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## Misinformation Ruins Lives, UK Fact-Checker Says | The New York Times

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LONDON — Internet and media companies should do more to tackle the spread of misinformation in Britain as falsehoods abound during the coronavirus pandemic, fact-checking organisation Full Fact said in a report on Thursday.

"Bad information ruins lives, Chief Executive Will Moy said. "Here in the UK, we have seen misinformation take hold in the form of fake cures, spurious claims, conspiracy theories and financial scams."

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