

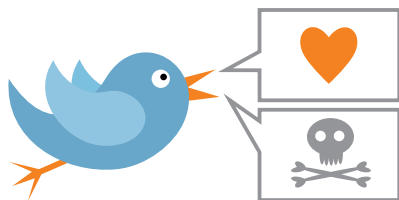
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Drop-dead beautiful



It's spring again, or at least it was last week, and the abrupt weather changes are leading to a record number of heart attacks and strokes. Chief Physician Jan Pirk of IKEM's cardiology center told [Právo](#) that it's not necessarily just the weather and that more scientific study is needed. Absolutely. For example, we wonder how many of the victims are middle-age men whose heart skips 10 beats when they see all those gorgeous Czech women on the square in their skimpy shorts and halter tops. Shouldn't the health ministry impose a minimum unclocking schedule in effect every spring, so the heart has time to adjust over a period of days? Or at least recommend a maximum exposure period for susceptible individuals? Doctors (and feminists) would say the men just need to keep their eyes to themselves, but this isn't at all practical in a country jokingly referred to by Steve Fischer of Reflex as CzechXXX.

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