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#	Paper	IF	Citations
118	Fair play? Participation equity in organised sport and physical activity among children and adolescents in high income countries: a systematic review and meta-analysis.. <i>International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity</i> , 2022 , 19, 27	8.4	4
117	Psychometric assessment of scales for measuring loneliness and social isolation: an analysis of the household, income and labour dynamics in Australia (HILDA) survey.. <i>Health and Quality of Life Outcomes</i> , 2022 , 20, 40	3	0
116	Mass media campaigns for the promotion of oral health: a scoping review.. <i>BMC Oral Health</i> , 2022 , 22, 182	3.7	
115	Engaging primary care providers in a mobile health strategy to support lifestyle change and blood pressure management.. <i>Digital Health</i> , 2021 , 7, 20552076211066746	4	
114	How practitioner, organisational and system-level factors act to influence health promotion evaluation capacity: Validation of a conceptual framework. <i>Evaluation and Program Planning</i> , 2021 , 102019	1.7	1
113	Lifestyle interventions for type 2 diabetes management among migrants and ethnic minorities living in industrialized countries: a systematic review and meta-analyses. <i>BMJ Open Diabetes Research and Care</i> , 2021 , 9,	4.5	2
112	Physical activity surveillance in Australia: standardisation is overdue. <i>Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health</i> , 2021 , 45, 189-192	2.3	0
111	Eight Investments That Work for Physical Activity. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2021 , 18, 625-639	2.9	21
110	Twelve-month findings of the MOVE Frankston randomised controlled trial of interventions to increase recreation facility usage and physical activity among adults. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2021 , 16, e0254216	3.7	
109	Promoting adherence to organised physical activity among socially disadvantaged older people. <i>Ageing and Society</i> , 2021 , 41, 421-438	1.7	5
108	Exploration of Physical Activity Barriers and Facilitators Among Adults in Kathmandu, Nepal. <i>Qualitative Health Research</i> , 2021 , 31, 1183-1195	3.9	1
107	Socio-ecological influences of leisure-time physical activity among Nepalese adults: a qualitative study. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2021 , 21, 1443	4.1	0
106	Active commuting and leisure-time physical activity among adults in western Nepal: a cross-sectional study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2021 , 11, e051846	3	
105	Legal strategies to improve physical activity in populations. <i>Bulletin of the World Health Organization</i> , 2021 , 99, 593-602	8.2	1
104	Impacts of the National Your Brain Matters Dementia Risk Reduction Campaign in Australia Over 2 Years. <i>Journal of Alzheimer's Disease</i> , 2021 , 82, 1219-1228	4.3	2
103	Effectiveness of a customised mobile phone text messaging intervention supported by data from activity monitors for improving lifestyle factors related to the risk of type 2 diabetes among women after gestational diabetes: protocol for a multicentre randomised controlled trial (SMART MUMS with smart phones 2). <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2021 , 11, e054756	3	0
102	Mis-reporting of energy intake among older Australian adults: Prevalence, characteristics, and associations with quality of life. <i>Nutrition</i> , 2021 , 90, 111259	4.8	2

101	The MOVE Frankston study: 24-Month follow-up of a randomized controlled trial of incentives and support to increase leisure center usage and physical activity.. <i>Preventive Medicine Reports</i> , 2021 , 24, 101539	2.6	
100	The contribution of physical inactivity and socioeconomic factors to type 2 diabetes in Nepal: A structural equation modelling analysis. <i>Nutrition, Metabolism and Cardiovascular Diseases</i> , 2020 , 30, 1758-1767	4.5	4
99	Factors affecting health sector involvement in public policies addressing the social determinants of health: a critical realist case study of cash transfers in Ghana. <i>International Journal of Health Promotion and Education</i> , 2020 , 58, 180-198	0.8	2
98	Physical Activity among Adults with Low Socioeconomic Status Living in Industrialized Countries: A Meta-Ethnographic Approach to Understanding Socioecological Complexities. <i>Journal of Environmental and Public Health</i> , 2020 , 2020, 4283027	2.6	13
97	Developing a middle-range theory to explain how cash transfers work to tackle the social determinants of health: A realist case study. <i>World Development</i> , 2020 , 130, 104920	5.5	7
96	Whole of Systems Approaches to Physical Activity Policy and Practice in Australia: The ASAPa Project Overview and Initial Systems Map. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2020 , 17, 68-73	2.5	9
95	Prevalence of Total and Domain-Specific Physical Activity and Associated Factors Among Nepalese Adults: A Quantile Regression Analysis. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2020 , 17, 501-511	2.5	3
94	How the COVID-19 pandemic is focusing attention on loneliness and social isolation. <i>Public Health Research and Practice</i> , 2020 , 30,	5.1	138
93	An assessment of program evaluation methods and quality in Australian prevention agencies. <i>Health Promotion Journal of Australia</i> , 2020 , 31, 456-467	1.7	0
92	Cash transfers and the social determinants of health: a conceptual framework. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2019 , 34, e106-e118	3	11
91	Audience Responses to Physical Activity in the Biggest Loser Australia. <i>Journal of Health Communication</i> , 2019 , 24, 21-28	2.5	1
90	A Pilot Randomised Controlled Trial of a Text Messaging Intervention with Customisation Using Linked Data from Wireless Wearable Activity Monitors to Improve Risk Factors Following Gestational Diabetes. <i>Nutrients</i> , 2019 , 11,	6.7	15
89	Understanding the factors that influence health promotion evaluation: The development and validation of the evaluation practice analysis survey. <i>Evaluation and Program Planning</i> , 2019 , 74, 76-83	1.7	6
88	The Funding, Administrative, and Policy Influences on the Evaluation of Primary Prevention Programs in Australia. <i>Prevention Science</i> , 2019 , 20, 959-969	4	1
87	A longitudinal study examining uptake of new recreation infrastructure by inactive adults. <i>International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity</i> , 2019 , 16, 59	8.4	3
86	Physical activity participation and the risk of chronic diseases among South Asian adults: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2019 , 9, 9771	4.9	6
85	The impact of a new exercise facility on physical activity at the community level: a non-randomized panel study in Japan. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2019 , 19, 777	4.1	3
84	Toward Whole-of-System Action to Promote Physical Activity: A Cross-Sectoral Analysis of Physical Activity Policy in Australia. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2019 , 16, 1029-1038	2.5	4

83	Moving Research Translation on Physical Activity to Center Stage. <i>Exercise and Sport Sciences Reviews</i> , 2019 , 47, 127-128	6.7	
82	Prescription of physical activity in the management of high blood pressure in Australian general practices. <i>Journal of Human Hypertension</i> , 2019 , 33, 50-56	2.6	3
81	Enhancing Engagement With Socially Disadvantaged Older People in Organized Physical Activity Programs. <i>International Quarterly of Community Health Education</i> , 2019 , 39, 257-267	1	2
80	Cash transfers and the social determinants of health: Towards an initial realist program theory. <i>Evaluation</i> , 2019 , 25, 224-244	2.5	4
79	Evaluation of cash transfer programs in sub-Saharan Africa: A methodological review. <i>Evaluation and Program Planning</i> , 2018 , 68, 47-56	1.7	12
78	The impact of cash transfers on social determinants of health and health inequalities in sub-Saharan Africa: a systematic review. <i>Health Policy and Planning</i> , 2018 , 33, 675-696	3.4	64
77	Systematic Review of the Effect of Lifestyle Interventions on the Components of the Metabolic Syndrome in South Asian Migrants. <i>Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health</i> , 2018 , 20, 231-244	2.2	9
76	Exploring Factors Influencing Childhood Obesity Prevention Among Migrant Communities in Victoria, Australia: A Qualitative Study. <i>Journal of Immigrant and Minority Health</i> , 2018 , 20, 865-883	2.2	5
75	Changing psychosocial determinants of physical activity and diet in women with a history of gestational diabetes mellitus. <i>Diabetes/Metabolism Research and Reviews</i> , 2018 , 34, e2942	7.5	7
74	Reliability and Validity of Measures for Investigating the Determinants of Health Behaviors Among Women With a History of Gestational Diabetes. <i>Health Education and Behavior</i> , 2018 , 45, 43-51	4.2	2
73	Physical activity participation and the risk of chronic diseases among South Asian adults: protocol for a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2018 , 7, 177	3	2
72	Organizational determinants of evaluation practice in Australian prevention agencies. <i>Health Education Research</i> , 2018 , 33, 243-255	1.8	10
71	Facilitators of Attendance and Adherence to Group-Based Physical Activity for Older Adults: A Literature Synthesis. <i>Journal of Aging and Physical Activity</i> , 2018 , 26, 155-167	1.6	13
70	Barriers and challenges affecting the contemporary church's engagement in health promotion. <i>Health Promotion Journal of Australia</i> , 2017 , 28, 52-58	1.7	2
69	Systematic review of empowerment measures in health promotion. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2016 , 31, 809-826	3	50
68	Advancing evaluation practice in health promotion. <i>Health Promotion Journal of Australia</i> , 2016 , 27, 184-186	1.6	8
67	The impact of cash transfers on social determinants of health and health inequalities in Sub-Saharan Africa: a systematic review protocol. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2016 , 5, 114	3	12
66	Overcoming disparities in organized physical activity: findings from Australian community strategies. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2016 , 31, 572-81	3	8

65	Organizational change theory: implications for health promotion practice. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2016 , 31, 231-41	3	39
64	Vitamin D testing patterns among general practitioners in a major Victorian primary health care service. <i>Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health</i> , 2016 , 40, 144-7	2.3	7
63	Health promotion in local churches in Victoria: an exploratory study. <i>Health and Social Care in the Community</i> , 2016 , 24, 728-738	2.6	4
62	Physical activity among older people with sight loss: a qualitative research study to inform policy and practice. <i>Public Health</i> , 2015 , 129, 124-30	4	29
61	The correlates of chronic disease-related health literacy and its components among men: a systematic review. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2015 , 15, 589	4.1	29
60	Physical activity in the mass media: an audience perspective. <i>Health Education Research</i> , 2015 , 30, 359-69	1.8	12
59	The motivation and actions of Australians concerning brain health and dementia risk reduction. <i>Health Promotion Journal of Australia</i> , 2015 , 26, 115-121	1.7	20
58	The MOVE study: a study protocol for a randomised controlled trial assessing interventions to maximise attendance at physical activity facilities. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2015 , 15, 403	4.1	5
57	Reporting Physical Activity: Perceptions and Practices of Australian Media Professionals. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2015 , 12, 1096-101	2.5	2
56	Exploring the role of community engagement in improving the health of disadvantaged populations: a systematic review. <i>Global Health Action</i> , 2015 , 8, 29842	3	149
55	Toward Best Practice in Evaluation: A Study of Australian Health Promotion Agencies. <i>Health Promotion Practice</i> , 2015 , 16, 715-23	1.8	11
54	Vitamin D supplementation to reduce depression in adults: meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials. <i>Nutrition</i> , 2015 , 31, 421-9	4.8	128
53	Public knowledge and beliefs about dementia risk reduction: a national survey of Australians. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2014 , 14, 661	4.1	57
52	Identifying important and feasible policies and actions for health at community sports clubs: a consensus-generating approach. <i>Journal of Science and Medicine in Sport</i> , 2014 , 17, 61-6	4.4	37
51	Investigation of a lifestyle change strategy for high-risk women with a history of gestational diabetes. <i>Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice</i> , 2014 , 106, e60-3	7.4	14
50	Community understanding of the preventability of major health conditions as a measure of health literacy. <i>Australian Journal of Rural Health</i> , 2013 , 21, 35-40	1.3	4
49	Views of children and parents on limiting unhealthy food, drink and alcohol sponsorship of elite and children's sports. <i>Public Health Nutrition</i> , 2013 , 16, 130-5	3.3	25
48	Restricting unhealthy food sponsorship: attitudes of the sporting community. <i>Health Policy</i> , 2012 , 104, 288-95	3.2	29

47	Exploring the partnership networks of churches and church-affiliated organisations in health promotion. <i>Australian Journal of Primary Health</i> , 2012 , 18, 148-57	1.4	9
46	Historical overview of church involvement in health and wellbeing in Australia: implications for health promotion partnerships. <i>Australian Journal of Primary Health</i> , 2012 , 18, 4-10	1.4	7
45	A pilot structured behavioural intervention trial to increase physical activity among women with recent gestational diabetes. <i>Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice</i> , 2011 , 92, e27-9	7.4	37
44	ORGANIZING AN EFFECTIVE COMMUNITY-WIDE PHYSICAL ACTIVITY CAMPAIGN. <i>ACSMμ Health and Fitness Journal</i> , 2011 , 15, 21-27	0.9	
43	Prevalence and risk factors of diabetes and impaired fasting glucose in Nauru. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2011 , 11, 719	4.1	39
42	"Food company sponsors are kind, generous and cool": (mis)conceptions of junior sports players. <i>International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity</i> , 2011 , 8, 95	8.4	39
41	Food and drink sponsorship of children's sport in Australia: who pays?. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2011 , 26, 188-95	3	40
40	Examining opportunities for promotion of healthy eating at children's sports clubs. <i>Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health</i> , 2010 , 34, 583-8	2.3	34
39	Beliefs, barriers, social support, and environmental influences related to diabetes risk behaviours among women with a history of gestational diabetes. <i>Health Promotion Journal of Australia</i> , 2010 , 21, 130-7	1.7	59
38	Representations of cycling in metropolitan newspapers--changes over time and differences between Sydney and Melbourne, Australia. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2010 , 10, 371	4.1	31
37	Parental influences on child physical activity and screen viewing time: a population based study. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2010 , 10, 593	4.1	74
36	General practitioners' perceptions and practices of physical activity counselling: changes over the past 10 years. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2009 , 43, 1149-53	10.3	27
35	Self-reported confidence in recall as a predictor of validity and repeatability of physical activity questionnaire data. <i>Epidemiology</i> , 2009 , 20, 433-41	3.1	28
34	Building capacity in local government for integrated planning to increase physical activity: evaluation of the VicHealth MetroACTIVE program. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2009 , 24, 353-62	3	18
33	Can a motivational intervention overcome an unsupportive environment for walking--findings from the Step-by-Step Study. <i>Annals of Behavioral Medicine</i> , 2009 , 38, 137-46	4.5	21
32	Are messages about lifestyle walking being heard? Trends in walking for all purposes in New South Wales (NSW), Australia. <i>Preventive Medicine</i> , 2009 , 48, 341-4	4.3	15
31	The International Prevalence Study on Physical Activity: results from 20 countries. <i>International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity</i> , 2009 , 6, 21	8.4	502
30	Mutations in FUS, an RNA processing protein, cause familial amyotrophic lateral sclerosis type 6. <i>Science</i> , 2009 , 323, 1208-1211	33.3	1890

29	Recent trends in physical activity in New South Wales. Is the tide of inactivity turning?. <i>Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health</i> , 2008 , 32, 82-5	2.3	34
28	Intentional injury reported by young people in the Federated States of Micronesia, Kingdom of Tonga and Vanuatu. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2008 , 8, 145	4.1	7
27	Are general practitioners ready and willing to tackle obesity management?. <i>Obesity Research and Clinical Practice</i> , 2008 , 2, I-II	5.4	8
26	Validity and repeatability of the EPIC physical activity questionnaire: a validation study using accelerometers as an objective measure. <i>International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity</i> , 2008 , 5, 33	8.4	127
25	Testing a hierarchy-of-effects model: pathways from awareness to outcomes in the VERB campaign 2002-2003. <i>American Journal of Preventive Medicine</i> , 2008 , 34, S249-56	6.1	55
24	Psychosocial factors related to diet among women with recent gestational diabetes: opportunities for intervention. <i>The Diabetes Educator</i> , 2008 , 34, 807-14	2.5	48
23	Choice and voice: obesity debates in television news. <i>Medical Journal of Australia</i> , 2007 , 187, 442-5	4	64
22	The effects of different regulation systems on television food advertising to children. <i>Australian and New Zealand Journal of Public Health</i> , 2007 , 31, 340-3	2.3	20
21	Associations of Type, Organization, and Number of Recreational Activities With Total Activity. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2007 , 4, 470-481	2.5	1
20	Television food advertising to children: the extent and nature of exposure. <i>Public Health Nutrition</i> , 2007 , 10, 1234-40	3.3	116
19	Promoting walking with pedometers in the community: the step-by-step trial. <i>American Journal of Preventive Medicine</i> , 2007 , 32, 290-7	6.1	76
18	Comparison of tobacco, alcohol and illegal drug usage among school students in three Pacific Island societies. <i>Drug and Alcohol Dependence</i> , 2007 , 88, 9-18	4.9	34
17	A group-based healthy lifestyle program for women with previous gestational diabetes. <i>Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice</i> , 2007 , 77, 333-4	7.4	23
16	Physical activity promotion--are GPs getting the message?. <i>Australian Family Physician</i> , 2007 , 36, 871-4		17
15	Associations of type, organization, and number of recreational activities with total activity. <i>Journal of Physical Activity and Health</i> , 2007 , 4, 469-80	2.5	2
14	Evaluation of mass media campaigns for physical activity. <i>Evaluation and Program Planning</i> , 2006 , 29, 312-322	1.7	78
13	WHO Health Promotion Glossary: new terms. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2006 , 21, 340-5	3	244
12	Hepatitis C in Australia: impact of a mass media campaign. <i>American Journal of Preventive Medicine</i> , 2006 , 31, 492-8	6.1	11

11	Quantitative methods used in Australian health promotion research: a review of publications from 1992-2002. <i>Health Promotion Journal of Australia</i> , 2006 , 17, 32-6	1.7	3
10	Postpartum physical activity and related psychosocial factors among women with recent gestational diabetes mellitus. <i>Diabetes Care</i> , 2005 , 28, 2650-4	14.6	81
9	Screening for physical activity in family practice: evaluation of two brief assessment tools. <i>American Journal of Preventive Medicine</i> , 2005 , 29, 256-64	6.1	150
8	Awareness of message source and its association with the impacts of sun protection campaigns in Australia. <i>Health Education</i> , 2005 , 105, 42-52	1	5
7	Impact of a mass media campaign upon calls to the New South Wales Hep C helpline. <i>Health Promotion Journal of Australia</i> , 2005 , 16, 11-4	1.7	8
6	Health behaviour and lifestyle of Pacific youth surveys: a resource for capacity building. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2005 , 20, 238-48	3	22
5	Reliability and validity of a brief physical activity assessment for use by family doctors. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2005 , 39, 294-7; discussion 294-7	10.3	144
4	Community-based group exercise improves balance and reduces falls in at-risk older people: a randomised controlled trial. <i>Age and Ageing</i> , 2003 , 32, 407-14	3	465
3	Impacts from repeated mass media campaigns to promote sun protection in Australia. <i>Health Promotion International</i> , 2002 , 17, 51-60	3	84
2	Promoting physical activity in general practice: a controlled trial of written advice and information materials. <i>British Journal of Sports Medicine</i> , 2000 , 34, 262-7	10.3	63
1	Lay beliefs about the preventability of major health conditions. <i>Health Education Research</i> , 1999 , 14, 315-25	1.8	24