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

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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

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
BRACE
Building Resilience Against Climate Effects

01 Projecting the Disease Burden
02 Assessing Public Health Interventions
03 Developing and Implementing a Climate and Health Adaptation Plan
04 Evaluating Impact and Improving Quality of Activities
05 Forecasting Climate Impacts and Assessing Vulnerabilities
Guidance Documents

Climate Models and the Use of Climate Projections: A Brief Overview for Health Departments

Assessing Health Vulnerability to Climate Change: A Guide for Health Departments

Projecting Climate-Related Disease Burden: A Guide for Health Departments

Excessive Heat Events Guidebook

Climate Change and Extreme Heat Events