

To put it in a nutshell:

We moved into and enjoyed our new house (Scansano, Italy) for exactly 4 weeks - until the newly erected 121m wind turbines (10 of them, the nearest 800-900m from the house) started operating. I quickly developed the following symptoms, with which I'd never been troubled before:

insomnia  
panic attacks at all times of the day and night  
fast heart rate  
nausea  
tinnitus  
depression  
loss of concentration

Coupled with this I heard a strange humming or buzzing noise in my house, loud enough to be extremely distressing and also perceived by visitors.

I couldn't enjoy a peaceful evening outside on my terrace and I couldn't invite friends or relatives for this reason.

I became paranoid about returning home after a day's work because I knew I would not be able to rest.

After a year of keeping a diary of the daily horror (published 2008 on [www.wind-watch.org](http://www.wind-watch.org)) and spending extended periods away from home to recuperate, we moved out for good – abandoning the work of a lifetime. Our house is unsaleable, our old age 'pension' worthless.