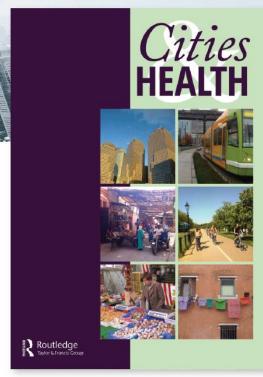
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Cities & Health provides an innovative new international platform for consolidating research and know-how for city development to support human health. The journal is committed to developing a shared evidence base, encouraging better cross-disciplinary understanding and supporting critical trans-disciplinary practices. The journal will publish papers and commentary from researchers and practitioners working to build a new wisdom for supporting healthier cities.

Cities & Health is looking for a wide range of types of submissions, and supports open access publishing. We are interested in peer reviewed empirical research, reviews and conceptual papers, city case studies and commentary, photo-essays and travelogues.

We have an open call for papers on 'place-based approaches to health and well-being', 'linking global and local sustainable development goals to population health in cities', and 'city and city-region governance for health'. Visit our website for further details or contact Marcus Grant, Editor-in-Chief at: MarcusxGrant@CitiesHealth.World





Call for Special Issue Papers

Sound and the Healthy City

Cities & Health is seeking special issue papers on the topic of **Sound and the Healthy City**. The aim of this special issue is to help fill the gap in the literature concerning the positive effects of the sonic environment on human mental and physical health, social well-being and on how to create optimal soundscapes. The journal is seeking original contributions that address the topic of city sounds and health from either or both the anti-noise and soundscape perspectives. Trans-disciplinary and trans-sectorial contributions might revolve around, but are not limited to, the following themes:

- Public spaces, private/public spaces (such as malls, hotel halls, and plazas) and the built environment
- Streetscapes, walkability, and new forms of mobility
- New technology
- Urban commons, innovative policies, and form of governance
- Placemaking and inclusion
- The ecology of urban soundscapes

We hope that this special issue will bolster the interest of academics, artists, practitioners, city makers, and other officials in its communication that noise has to be considered a healthy issue and the sonic urban environment needs to be a curated common in our society - a cultural and natural resource accessible to all and co-governed by its user community.

We invite a range of submissions, including original scholarship, descriptive case studies, travelogues, audio papers, city shorts, commentary and debate and reviews.

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