

Climate Changes Health: Two CDC BRACE Grantees Take Steps Toward Adaptation

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Climate Changes Health: The CDC Climate-Ready States and Cities Initiative

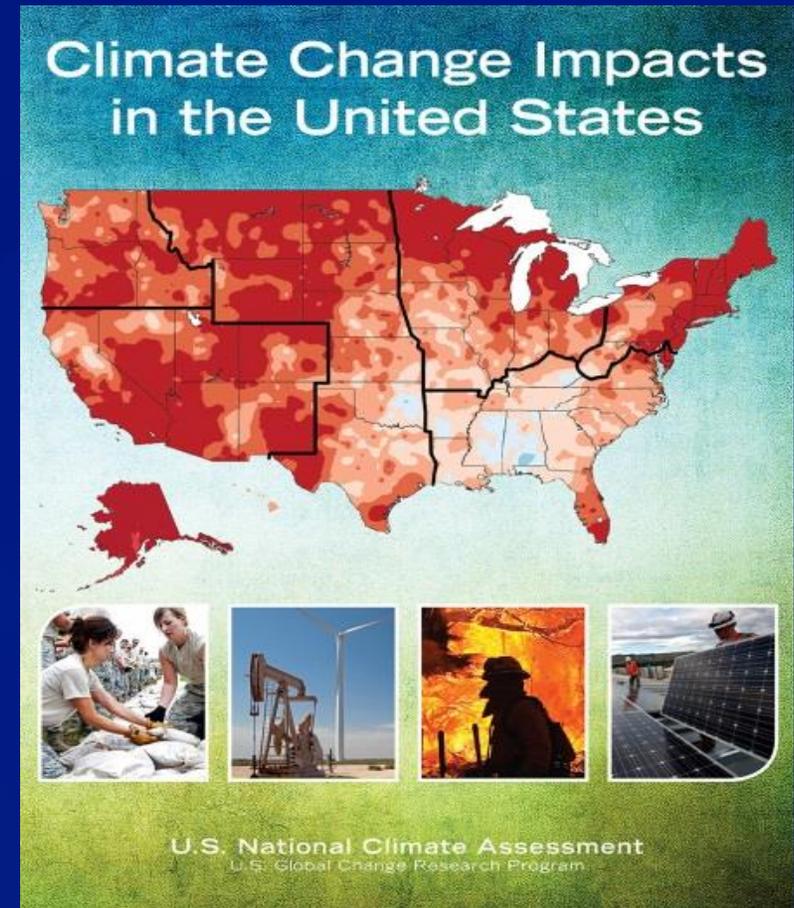


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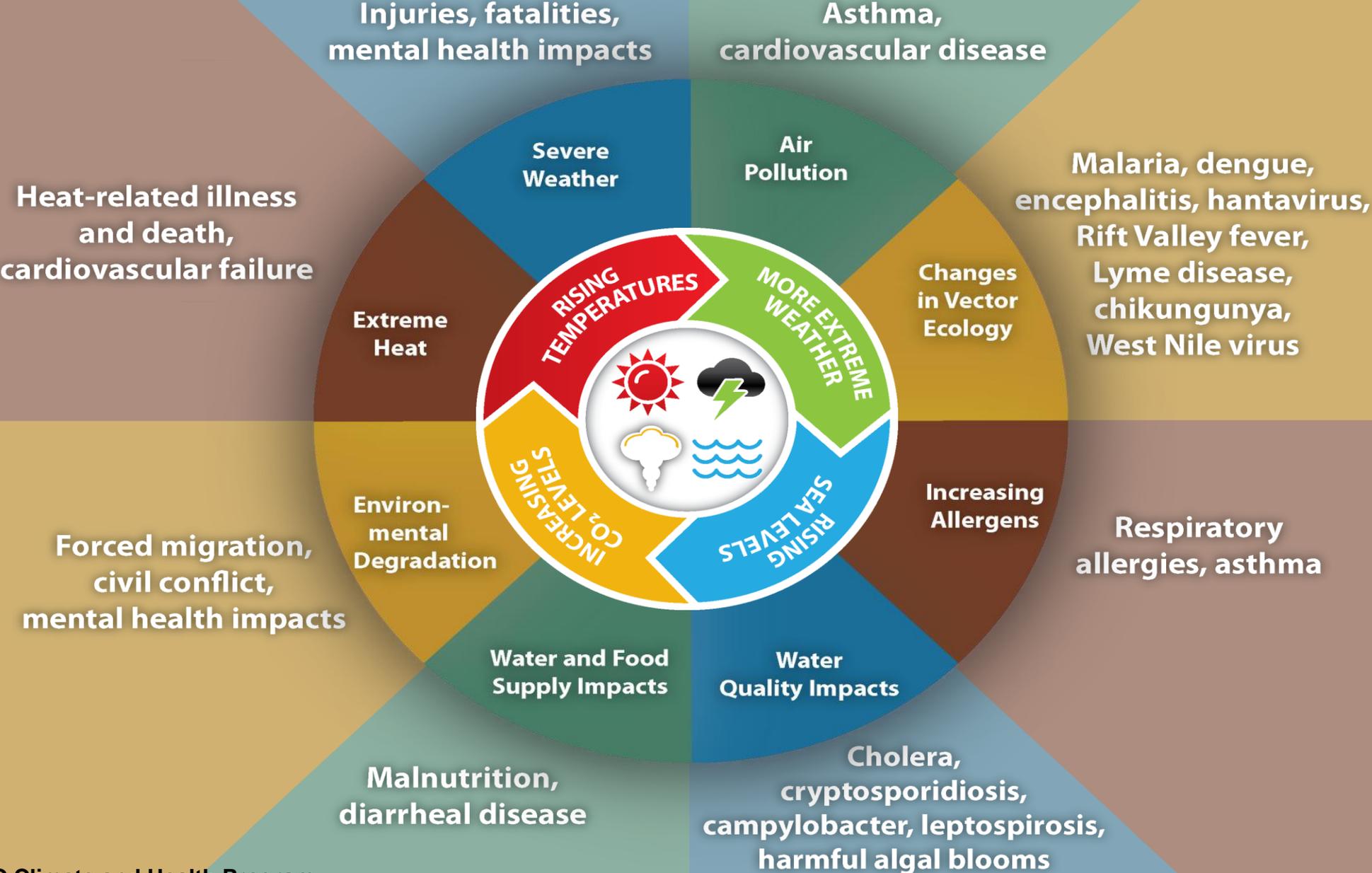
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3rd National Climate Assessment: Health Key Messages

- ❑ Climate change threatens human health and well-being
- ❑ Will amplify some existing health threats
- ❑ Preparedness and prevention can protect people from some of the impacts of climate change
- ❑ Responding to climate change presents opportunities



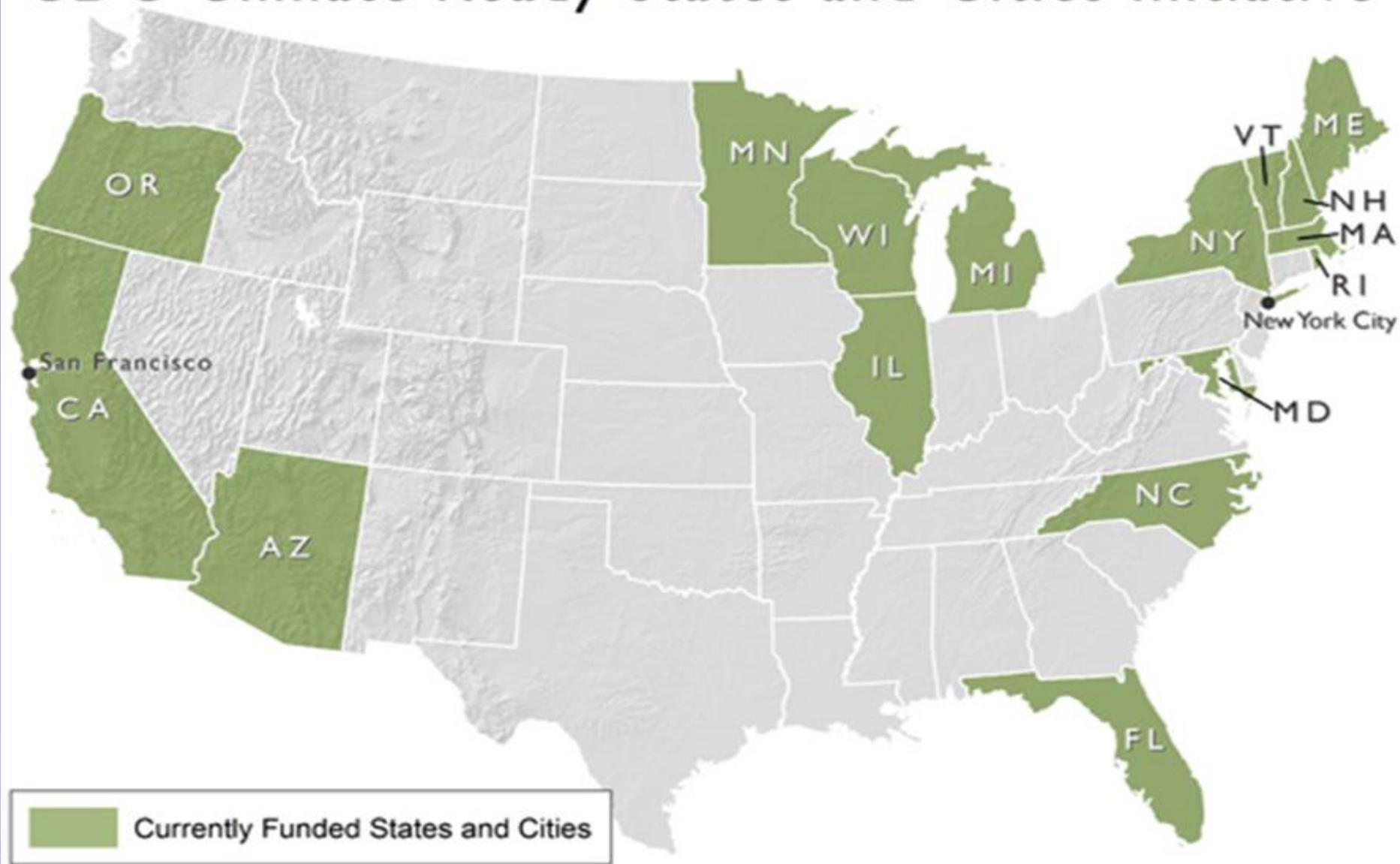
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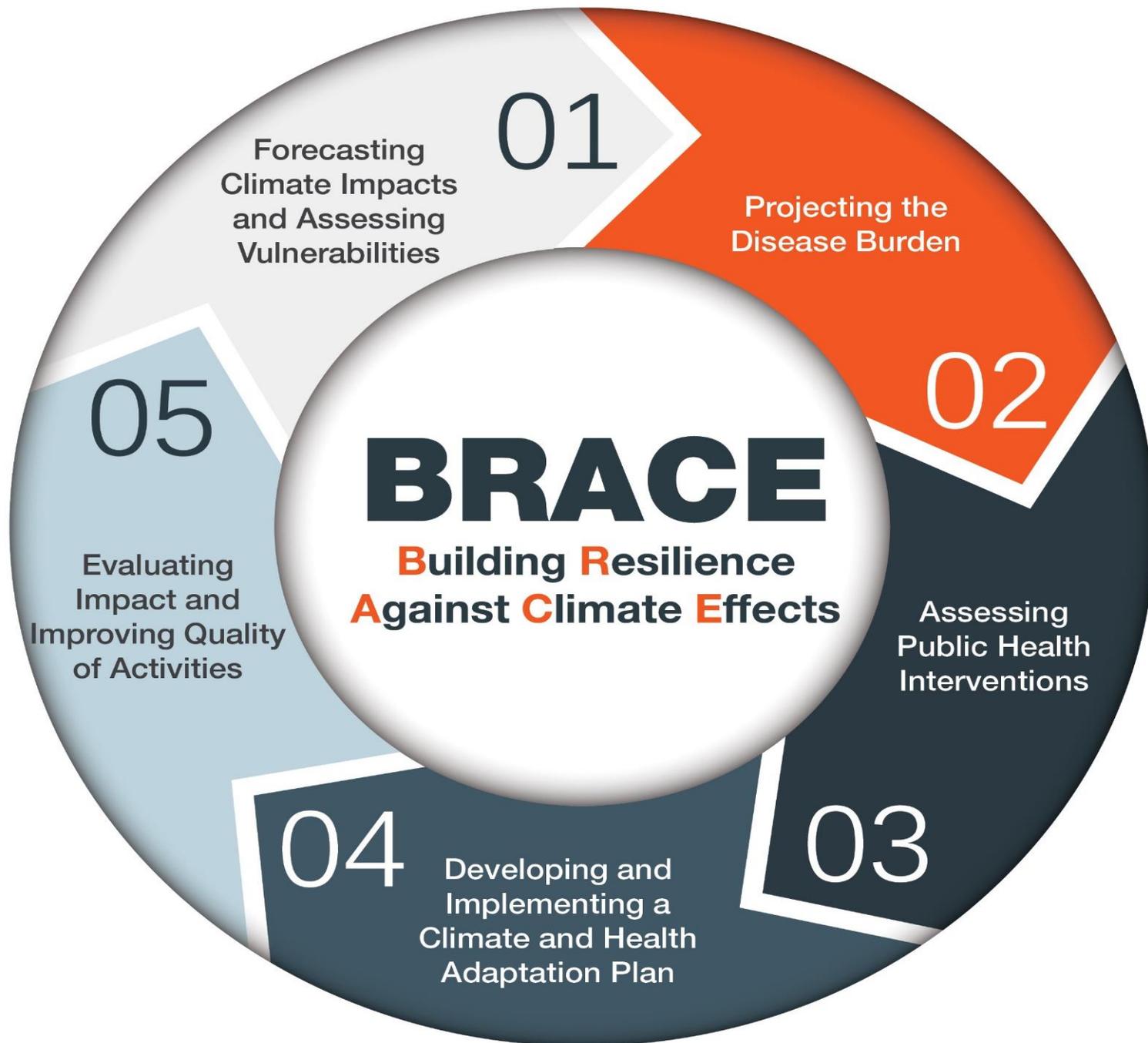


CDC's Climate & Health Program

- ❑ **The only Federal investment in climate change preparedness for the public health sector**
- ❑ **Helps states and cities prepare for health challenges of climate change by:**
 - Providing scientific guidance
 - Developing decision support tools
 - Ensuring public health concerns are considered in climate change adaptation and mitigation strategies
 - Creating partnerships between public health and other sectors

CDC Climate Ready States and Cities Initiative





Guidance Documents

Climate Models and the Use of Climate Projections:

A Brief Overview for Health Departments



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Assessing Health Vulnerability to Climate Change

A Guide for Health Departments



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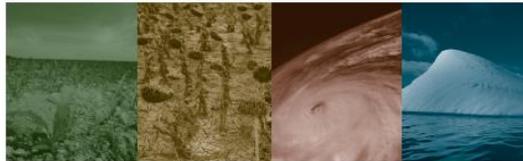
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Projecting Climate-Related Disease Burden:

A Guide for Health Departments



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CLIMATE CHANGE and EXTREME HEAT EVENTS

Excessive Heat Events Guidebook

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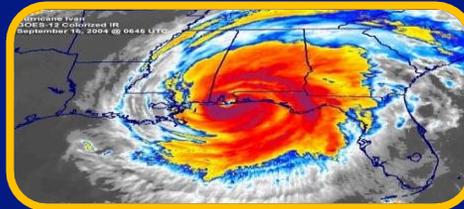
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