

## Twitter Thread by Black Lives Matter

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**Can I just point out that it has been admitted that the British & US government told us masks made no difference because they didn't have enough even though they knew this wasn't true**

Like this is fact not even speculation. Healthcare workers didn't have PPE there wasn't enough to go to them and the public so they told the public masks had no scientific evidence behind them so people would stop buying them

The conspiracy theories wind me up so much because of this exact point. The truth is equally scandalous we don't need some 5G theory

The arrogance of the west has caused the deaths of hundreds of thousands, desecrated the economy & caused a mental health crisis. There's no conspiracy theory you can create that is worse than the actual truth of what's happened this year.

America and the UK was warned about an impending pandemic at the beginning of January - they both chose to ignore it, they had time to start buying PPE in January, they didn't. When they started making PPE instead of giving it to their citizens they sold it to China.

"Oh they're trying to control us" please beloved. This government isn't even intelligent enough for that. It's quite the opposite. Scientists have been warning western governments for years about an inevitable pandemic and they completely ignored them.

Scientists told governments to have stock of PPE, disinfectant supplies and anything else that would prevent from a pandemic & the government ignored them. The US government had stock of millions of N95 masks that had expired 10 years prior because they paid no attention.

Western governments spend millions preparing missiles and defence gear for a war that may never happen but scientists told these governments a pandemic was inevitable with the way we interact with animals and they refused to prepare for this. We have been failed.

Our governments fed us misinformation for months because of how unprepared they were - and this is their own fault. They have caused the deaths of thousands. The Trump administration and the British Conservative party should go on trial.

The worse part is we can't even sit here and say this won't happen again because inevitably if we keep farming animals there will be another outbreak whether it reaches this level we don't know, but our governments are completely unprepared.

<https://t.co/coqf1saSIR> If you want all this info summed up in two painful hours then watch this. It's on BBC iplayer.

I just need to highlight how little we hold our governments accountable. During the MERS outbreak in South Korea 38 people died and the government was held to account and essentially disgraced for 38 deaths. The death rate of the US and UK combined is almost at half a million

Brits, most of our country is going into tier 4 today. Essentially we're in a national lockdown with a more polite way of saying it - the only reason they're still doing this tier bullshit is because if they put us back in a national lockdown it would be admittance of failure.