

## Copenhagen, Denmark

## **ACTIVE TRANSPORT WITH A BIKE-FRIENDLY CITY**

**ISSUE** 

A silent epidemic: Physical inactivity causes one million deaths per year in the European Region

The risks include: obesity, high blood pressure, high blood cholesterol, type 2 diabetes and heart disease









high blood pressure

high blood cholesterol





type 2 diabetes

heart disease

**SOLUTION** 

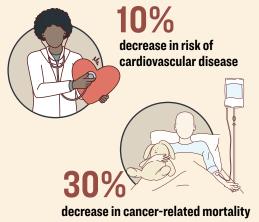
Copenhagen's extensive cycling infrastructure has meant it has become the dominant means of transport

By 2045, Copenhagen aims to have 45 bike routes that reach up to 746km





**ACTIVE COMMUTING, SUCH AS CYCLING, IS ASSOCIATED WITH:** 



decrease in risk of type 2 diabetes COPENHAGEN'S PLAN IS ESTIMATED TO RESULT IN A socio-economic return of



less tonnes of carbon dioxide annually

30% lower mortality rate for adults who cycle daily



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