Manzanas del Cuidado — Bogotá's Care Blocks for Unpaid Caregivers, With No Detectable Effect on Time Use Yet

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Quality score: 52/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Bogotá groups respite, training and childcare services within a 20-minute radius in under-served districts; the city reports serving thousands of women, but the one quantitative study found no change in women's time use or employment.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	1/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability	2/3
Sustainability / continuity	2/3
Innovation	2/3
Inclusiveness / equity	2/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	1/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

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