

Supplementary File S1: Search Terms

Health Impact Assessment	Health sector
Health Impact Assessment	Health service*
	Community health*
	Tertiary health*
	Secondary health*
	Quality of health*
	Health* facility*
	Primary care*
	Primary health*
	General practice*
	Hospital*
	Health* centre*
	Health* center*
	Delivery of health*
	Nursing home*
	Residential care*
	Health planning*
	Primary health care*
	Community health service*
	Community health cent*
	Rural health service*

Supplementary File S2: Hia Websites Searched

1. HIA Connect
2. World Health Organization HIA microsite
3. The Pew Charitable Trust's Health Impact Project
4. HIA Gateway
5. Society of Practitioners of HIA
6. US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
7. International Association for Impact Assessment

Supplementary File 3: Critical Appraisal Skills Programme (Casp 2006) Tool Analysis (Combined Reviewer Ratings)

CASP Review Questions	Health impact assessment																		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1. Was there a clear statement of the aims of the research?	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
2. Is the methodology appropriate?	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green							
3. Was the research design appropriate to address the aims of the research?	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green
4. Was the recruitment strategy appropriate to the aims of the research?	Blue	Yellow	Blue	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Yellow	Blue	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green
5. Was the data collected in a way that addressed the research issue?	Blue	Blue	Green	Green	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Blue	Green	Yellow	Green	Blue	Blue	Blue	Blue	Green	Blue	Green
6. Has the relationship between researcher and participants been adequately considered?	Yellow	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green
7. Have ethical issues been taken into consideration?	Blue	Blue	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green
8. Was the data analysis sufficiently rigorous?	Yellow	Blue	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Blue	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Yellow							
9. Is there a clear statement of findings?	Green	Green	Green	Green	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Blue	Green	Blue	Red	Green	Blue	Green	Blue	Yellow
10. How valuable is the research?	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Both reviewers answered “yes”
 Both reviewers answered “can’t tell”
 One reviewer answered “yes”, one reviewer answered “can’t tell”
 One reviewer answered “yes”, one reviewer answered “no”