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Advancing Climate Health Literacy for Public Health Promotion and Resilience

Message from the Guest Editors

As climate change intensifies environmental and healthrelated threats, ranging from extreme heat and air pollution to food insecurity and natural disasters, there is an urgent need to strengthen health promotion strategies that are responsive to climate realities. A key component of these strategies is climate health literacy: the ability of individuals, communities, and professionals to access, understand, evaluate, and act on information about climate-related health risks and interventions. This Special Issue of the IJERPH focuses on how enhancing climate health literacy can drive effective health promotion and disease prevention across populations. We welcome research and commentary that explores innovative methods to communicate climate-related health risks, promote protective behaviors, build adaptive capacity, and engage diverse populations in sustainable and health-promoting practices. Through this Special Issue, we aim to illuminate pathways for integrating climate awareness into health promotion practices that empower individuals and communities to protect their health in a changing climate.

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