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Literary Review

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Title	Publication	Date	Overview
Low-dose aspirin taken for at least 3.5 years may prevent colorectal cancer	Nursing Standard, Vol 27, No. 49, page 14	7 August	The results from a nationwide cohort study in Taiwan suggest that long-term use of low-dose aspirin may be associated with a lower incidence of colorectal cancer in patients with high cardiovascular risk.
Screening should consider high risk of second cancer after colorectal diagnosis	Nursing Standard, Vol 27, No. 50, pages 14-15	14 August	A new study in the US revealed that individuals with colorectal cancer had a 15% higher risk of developing a second cancer vs. the general population. Those whose past cancers were in the transverse to descending regions of the colon experienced the greatest increased risk (approx. 30% for cancer overall and a 2 to 3-fold increased risk for a second colorectal cancer).
Challenges in Gastroenterology	Pulse, pages 36-37	August	Article which looks at many gastroenterology issues, including IBS and referral for cancer.

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