

15th European Public Health Conference

Pre-Conference on 09. November 2022

„Health Promoting Settings and Climate Change“

Face-to-face Event, 13:30 h – 17:30 h

Health promotion and prevention in settings should address climate impacts as a cross-cutting issue. The point of reference in Germany is the statutory regulation of paragraph § 20a SGB V, which provides for the establishment and strengthening of health promoting structures via the health insurance funds.

The expansion of current prevention strategies in living environments to include a holistic and sustainable prevention approach that considers the changing conditions and, moreover, the health consequences of climate change, is a central challenge for health promotion. It is important to show that, in addition to preventive measures to avert hazards, practical tools and methods must be developed to encourage those involved to engage in participatory organizational development.

The pre-conference is intended to support the exchange of practical representatives of health-promoting and climate-sensitive projects as well as public health experts based on the three health goals “Healthy growing up”, “Healthy living” and “Healthy ageing”. The goal of the event is to expand the translation of climate and health research findings into European Public Health practice. With the focus on “Health Promoting Settings and Climate” the following questions will be discussed in depth.

- What are approaches to climate justice in the setting?
- What are good practice examples for promoting climate justice with the setting approach?
- How can capacity to act for climate justice emerge in different settings?

After the event, the insights gained from the individual modules will be compiled and presented to the national stakeholders from the health care insurances in the form of a recommendation for action. The pre-conference is being held as a part of the Climate Healthy Setting Prevention (KliGeS) project with the support of the German Association of Private Health Insurance.

Program „Health Promoting Settings and Climate Change“

12:30 h *Network Lunch*

13:30 h **Greetings and Introduction**

Dr. Kirsten Kappert-Gonther (German Parliament, Committee for Health)

Dr. Betje Schwarz (PKV-Verband) and Prof. Dr. Raimund Geene (Berlin School of Public Health)

13:45 h **Part A: Approaches to Climate Justice in the setting approach**
Impulse

- **Healthy growing up: „Child health in times of Climate Protection “**

Dr. Thomas Lob-Corzilius (Pediatrician and environmental physician)

- **Healthy living: „Climate Protection and Community “**

Stefan Pospiech (Gesundheit Berlin-Brandenburg e.V.)

- **Healthy ageing: „Ageing in the context of Climate and Health “**

Dr. Andrea Budnick (Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin)

14:45 h **Part B: Workshop of Active Participation for Climate Justice in the setting approach**

Migrantas e.V.

- *Poster workshop addressing the three health goals "Healthy growing up", "Healthy Living" and "Healthy ageing"*

15:30 h **Part C: Good Practice Examples for Climate Justice in the setting approach**

Impulse

- **Healthy living: „Climate Protection and Social Welfare “**

Janina Yeung (Paritätischer e.V.)

- **Healthy ageing: „Health Ambassador in Climate Change “**

Angelika Gunkel (Eco Office Hanau)

16.00 h **Coffee Break**

16.15 h **Presentation of the Workshop**

Laurette Rasch (KHSB-Berlin)

16.30 h **Plenary Discussion**

Nezahat Baradari (Member of Parliament, Pediatrician and environmental physician), Caroline Costongs (EuroHealthNet) and Prof. Dr. Raimund Geene (Berlin School of Public Health)

- *What can we do now in specific settings to initiate a health-promoting climate movement?*

17.15 h **Wrap-up and Closure of the conference**

Nele Grapentin (Berlin School of Public Health)

17.30 h **End of event**

Moderation: *Maike Voss (Deutsche Allianz Klimawandel und Gesundheit e.V./ Centre for Planetary Health Policy)*