

# Urban ecology and health in the third world

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Table 4.4: Life comparisons of urban and rural NWAS

|   | Urban    | Rural    |
|---|----------|----------|
| Annual household income (international dollars)         | \$52,393 | \$55,402 |
| % Finding it (very) difficult to live on present income | 15%      | 1%       |
| % Satisfied with living getting better                  | 54%      | 48%      |
| % Unemployed  | 4%       | 3%       |
| % Completing tertiary education                         | 32%      | 21%      |
| % No partner  | 48%      | 37%      |
| % Satisfied with affordable housing                     | 54%      | 66%      |
| % Likely to move in 12 months                           | 55%      | 1%       |
| % Satisfied with living place                           | 65%      | 87%      |
| National institutions index (0-100)                     | 47       | 44       |
| % Health problems                                       | 35%      | 22%      |
| % Experienced pain yesterday                            | 28%      | 32%      |

Note: Figures are weighted using sampling and population weights. N=62,440 individuals.

Source: Gallup World Poll

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## Political ecology

In India during the late 1970s, fertilizer production was the third most energy-intensive manufacturing activity, behind cement and iron and steel. Infants lose body heat more easily than adults; in addition, infants cannot make enough body heat by shivering. Perhaps in such an extensive massive disaster Katrina devastated an area equivalent to the size of Great Britain, all people, not just high-risk groups, will be vulnerable.

## Changing the urban design of cities for health: The superblock model

The origins of the field in the 1970s and 1980s were a result of the development of and. The physical urban environment has been singled out as one of the many determinants of urban health. Additionally, changes in climate, including higher temperature and more intense precipitation events, may in turn affect the potential of soils in urbanized areas, or urban soils, to provide various ecosystem services, some of which are vital for reducing the vulnerability of densely populated areas to natural disasters, such as flooding Anne et al.

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People should be protected against financial-risk, ensuring that the cost of using services does not put people at risk of financial harm. This development will mostly be around cities. Selection for rural-to-urban migrants in Guatemala; 11.

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Noise pollution in urban areas is usually common as a result of increased density, heavy traffic and a lot of hard surfaces.

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