

List of Publications**A. Peer-reviewed scientific articles**

1. Kaikkonen, S., Savijärvi, M., & Finell, E. (2026). When the doctor believes you, but you're still not happy – Legitimized contested illness and patients' negative post-consultation experiences and agency. *Health*, *accepted*
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B. Non-refereed scientific articles

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E. Publications intended for the general public, linked to the applicant's research

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