

Review of: "Examining the Comparative Effect of the Built Environment on Crime Prevention in Plotted Development, Especially for Women's Safety at Both Hot and Cold Spots"

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This article addresses a very interesting topic for the area studied and the whole world. However, before being published it must be improved in several aspects.

In the introductory part, a deeper state of the art should be shown with previous updated studies that address similar problems. In addition, the scientific gap that the article intends to solve is not clearly explained. Therefore, the objectives become unimportant.

The methodology part has small gaps that can be over-understood, but it is worth explaining them a little more, such as the process of choosing the hot and cold spots.

The section where the reviewer finds more deficiencies is in the results. Although a large amount of data has been obtained according to the methodology, the results are very limited, the graphs explain very little, and the discussion does not deepen the data found.

Therefore, the conclusions address points that are not discussed in the article. It is recommended to increase the discussion of results with more graphs and a stricter order of the variables that stand out.

Regarding the presentation of the article:

The quality of the graphs (scale and resolution) should be improved

No graphics have been referenced in the text. All graphics must be referenced in the text, and from them create the discussion. The graphics are a fundamental part of explaining the article.

It is recommended that the article be approved after the observations made.