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This is a comprehensive, thorough and highly professional project that could and should be published for access to the broader planning community as a resource tool for how cities are planned and managed having regard to human health. Following as it does on the back of PIA’s Healthy Spaces and Places initiative, Planning for Human Health undertakes a diagnostic assessment of how the essential tools that planners use to guide them in the planning of development and cities attend to this subject. The consequences of not addressing human health are also highlighted, making a significant contribution to our understanding of this topic.