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The National Collaborating Centre for Healthy Public Policy (NCCHPP) seeks to increase the expertise of public health actors across Canada in healthy public policy through the development, sharing and use of knowledge. The NCCHPP is one of six Centres financed by the Public Health Agency of Canada. The six Centres form a network across Canada, each hosted by a different institution and each focusing on a specific topic linked to public health. In addition to the Centres' individual contributions, the network of Collaborating Centres provides focal points for the exchange and common production of knowledge relating to these topics.

FOREWORD

The National Collaborating Centre for Healthy Public Policy (NCCHPP) seeks to support the efforts of the Canadian public health community and its partners in promoting healthy public policy through more informed strategies. Among other things, the Centre focuses on Health Impact Assessment (HIA), a tool that helps shed light on decision making related to the development of policies, programs or projects that could have effects on the population's overall health.

There are many HIA guides and tools. The NCCHPP identified them from the main Internet sites on the subject during the spring of 2008. The instruments are divided into three groups corresponding to the three following sections:

- general guides and orientation documents;
- applied guides and tools (particular activity sectors or themes);
- general tools.

Each guide and tool has specific characteristics. It is therefore up to users, whether they are decision makers, policy analysts, public health actors, or community groups interested in HIA, to choose which ones best suit their needs.

General Guides

To help users make an informed choice, the Centre draws their attention to the following guides:

<u>HIA Step by Step</u>

Health Impact Assessment: A Practical Guide (Australia, 2007)

A structured and substantial guide covering both the practical aspects of HIA and the concepts and theories that go along with them. The material is supported by examples drawn from HIA experiences.

<u>HIA at the Local Level</u>

Health Impact Assessment Toolkit for Cities: Vision to Action (Europe, 2005)

A guide that presents the broad lines of HIA and a way to introduce it at the local level, without being linked to a specific national context.

<u>HIA at the Strategic Level</u>

A Guide to Health Impact Assessment: A Policy Tool for New Zealand, 2nd ed. (New Zealand, 2005)

A complete guide offering a variety of tools that can be applied at the government level. The tools were developed from two case studies and reviewed based on users' comments.

Applied Guides

Certain guides and tools were developed based on a particular theme (e.g., equality, mental health), by applying to a precise activity sector (e.g., housing) or by targeting a specific population (e.g., Aboriginal). The Centre draws the attention of users to the following guide:

Community Development

PATHways II: The Next Steps – A Guide to Community Health Impact Assessment (Canada, 2002)

A guide offering a participative approach to HIA at the community level.

Finally, even though they often touch on health or certain determinants of health, a number of guides and tools were not listed because they were more about other types of impact assessment (e.g., social impact assessment). However, these approaches are still valuable and may be relevant for actors who are interested in health.

Reading the Charts

Classification of guides on a scale ranging from no information (--) to very rich in information (+++). For more detail, see the classification system in the appendix.

Clarification about the guide, its purpose, target audience and the context of the guide, as well as emphasis on certain themes (e.g. participation).

Language: French (FR) or English (EN)

Date	Guide	Richesse de l'information: Définition de l'EIS	Procédures & méthodes	Outils	Etudes de cas ou exemples	Ressources	Caractéristiques & particularités
	AMERIQUES (Amérique du Nord)						
	Canada						
2006	**FR** **Guide pratique : Évaluation d'impact sur la santé lors de l'élaboration de projet de loi et de règlement au Québec** Geneviève Hamel Ministère de la Santé et des Services sociaux 30 pages http://publications.msss.gouv.qc.ca/acrobat/f/documentation/2006/06-245-01.pdf	+	++	+	+	+	▪ S'applique aux projets de loi et de règlement ▪ Directement rattaché à l'application de l'article 54 de la Loi sur la santé publique (L.Q.R, chapitre S-2.2)
2004 (11)	**EN** **The Canadian Handbook on Health Impact Assessment** Health Impact Assessment Task Force Health Canada 562 pages (volumes 1 à 3) http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/pubs/eval/index_e.html **FR** **Guide canadien d'évaluation des incidences sur la santé** Groupe de travail sur les lignes directrices relatives à la conduite d'études d'impact sur la santé Santé Canada 608 pages (volumes 1 à 3) http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/pubs/eval/index_f.html	Évaluation des incidences sur la santé (ÉIS) dans le cadre de l'évaluation environnementale (ÉE)					▪ Axé sur les projets de développement ▪ Destiné aux praticiens ▪ Présente le contexte canadien et international relatif aux considérations de santé dans l'ÉE (vol. 1) ▪ Traite d'autres types d'évaluations (e.g. sociales et économique; vol. 3) ▪ Aborde la participation du public ▪ Comporte un volet autochtone (vol. 1 et 3)
		++	++	+	+++	+++	

Warning about the fact that the guide was evaluated based on a particular theme.

Year (month) of publication

Internet link to the document (consulted in February 2012)

For the General Guides and Orientation Documents section only.

We Would Like to Hear From You

Your comments on this document are welcome. If you know of guides or tools that have not been included, we would also be interested in hearing about them.

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1 GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	NORTH AMERICA						
	Canada						
2006	**FR** **Guide pratique : Évaluation d'impact sur la santé lors de l'élaboration de projet de loi et de règlement au Québec** Santé et des Services sociaux, Gouvernement du Québec 30 pages http://publications.msss.gouv.qc.ca/acrobat/f/documentation/2006/06-245-01.pdf	+	++	+	+	+	• Applies to law and regulatory projects • Directly linked to the application of section 54 of the *Public Health Act* (L.Q.R, chapter S-2.2)
2004 (11)	**EN** **The Canadian Handbook on Health Impact Assessment** Health Canada 562 pages (volumes 1 to 4) Vol. 1 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-343E.pdf Vol. 2 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-361E.pdf Vol. 3 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-362E.pdf Vol. 4 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-363E.pdf	Health impact assessment (HIA) in the framework of environmental assessment (EA) ++	++	+	+++	+++	• Focuses on development projects • For practitioners • Presents the Canadian and international contexts related to health considerations in EA (vol. 1) • Deals with other types of evaluations (e.g., social and economic; vol. 3) • Addresses the participation of the public • Includes a section on Aboriginal (vol. 1 and 3)

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	NORTH AMERICA (CONT.)						
	Canada (cont.)						
	FR **Guide canadien d'évaluation des incidences sur la santé** Santé Canada 608 pages (volumes 1 to 4) Vol. 1 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-343F.pdf Vol. 2 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-361F.pdf Vol. 3 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-362F.pdf Vol. 4 http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-363F.pdf						
	EUROPE						
	Europe (general)						
2005	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment Toolkit for Cities: Vision to Action** WHO Centre for Urban Health 43 pages http://www.euro.who.int/__data/assets/pdf_file/0007/101500/HIA_Toolkit_1.pdf	++	+++	+	++	+++	• Focuses on HIA at the local level • Deals with differences between HIA and other impact assessments

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	EUROPE (CONT.)						
	Europe (general) (cont.)						
2004 (05)	**EN** **European Policy Health Impact Assessment: A Guide** European Commission 29 pages http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph_projects/2001/monitoring/fp_monitoring_2001_a6_frep_11_en.pdf **FR** **Évaluation de l'impact de la politique européenne sur la santé : un guide** Commission européenne 29 pages http://ec.europa.eu/health/ph_projects/2001/monitoring/fp_monitoring_2001_a6_frep_11_fr.pdf	++	+++	--	++	++	• Focuses on HIA in terms of European Commission policies
1999 (12)	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment: Main Concepts and Suggested Approach** – Gothenburg consensus paper WHO European Centre for Health Policy 11 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/Gothenburg_Consensus_Paper.pdf **FR** **Étude de l'impact sur la santé : Principaux concepts et méthode proposée** – Consensus de Göteborg[1] 15 pages http://www.ssents.uvsq.fr/IMG/pdf/gothenburgpaperfr.pdf	+++	+	--	--	--	• A must-see document about the definition of the basic concepts of HIA; its definition of HIA is frequently cited • Mainly for policy analysts

[1] French version of the 1999 document. Translated by/Traduit par S2D/Centre Collaborateur de l'OMS pour les Villes-Santé francophones, July 2005.

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	EUROPE (CONT.)						
	England						
2007 (10)	**EN** **More than a statement of the crushingly obvious: A critical guide to HIA** John Kemm West Midlands Public health Observatory 27 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=44422	+++	++	--	--	--	• Raises many elements, often in the form of questions, and puts different aspects of HIA into perspective • Addresses the participation of stakeholders
2002 (10)	**EN** **An Easy Guide to Health Impact Assessments for Local Authorities** Chimeme Egbutah, Keith Churchill Luton Borough Council 61 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/Easy_Guide_to_HIA_for_Local_Authorities.pdf	+	++	+	+++	+	• Focuses on HIA at the local level • Reports on the experience of the Luton Borough Council
2002 (06)	**EN** **Introducing Health Impact Assessment (HIA): Informing the Decision-Making Process** Lorraine Taylor, Clive Blair-Stevens (Eds.) NHS Health Development Agency 23 pages http://www.nice.org.uk/niceMedia/documents/hia.pdf	+++	++	--	+	++	• Overview of HIA

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	EUROPE (CONT.)						
	England (cont.)						
2001 (05)	**EN** **The Merseyside Guidelines for Health Impact Assessment**, 2nd edition Alex Scott-Samuel, Martin Birley, Kate Ardern Merseyside Health Impact Assessment Steering group 2nd edition (2001; 22 pages): http://www.liv.ac.uk/ihia/IMPACT%20Reports/2001_merseyside_guidelines_31.pdf	++	+++	+	--	+++	• A must-see document on HIA methodology which also influenced a number of other guides
2001	**EN** **Using Health Impact Assessment to Make Better Decisions: A Simple Guide** West Midlands Directors of Public Health Group NHS Executive West Midlands & University of Birmingham 21 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=44797	++	++	+	++	+++	• Written at the request of public health directors • Based on experience acquired in the West Midlands
2000 (08)	**EN** **A Short Guide to Health Impact Assessment – Informing Health Decisions** NHS Executive London 16 pages http://www.londonshealth.gov.uk/pdf/hiaguide.pdf	++	+	--	--	+	• Focuses on HIA at the local level • Short version of a more complete document called *Resource for Health Impact Assessment* (2000)

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	EUROPE (CONT.)						
	Scotland						
2001	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment: A Guide for Local Authorities** Public Health Institute of Scotland 7 pages http://www.healthscotland.com/documents/1283.aspx	+	+	--	--	+	• Focuses on HIA at the local level
	Ireland						
2006 (04)	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment Guidance** Institute of Public Health in Ireland 46 pages http://www.publichealth.ie/files/file/Health_Impact_Assessment_Guidance.pdf	++	+++	+++	++	+++	• Guidelines for HIA in Northern Ireland adopted in December 2005 by the government • Based on the experience of HIA practitioners
	Wales						
2004 (09)	**EN** **Improving Health and Reducing Inequalities: A Practical Guide to Health Impact Assessment** Welsh Health Impact Assessment Support Unit 36 pages http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sites3/Documents/568/ImprovingHealthReducingInequalitiesEng.pdf	++	++	++	--	+++	• Focuses on HIA at the local level

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	EUROPE (CONT.)						
	Wales (cont.)						
2002	**EN** **How to Use Health Impact Assessment: A Short Guide** Welsh Health Impact Assessment Support Unit 9 pages http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sites3/Documents/522/HSCWBSfinalguidance.doc	++	++	+	--	+	• Short version of a more complete guide called *Developing Health Impact Assessment in Wales* (1999)
1999	**EN** **Developing Health Impact Assessment in Wales** National Assembly for Wales 34 pages http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sites3/Documents/522/developing%5Fhia%5Fin%5Fwales.pdf	++	++	--	+	+++	• History of HIA • Deals with the integration of health considerations in environmental assessments • Addresses citizen participation
	Sweden						
2005	**EN** **A Guide to Health Impact Assessments: Focusing on Social and Environmental Sustainability** Swedish National Institute of Public Health 34 pages http://www.fhi.se/PageFiles/4374/r200540hkbeng0511.pdf	++	+	+	+	++	• Conception of HIA as a complement to environmental impact assessments • Based on HIA experiences

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

Date	Guide	Richness of Information: Definition of HIA	Procedures and Methods	Tools	Case Studies or Examples	Resources	Characteristics and Distinctive Features
	OCEANIA						
	Australia						
2007 (08)	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment: A Practical Guide** P. Harris, B. Harris-Roxas, E. Harris, L. Kemp Centre for Health Equity Training, Research and Evaluation. Part of the UNSW Research Centre for Primary Health Care and Equity, UNSW 43 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/Health_Impact_Assessment_A_Practical_Guide.pdf	++	+++	++	+++	+++	• Structured guide with diagrams and charts
2003	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment: A Guide For Service Providers** Queensland Health 33 pages http://www.health.qld.gov.au/ph/Documents/saphs/20364.pdf	++	++	+	++	++	• Focuses on HIA at the local level • Addressed to service providers
2001 (09)	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment Guidelines** enHealth Council 66 pages http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/content/35F0DC2C1791C3A2CA256F1900042D1F/$File/env_impact.pdf	Health impact assessment (HIA) in the framework of environmental assessment (EA) +	++	--	++	+	• Focuses on development projects • Guidelines on using HIA in the framework of EA • Addresses community consultation

GENERAL GUIDES AND ORIENTATION DOCUMENTS (CONT.)

		Richness of Information					
Date	**Guide**	**Definition of HIA**	**Procedures and Methods**	**Tools**	**Case Studies or Examples**	**Resources**	**Characteristics and Distinctive Features**
	OCEANIA (CONT.)						
	New Zealand						
2005 (06)	**EN** **A Guide to Health Impact Assessment: A Policy Tool for New Zealand**, 2nd edition Public Health Advisory Committee 81 pages http://www.nhc.health.govt.nz/sites/www.nhc.health.govt.nz/files/documents/publications/guidetohia.pdf	++	+++	+++	++	+++	• Focuses on HIA at the policy level • Mainly for policy analysts • Includes a section on Aboriginal

2 APPLIED GUIDES & TOOLS (PARTICULAR ACTIVITY SECTORS OR THEMES)

DATE	GUIDE & TOOL	COUNTRY
	Aboriginal	
2007	**EN** **Whānau Ora Health Impact Assessment** Ministry of Health 49 pages http://www.health.govt.nz/publication/whanau-ora-health-impact-assessment-2007	New Zealand
	Community Development	
2002 (04)	**EN** **PATHways II: The Next Steps – A Guide to Community Health Impact Assessment** The PATH Network 42 pages http://www.antigonishwomenscentre.com/pdfs/PATHways%20II%20manual.pdf	Canada
2002 (02)	**EN** **Community Health Impact Assessment Tool** Antigonish Town & County Community Health Board 25 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/CHImpactAssessTool+.doc	Canada
	Equity	
2004 (08)	**EN** **Equity-Focused Health Impact Assessment Framework** Mary Mahoney, Sarah Simpson, Elizabeth Harris, Rosemary Aldrich, Jenny Steward Williams Australasian Collaboration for Health Equity Impact Assessment 45 pages http://notes.med.unsw.edu.au/CPHCEWeb.nsf/resources/CHETRErpts1to5/$file/EFHIA_Framework.pdf	Australia
2004 (05)	**EN** **A Health Equity Assessment Tool (Equity Lens) for Tackling Inequalities in Health** Ministry of Health http://www.health.govt.nz/publication/health-equity-assessment-tool-equity-lens-tackling-inequalities-health	New Zealand
2004 (02)	**EN** **Health Inequalities Impact Assessment: Screening (& Guidance Notes)** and **Health Inequalities Impact Assessment: Rapid Appraisal (& Guidance Notes)** National Public Health Service for Wales 11 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/HIIA%20_Bro_Taf_all.pdf	Wales

APPLIED GUIDES & TOOLS (PARTICULAR ACTIVITY SECTORS OR THEMES) (CONT.)

DATE	GUIDE & TOOL	COUNTRY
	Housing	
2003 (05)	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment of Housing Improvements: A Guide** Maragret Douglas, Hilary Thompson, Marjorie Gaughan Public Health Institute of Scotland 30 pages http://www.healthscotland.com/uploads/documents/PHIS_HIAGuide.pdf	Scotland
2003 (05)	**EN** **Rapid Health Impact Assessment – A Screening Tool for Registered Social Landlords & Social Housing Providers** Anthea Cooke Health Housing 23 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/rapid_HIA_screening_tool.pdf	England
	Industry	
2005	**EN** **A Guide to Health Impact Assessment in the Oil and Gas Industry** International Petroleum Industry Environmental Conservation Association (IPIECA) & International Association of Oil and Gas Producers (OGP) 24 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/HIA_in_OG.pdf	International
2004 (11)	**EN** **The Canadian Handbook on Health Impact Assessment** **Volume 4: Health Impacts by Industry Sector** Health Canada 302 pages http://dsp-psd.pwgsc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-363E.pdf **FR** **Guide canadien d'évaluation des incidences sur la santé** **Volume 4 : Impacts sur la santé par secteur industriel** Santé Canada 324 pages http://dsp-psd.tpsgc.gc.ca/Collection/H46-2-04-363F.pdf	Canada
	Mental Health	
2007 (03)	**EN** **Mental Well-being Impact Assessment: A Toolkit** Tony Coggins, Anthea Cooke, Lynne Friedli, Jonathan Nicholls, Alex Scott-Samuel, Jude Stansfield Care Services Improvement Partnership, North West Development Centre 88 pages http://www.liv.ac.uk/ihia/IMPACT%20Reports/mwia-toolit1.pdf	England

APPLIED GUIDES & TOOLS (PARTICULAR ACTIVITY SECTORS OR THEMES) (CONT.)

DATE	GUIDE & TOOL	COUNTRY
	Mental Health (cont.)	
2004 (04)	**EN** **Mental Health and Well-Being Impact Assessment Indicators – A Two Part Screening Toolkit** Lewisham & Lambeth Neighbourhood Renewal Fund 37 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=92872	England
	Transport	
2007	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment of Transport Initiatives: A guide** Margaret Douglas, Hilary Thompson, Ruth Jepson, Fintan Hurley, Martin Higgins, Jill Muirie, Dermot Gorman (eds.) NHS Health Scotland 110 pages http://www.healthscotland.com/uploads/documents/5039-03686_NHSHIAGuideFinal1.pdf	Scotland
	Urbanism	
2002	**EN** **A Guide to Doing a Prospective Health Impact Assessment of a Home Zone** University of Plymouth & South and West Devon Health Authority 66 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=44885	England
2002	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment – Spatial Susceptibility Screening Toolkit** Buroni, Hill, Miller, Foley University of Brighton 20 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=47756	England
2001 (04)	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment for Groundwork SRTS Projects** Ben Cave, Sarah Curtis Queen Mary, University of London 25 pages www.apho.org.uk/resource/view.aspx?RID=44892	England

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DATE	GUIDE & TOOL	COUNTRY
	Urbanism (cont.)	
2001	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment for Regeneration Projects** Ben Cave, Sarah Curtis (& Marilyn Aviles, Adam Coutts) East London and the City Health Action Zone & Queen Mary, University of London 174 pages Volume I: A Practical Guide: http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=47696 Volume II: Selected Evidence Base: www.apho.org.uk/resource/view.aspx?RID=47697 Volume III: Principles: http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=47698	England

3 GENERAL TOOLS

DATE	GUIDE & TOOL	COUNTRY
	Global – Covering Several HIA Steps	
2006	**EN** **Comprehensive Health Assessment Toolbox** Peter Brett Associates 33 pages http://www.seedwiki.com/accounts/vohra_salim_24251/PBA%20Comprehensive%20Health%20Assessment%20Toolbox%202007.pdf	England
2003 (10)	**EN** **HIA Planning & Report Writing Toolkit** Salim Vohra, Ben Cave, Sian Penner Seahorseia 25 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=44893	England
	Screening	
2008	**EN** **Countryside Council of Wales Health and Well-Being Impact Assessment Screening Tool** Countryside Council of Wales 7 pages http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sites3/Documents/522/HIA%20%2D%20Obj2reportpart21.doc	Wales
2006 (02)	**EN** **Health Impact Screening Checklist** Margaret Douglas Lothian NHS Board 3 pages http://www.scribd.com/doc/30664222/Lothian-HIA-Screening-Checklist-SHIAN-Scotland-2006	Scotland
2004	**EN** **Screening Tool for Health Impact Assessment** Rosemary Stapleton, Sandra Cheney Mid West Area Health Service 5 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/MWAHS_Screening_Tool.pdf	Australia
2003 (12)	**EN** **Health and Well-Being Screening Checklist: A Guide to Using Health Impact Assessment in Your Organisation** The Devon Health Forum 17 pages http://www.nice.org.uk/media/hiadocs/Health_and_Well_Being_Screening_Checklist.pdf	England

GENERAL TOOLS (CONT.)

DATE	GUIDE & TOOL	COUNTRY
	Screening (cont.)	
2001 (05)	**EN** **Health Impact Assessment: A Screening Tool for the GLA – Strategic Level** (Iteration 7; Draft for piloting) 13 pages http://www.humanimpact.org/doc-lib/finish/12/25	England
	EN **Health Impact Assessment Generic Screening Tool** Minnesota Department of Health 2 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=44898	United States
	EN **Westminster Toolkit: Health and Well-Being – A Screening Tool for Assessing the Impacts of Committee Reports on Health and Well-Being in Westminster** 12 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/Toolkit%20Final%201%20June%2005%20(2).pdf	England
	Appraisal	
2006	**EN** **A Guide to Reviewing Published Evidence for Use in Health Impact Assessment** J. Mindell, J.P. Biddulph, A. Boaz, A. Boltong, S. Curtis, M. Joffe, K. Lock, L. Taylor London Health Observatory 12 pages http://www.lho.org.uk/viewResource.aspx?id=10846	England
2004 (11)	**EN** **Policy Appraisal and Health** Department of Health 56 pages http://www.dh.gov.uk/prod_consum_dh/groups/dh_digitalassets/@dh/@en/documents/digitalasset/dh_4095414.pdf	England
2002 (01)	**EN** **Rapid Appraisal Tool for Health Impact Assessment – A Task-Based Approach** (Eleventh iteration) Erica Ison 160 pages http://www.publichealth.ie/files/file/HIA/Rapidtask-basedappraisaltoolforHIA.pdf	England

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DATE	GUIDE & TOOL	COUNTRY
	Appraisal (cont.)	
2000 (10)	**EN** **Resource for Health Impact Assessment** Erica Ison 348 pages Volume I: The Main Resource: http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/Resource_for_HIA_Vol_1.pdf Volume 2: The Case Studies: http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/Resource_for_HIA_Vol_2.pdf	England
	EN **Rapid Health Impact Assessment: A Guide to Research** Amanda Harris 41 pages http://www.hiaconnect.edu.au/files/Rapid_HIA_guide_to_research.pdf	England
	EN **Thurrock Health Impact Analysis Tool** 7 pages http://www.apho.org.uk/resource/item.aspx?RID=44894	England

APPENDIX 1

CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM FOR GENERAL HIA GUIDES

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Definitions of HIA Statement of the principal characteristics and basic notions of HIA.	
--	No elements about the definitions or basic notions.
+	Clearly presents at least one of the following elements: • Definition of HIA or at least one related notion (e.g., health; determinants of health; impact on health); OR • Objectives pursued with HIA (e.g., goals, objectives, justifications, advantages).
++	Includes at least one of the elements identified in the + category, along with: • Other elements related to the basic notions described in summary form (e.g., basic principles and values associated with HIA [e.g., democracy, equity, transparency, ethical use of data], the place of HIA in relation to other types of impact assessment).
+++	Includes the elements identified in the + and ++ categories, but in a detailed manner.
Procedures and Methods Description of the steps involved, the means to use and the methods to follow in the realization of an HIA.	
--	No elements about procedures or methods.
+	Summary, with or without diagrams, of the steps involved – i.e. the steps are named and very briefly described; there is no major discussion about methodological or practical aspects.
++	Detailed description, with or without diagrams, of the steps involved – i.e., the steps are named and described (e.g., the people who should be solicited to participate and the roles of each; the order of the steps and when to take them; ways of doing things), but there is no major discussion about methodological or practical aspects.
+++	Very detailed description, concrete, and with diagrams, of the steps involved – i.e., the steps are named and described in a more detailed manner than in category ++, notably in the treatment of methodological or practical aspects (e.g., types of data to use; consideration of constraints in terms of available resources; cost of the HIA).
Tools All work instruments proposed to facilitate the realization of the steps of an HIA (e.g., screening grid).	
--	No tools are suggested.
+	One or two (1-2) tools are suggested.
++	Three or four (3-4) tools are suggested.
+++	Five or more tools (≥ 5) are suggested.

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Case Studies or Examples The degree of detail in the presentation of an HIA experience; the cases or examples can be from countries, regions or municipalities that are interested in HIA; legislation, plans for programs or projects for which the HIA were done, are in progress or planned; etc.	
--	No case studies or examples.
+	Names one or several cases or examples but without giving precise details about them.
++	Summarized description of one or several (< 10) cases or examples, mentioning the context, the framework used, the results or recommendations made in the HIAs being reported.
+++	Describes in a detailed way one or several cases or examples (OR in summary form ≥ 10 cases or examples) OR analyses with the goal to draw experience from them.
Resources The body of collected documents or Internet sites referenced that can shed light on HIA or facilitate it being put into practice[1.]	
--	No resources are suggested.
+	From one to five (1-5) resources are suggested in relation to HIA.
++	From six to ten (6-10) resources are suggested in relation to HIA.
+++	More than ten (> 10) resources are suggested in relation to HIA.
Characteristics and Distinctive Features Characteristics of the guide, particularly in terms of its purpose, target clientele, context and specific content elements (other impact assessments, participation, Aboriginal).	

[1] The resources suggested must be specific to HIA. For example, legislative documents used to put information into context and resources used for developing a population's profile (e.g., national statistics) are not included in this classification.

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