Reviewer’s report

Title: Use of a public park for physical activity in the Caribbean. Evidence from a mixed methods study in Jamaica

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1. Define the contributions: The main purpose of this study is to discuss how the public parks contributed to physical activity. However, the definitions of the contribution of the public parks on physical activities were not well-defined. The contributions in this study should be indicated the participating rate, the equality, the diversity, or the accessibility of the PA.

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