Review of: "Analysing crimes in public spaces of New Delhi through news reports: The need and possibility of integrating Crime Prevention through Environmental Design Principles."

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So happy to read this excellent article. The author uses crime data in public places in New Delhi to analyze the impact of built environment factors on urban crime rates, and then proposes to optimize urban design to improve urban public safety spaces. Overall, this article reflects an interesting research topic and has important theoretical and practical guidance on how to improve urban public safety in the Uka era. However, in order to further enhance the research value and scientific rigor of the article, it can also be improved from the following aspects:

1. It is necessary for the author to present relevant academic research on factors affecting urban public safety through appropriate literature review, so as to provide sufficient theoretical value for this article. Although the author has provided relevant explanations in the preface and background sections, it is still somewhat insufficient;

2. The author's description of the research methods and processes is too brief and rough. As other reviewers have said, the research methods may be the most problematic aspect of this article. The author needs to revisit this subsection to make it richer and clearer.

3. Whether the discussion section can add research conclusions that conflict with or are different from existing research to highlight the author's knowledge innovation and new contributions, otherwise it will be difficult to achieve greater transcendence;

4. It is suggested that the author needs to think about how to implement the CPTED precautionary principle into the design of urban public policies to ensure the steady improvement of urban safety. In other words, the author needs to put forward relevant policy suggestions or guidance programs for government decision-making.