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- in post-coeffect and fragile settings, relatively inexpensive interventions, including reconclisation programs and integroup contact, have the potential to increase trust and social links between groups'.
- Some programs aimed at helping communities heal should be redesigned to avoid unintended negative effects, such as an increase in violence!.
- Interventions seeking to build social coherion after conflict may have stronger in pacts on bot autors than on personal beliefs, at least in the short-terre?
- Interventions that target the highest-risk individuals may effectively contribute to reducing violent behavior in high-crime or conflict settings?.

Policy impact

Inter-Religious soccer leagues foster social cohesion in Iraq (Resercher: Saina Mouse)

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