

Review of: "The Universal Accessibility Provisions in Hospitals of New Delhi, India"

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Excelent paper, very well organized with all the issues related to the research paper. The ABSTRACT WITH Background, aims, methods, objectives and results are easily explained and the Introduction give a very good overview of the accessibility context in hospitals of New Delhi, India. However, considering the terminology, we can point that nowadays, barrier-free environment is a term not very used. Even though aims and methods are very good.

The paper also explain the results very well, giving a direction for an improvement in the health institutions analysed. We can consider 26 hospitals a good number of hospitals.

The definition of the issue as "giving equal access to everyone", adopted by United Nations was very important. The discussion shows very good collected data and the evolution of accessibility in India. It was presented in the clear introduction, but literature about Universal Design lacks other very important examples of countries around the world.

An important paper that contributes a lot for the professionals of different areas. Excelent Research with good explanations of each step and also with a good organization of the topics.