Global Warming, Health Disparities, and Structural Racism


Historically, political leaders and health professionals have met with mixed success in creating meaningful change. Acknowledging this, and building on the extraordinary new awareness and energy that the COVID-19 pandemic has brought, our group, the Human Health + Climate Change Student Group, is excited to share information about a new event that we hope will encourage you to think critically about how to tackle climate change and its many impacts.

The Health Impacts of Global Warming, the Roots and Manifestations of COVID-19 Infection, and Structural Racism: How They’re All Connected

Wednesday, Sept. 16th, 6-8pm (virtual)

Join us in this symposium to hear about the connections between the health impacts of global warming, the roots and manifestations of COVID-19 infection, and structural racism.

**Symposium Goals**

1. Acknowledge and highlight the connections between climate change, COVID-19, and structural racism.
2. Explore the harms of climate change and COVID-19 in underserved communities.
3. Discuss the roles of health disparities and the importance of intersectionality.
4. Examine actions we can all take to address these issues.

**Speakers**

- Chelsea Landrigan, RN, MS, NP • “Academic Clinical Practice”
  Department of Emergency Health Services • School of Nursing
- Karly Hampshire, MSHP • “Health Disparities in the Health-Related Care Setting”
  School of Medicine • School of Pharmacy
- Dr. Adam Xie • “Advancing Science, Building Bridges, Creating Community”
  UCSF Climate Health Newsletter • School of Medicine
- Dr. Karly Hampshire • “Severe Wildfires: A Climate Health Emergency”
  UCSF Climate Health Newsletter • School of Medicine
- Dr. Karly Hampshire • “Our Malaria in the Amazon: Climate Change”
  UCSF Climate Health Newsletter • School of Medicine
- Dr. Karly Hampshire • “The Pandemic As A Climate Health Emergency”
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- Dr. Karly Hampshire • “COVID-19 In Colorado”
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