse	cnrs centre es	Alsace / Champagne-Ardenne	?	http://www.dr6.cnrs.fr/centre-est/spip.php?rubrique26
presse	cnrs bretagne	Bretagne / Pays de la Loire	?	https://www.dr17.cnrs.fr/
presse	cnrs aquitaine	Aquitaine	?	http://www.cnrs.fr/aquitaine/
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