



CLIMATE CHANGE AND HUMAN HEALTH ISSUES

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ABSTRACT

The impact of climate Change on human health poses serious challenges. The climate change affects the people by the way of transmitting a large number of communicable diseases through pathogen and vectors. This paper deals with impact of climate change on human health with reference to heat stress, water stress, cold stress and extreme weather events. It outlines the types of diseases are transmitted consequent upon climate change. This paper sheds lights on impact of climate change on Indian scenario and identities the major health risk and challenges. This paper concludes with some interesting findings along appropriate policy measures.

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