

Resource Summary Report

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National Environmental Public Health Tracking Program

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.cdc.gov/nceh/tracking>

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Description: The goal of environmental public health tracking is to protect communities by providing information to federal, state, and local agencies. These agencies, in turn, will use this information to plan, apply, and evaluate public health actions to prevent and control environmentally related diseases. Environmental public health tracking is the ongoing collection, integration, analysis, and interpretation of data about the following factors: :- Environmental hazards :- Exposure to environmental hazards :- Health effects potentially related to exposure to environmental hazards CDC's goal is to develop a tracking system that integrates data about environmental hazards and exposures with data about diseases that are possibly linked to the environment. This system will allow federal, state, and local agencies, and others to do the following: :- monitor and distribute information about environmental hazards and disease trends :- advance research on possible linkages between environmental hazards and disease :- develop, implement, and evaluate regulatory and public health actions to prevent or control environment-related diseases. Planning for an environmental public health tracking network is an important priority for CDC because of the opportunity it provides to address some of the most challenging problems facing local, state, and national public health leaders. From the outset, this activity has involved substantial collaboration between CDC and its public health and environmental partners (e.g., see the memorandum of understanding between HHS/CDC and the Environmental Protection Agency). Sponsors: This resource is supported by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention. Keywords: Environment, Public, Health, Disease, Analysis, Integration, Data, Hazard, Health, Prevention,

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for National Environmental Public Health Tracking Program.

No alerts have been found for National Environmental Public Health Tracking Program.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 11 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [Kravitz](#) .

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