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List of Publications by Year
in descending order

109 papers	9,662 citations	50276 46 h-index	37204 96 g-index
109 all docs	109 docs citations	109 times ranked	8154 citing authors

#	Article	IF	Citations
1	The significance of parks to physical activity and public health. American Journal of Preventive Medicine, 2005, 28, 159-168.	3.0	992
2	Contribution of Public Parks to Physical Activity. American Journal of Public Health, 2007, 97, 509-514.	2.7	704
3	Physical inactivity is associated with a higher risk for severe COVID-19 outcomes: a study in 48 440 adult patients. British Journal of Sports Medicine, 2021, 55, 1099-1105.	6.7	470
4	System for Observing Play and Recreation in Communities (SOPARC): Reliability and Feasibility Measures. Journal of Physical Activity and Health, 2006, 3, S208-S222.	2.0	390
5	Public Parks and Physical Activity Among Adolescent Girls. Pediatrics, 2006, 118, e1381-e1389.	2.1	367
6	Collective efficacy and obesity: The potential influence of social factors on health. Social Science and Medicine, 2006, 62, 769-778.	3.8	311
7	Neighborhood Physical Conditions and Health. American Journal of Public Health, 2003, 93, 467-471.	2.7	303
8	The built environment and collective efficacy. Health and Place, 2008, 14, 198-208.	3.3	281
9	You Are Where You Shop. American Journal of Preventive Medicine, 2006, 31, 10-17.	3.0	269
10	Asymptomatic sexually transmitted diseases: the case for screening. Preventive Medicine, 2003, 36, 502-509.	3.4	243
11	Parks and physical activity: Why are some parks used more than others?. Preventive Medicine, 2010, 50, S9-S12.	3.4	225
12	The Effect of Light Rail Transit on Body Mass Index and Physical Activity. American Journal of Preventive Medicine, 2010, 39, 105-112.	3.0	197
13	Parenting Behaviors and the Onset of Smoking and Alcohol Use: A Longitudinal Study. Pediatrics, 1994, 94, 368-375.	2.1	196
14	Evidence of a Structural Effect for Alcohol Outlet Density: A Multilevel Analysis. Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research, 2000, 24, 188-195.	2.4	193
15	Why is poverty unhealthy? Social and physical mediators. Social Science and Medicine, 2003, 57, 1631-1641.	3.8	174
16	Measuring the Food Environment: Shelf Space of Fruits, Vegetables, and Snack Foods in Stores. Journal of Urban Health, 2009, 86, 672-682.	3.6	174
17	Non-residential neighborhood exposures suppress neighborhood effects on self-rated health. Social Science and Medicine, 2007, 65, 1779-1791.	3.8	165
18	Impact and cost-effectiveness of family Fitness Zones: A natural experiment in urban public parks. Health and Place, 2012, 18, 39-45.	3.3	161

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19	Park characteristics, use, and physical activity: A review of studies using SOPARC (System for) Tj ETQq1 1 0.784314 rgBT /Overlock 10	3.4	160
20	The First National Study of Neighborhood Parks. American Journal of Preventive Medicine, 2016, 51, 419-426.	3.0	141
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22	Body Mass Index, Neighborhood Fast Food and Restaurant Concentration, and Car Ownership. Journal of Urban Health, 2009, 86, 683-695.	3.6	129
23	Neighborhood Food Environments and Body Mass Index. American Journal of Preventive Medicine, 2009, 37, 214-219.	3.0	124
24	The relationship between the neighbourhood environment and adverse birth outcomes. Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology, 2006, 20, 188-200.	1.7	123
25	Neurophysiological Pathways to Obesity: Below Awareness and Beyond Individual Control. Diabetes, 2008, 57, 1768-1773.	0.6	123
26	How Much Observation Is Enough? Refining the Administration of SOPARC. Journal of Physical Activity and Health, 2011, 8, 1117-1123.	2.0	122
27	Comparing Perceived and Objectively Measured Access to Recreational Facilities as Predictors of Physical Activity in Adolescent Girls. Journal of Urban Health, 2007, 84, 346-359.	3.6	121
28	Comparing the Cost-Effectiveness of HIV Prevention Interventions. Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes (1999), 2004, 37, 1404-1414.	2.1	112
29	When and Where Do Youths Have Sex? The Potential Role of Adult Supervision. Pediatrics, 2002, 110, e66-e66.	2.1	104
30	Zoning For Health? The Year-Old Ban On New Fast-Food Restaurants In South LA. Health Affairs, 2009, 28, w1088-w1097.	5.2	103
31	Not Enough Fruit and Vegetables or Too Many Cookies, Candies, Salty Snacks, and Soft Drinks?. Public Health Reports, 2010, 125, 88-95.	2.5	101
32	Assessing the Contribution of Parks to Physical Activity Using Global Positioning System and Accelerometry. Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise, 2013, 45, 1981-1987.	0.4	101
33	Neighborhood poverty, park use, and park-based physical activity in a Southern California city. Social Science and Medicine, 2012, 75, 2317-2325.	3.8	100
34	System for Observing Play and Recreation in Communities (SOPARC): Reliability and Feasibility Measures. Journal of Physical Activity and Health, 2006, 3 Suppl 1, S208-S222.	2.0	100
35	Impact of Park Renovations on Park Use and Park-Based Physical Activity. Journal of Physical Activity and Health, 2015, 12, 289-295.	2.0	93
36	The Potential for Pocket Parks to Increase Physical Activity. American Journal of Health Promotion, 2014, 28, S19-S26.	1.7	90

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37	Physical Activity in Parks. American Journal of Preventive Medicine, 2013, 45, 590-597.	3.0	86
38	Alcohol outlets, gonorrhea, and the Los Angeles civil unrest: A longitudinal analysis. Social Science and Medicine, 2006, 62, 3062-3071.	3.8	81
39	New Recreational Facilities for the Young and the Old in Los Angeles: Policy and Programming Implications. Journal of Public Health Policy, 2009, 30, S248-S263.	2.0	71
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43	A Geographic Relation Between Alcohol Availability and Gonorrhea Rates. Sexually Transmitted Diseases, 1998, 25, 544-548.	1.7	58
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45	How important is perception of safety to park use? A four-city survey. Urban Studies, 2016, 53, 2624-2636.	3.7	56
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48	Cost-Effective Allocation Of Government Funds To Prevent HIV Infection. Health Affairs, 2005, 24, 915-926.	5.2	46
49	Racial-Ethnic Variation in Park Use and Physical Activity in the City of Los Angeles. Journal of Urban Health, 2015, 92, 1011-1023.	3.6	46
50	The Population Consumption Model, Alcohol Control Practices, and Alcohol-Related Traffic Fatalities. Preventive Medicine, 2002, 34, 187-197.	3.4	44
51	Measurement Properties of a Park Use Questionnaire. Environment and Behavior, 2013, 45, 526-547.	4.7	44
52	Store Impulse Marketing Strategies and Body Mass Index. American Journal of Public Health, 2015, 105, 1446-1452.	2.7	44
53	Availability of High School Extracurricular Sports Programs and High-Risk Behaviors. Journal of School Health, 2007, 77, 80-86.	1.6	38
54	An STD/HIV Prevention Intervention Framework. AIDS Patient Care and STDs, 2000, 14, 37-45.	2.5	37

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55	Promoting physical activity in high-poverty neighborhood parks: A cluster randomized controlled trial. Social Science and Medicine, 2017, 186, 130-138.	3.8	37
56	How much neighborhood parks contribute to local residents' physical activity in the City of Los Angeles: A meta-analysis. Preventive Medicine, 2014, 69, S106-S110.	3.4	35
57	Playground features and physical activity in U.S. neighborhood parks. Preventive Medicine, 2020, 131, 105945.	3.4	34
58	Participation in a School-Based Sexually Transmitted Disease Screening Program. Sexually Transmitted Diseases, 2000, 27, 473-479.	1.7	32
59	Structural Interventions to Prevent HIV/Sexually Transmitted Disease: Are They Cost-Effective for Women in the Southern United States?. Sexually Transmitted Diseases, 2006, 33, S46-S49.	1.7	29
60	Promoting Cardiovascular Health in Early Childhood and Transitions in Childhood through Adolescence: A Workshop Report. Journal of Pediatrics, 2019, 209, 240-251.e1.	1.8	28
61	Screening for sexually transmitted diseases in non-traditional settings: a personal view. International Journal of STD and AIDS, 2005, 16, 521-527.	1.1	27
62	Reliability of a Store Observation Tool in Measuring Availability of Alcohol and Selected Foods. Journal of Urban Health, 2007, 84, 807-813.	3.6	26
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69	The Prevalence and Use of Walking Loops in Neighborhood Parks: A National Study. Environmental Health Perspectives, 2017, 125, 170-174.	6.0	21
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73	Systematic observation of mask adherence and distancing (SOMAD): Findings from Philadelphia. Preventive Medicine Reports, 2021, 23, 101449.	1.8	20
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75	Gender Differences in Physical Activity Associated with Urban Neighborhood Parks: Findings from the National Study of Neighborhood Parks. Women's Health Issues, 2021, 31, 236-244.	2.0	18
76	Involving community stakeholders to increase park use and physical activity. Preventive Medicine, 2014, 64, 14-19.	3.4	17
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78	The mediating role of perceived crime in gender and built environment associations with park use and park-based physical activity among park users in high poverty neighborhoods. Preventive Medicine, 2019, 129, 105846.	3.4	17
79	Effects of park-based interventions on health-related outcomes: A systematic review. Preventive Medicine, 2021, 147, 106528.	3.4	17
80	Beverage marketing in retail outlets and The Balance Calories Initiative. Preventive Medicine, 2018, 115, 1-7.	3.4	14
81	Park Use and Park-Based Physical Activity in Low-Income Neighborhoods. Journal of Aging and Physical Activity, 2019, 27, 334-342.	1.0	14
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91	Partnerships for Parks and Physical Activity. American Journal of Health Promotion, 2014, 28, S97-S99.	1.7	7
92	Park use and physical activity among adolescent girls at two time points. Journal of Sports Sciences, 2018, 36, 2544-2550.	2.0	7
93	Neighborhood Environments, SNAP-Ed Eligibility, and Health Behaviors: An Analysis of the California Health Interview Survey (CHIS). Journal of Urban Health, 2020, 97, 543-551.	3.6	7
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102	The trajectory of patterns of light and sedentary physical activity among females, ages 14-23. PLoS ONE, 2019, 14, e0223737.	2.5	2
103	Evidence of a Structural Effect for Alcohol Outlet Density: A Multilevel Analysis. Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research, 2000, 24, 188-195.	2.4	2
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105	Misleading title of review paper. European Journal of Clinical Investigation, 2019, 49, e13081.	3.4	1
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