From Healthy City Indicators to City Health Check-up Indicators: Measuring Urban Environments' Effects on Health

Both the social and physical environments in urban areas determine residents' health. Considerable efforts have been devoted to measuring and managing those impacts to improve the urban population's health. In this talk, I will introduce the work on developing a Healthy City Indicator system and the City Health Check-up indicator system for China, the reasons for success and failure, and the lessons learned. Ultimately, the talk will address the question: How can urban environments' effects on health be measured?