



The 2019 Report

Our 2019 Report tracks the relationship between health and climate change across five key domains and 41 indicators. See an overview of the 2019 key findings below, or download the full report.

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KEY MESSAGE

The life of every child born today will be profoundly affected by climate change, with populations around the world increasingly facing extremes of weather, food and water insecurity, changing patterns of infectious disease, and a less certain future. Without accelerated intervention, this new era will come to define the health of people at every stage of their lives.

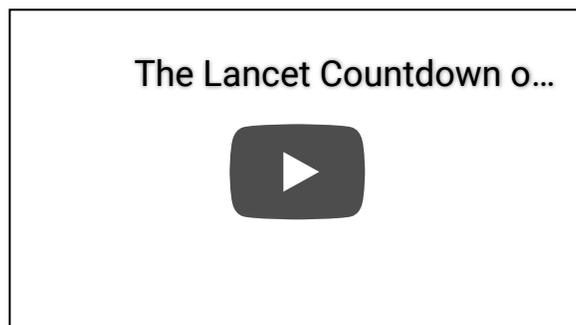
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and healthier diets.

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Bold new approaches to policy making, research, and business are needed in order to change course. An unprecedented challenge demands an unprecedented response. It will take the work of the 7.5 billion people currently alive to ensure that the health of a child born today is not defined by a changing climate.



Explore key findings of the 2019 report

CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACTS, EXPOSURES AND VULNERABILITY

TRACKING THE HEALTH IMPACTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE

A changing climate has profound implications for human health, with more frequent heatwaves and extreme weather events, changing patterns of infectious disease, and the exacerbation of existing health challenges around the world. Indicators in this section measure how these impact on human health.



ADAPTATION, PLANNING, AND RESILIENCE FOR HEALTH

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Indicators in this section track how communities, health systems, and governments are understanding the health risks of climate change, the strategies and resources they are deploying, and how adaptation and resilience measures are being implemented globally.

KEY FINDINGS

MITIGATION ACTIONS AND HEALTH CO-BENEFITS

THE HEALTH BENEFITS OF THE RESPONSE TO CLIMATE CHANGE

Indicators in this section track the world's efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and the health improvements that result from these interventions.

KEY FINDINGS

ECONOMICS AND FINANCE



of climate change and its drivers, and the investments and economic tools being used to transition to a low-carbon economy.

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PUBLIC AND POLITICAL ENGAGEMENT

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Public and political engagement underpins the foundations of our collective response to climate change. The indicators in this sector track this engagement in the media, national governments, the corporate sector, and the broader public.

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