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Coronavirus: Call for apps to get fake Covid-19 news button | BBC News

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Social networks need a dedicated button to flag up bogus coronavirus-related posts, an advocacy group has said.

The Center for Countering Digital Hate (CCDH) said the apps had "missed a trick" in combating the problem.

The call coincides with a study that indicates 46% of internet-using adults in the UK saw false or misleading information about the virus in the first week of the country's lockdown.

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