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Physical behavioural opportunity

Behaviour Change Intervention Ontology (BCIO)

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Definition: A behavioural opportunity that involves time and parts of the environmental system that do not involve people or organisations.

Informal definition: Characteristics of a person's physical (rather than social) environment that are needed for a behaviour or to facilitate it.

Comment: A 'behavioural opportunity' is a feature of the environmental system. While the class 'environmental system' is about what is found in an environment, the behavioural opportunity is a feature of the environment which interacts with the person and enables or prevents a behaviour.

This definition was imported from the Behaviour Change Intervention Ontology (see <https://bciosearch.org/>). Comments and suggestions for improvements are welcome using the Qeios review system.

Definitions imported from the Behaviour Change Intervention Ontology (BCIO) are what are known as 'ontological definitions'. See this article in Qeios for an explanation <https://www.qeios.com/read/YGIF9B>.

Ontological definitions can sometimes be hard to read. In those cases we also include an informal definition.

Definitions also often require elaboration to make it clear how they should be used and what they include. In those cases we include a comment.



Also, definitions sometimes require an explanation as to how they came about to help users understand how they relate to alternative definitions. In those cases we include a curator note.