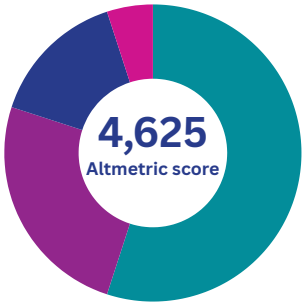
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The Global PMOS Initiative that changed women's health

Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS) renamed Polyendocrine Metabolic Ovarian Syndrome (PMOS)



- **Top 0.003% of 34M recent research outputs &**
- **#1 of 2026 Lancet publications (Altmetrics)**
- **Field Weighted Citation Index - 632**

The Lancet paper (May 2026) recorded an Altmetric Score of 4,625 (Oct 2026) — among the highest ever recorded for a health policy publication, and placing it in the **top 0.003%** of more than **34M** million recent publication outputs Altmetric has tracked.

The score reflects extraordinary reach across international news media, social media, policy documents, and public discussion of a research output that began in academia and reached patients, clinicians and policymakers worldwide. The sentiment analysis shows **only 1% of negative mentions**. Field-Weighted Citation Impact of 632, means it's cited 632× more than the world average for comparable publications.

Sentiment analysis for Bluesky & X



56	14	22K+	200M+	20+
Partner organisations	Years of global collaboration	Survey responses	Women affected globally	Languages

REACH & ENGAGEMENT

- **2 Billion** people reached across international news media (Monash University Report, July 2026)
- **75+ Million** social media posts generated worldwide, predominantly factual or positive in tone
- **30K+** views of the MCHRI PMOS Resources Library — multilingual (20+ languages) videos, animations and toolkits — in the first 6 weeks.
- **155K** users of Ask PMOS App
- Presented at the **European Congress of Endocrinology,** Prague, May 2026

POLICY & RESEARCH TRANSLATION

- Formal **WHO ICD-11 reclassification** proposal submitted June 2026, targeting the WHO Annual Meeting, October 2026.
- Adopted into the **International Evidence-Based Guideline,** used in 195 countries, with full terminology update in 2028.
- Companion publications in **Nature Medicine** and BMJ; manuscripts invited by NEJM and JAMA
- **Pharmaceutical update** underway
- **Global curriculum update** underway across 400 universities worldwide

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CO-LEADING ORGANISATIONS

MCHRI Monash Centre for Health Research and Implementation

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FURTHER EVIDENCE

- PMOS Resources Library — MCHRI consumer website
- Terminology Update Summary — MCHRI, May 2026
- WHO ICD-11 Proposal — submitted 18 June 2026