

EUPHA ENV Section members
1st EUPHA ENV Section meeting on Friday 27th of January (online) 2023

Time: 12.30-13.30 lunch meeting (CET)
Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82807160012?pwd=Q09nUEFHcE0rRk9ZNENDV0RnYzlmUT09>
Meeting ID: 828 0716 0012, passcode: EUPHAENV

AGENDA

1. Ideas/suggestions for 2023 - discussion
2. Workshops preparations - EUPHA 2023
3. EUPHA ENV Steering Committee
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5. Activities (EUPHA ENV Paper preparation initiative, Statement, EUPHW)
6. Planetary health - news and activities
7. other issues

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1. Ideas/suggestions for 2023 - discussion

This survey is open to fulfil,
we kindly ask you to give your opinion and suggestion [EUPHA ENV Ideas/Suggestions](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe7zEsRP2s25iodd4k8B9P2AF0ydxkEG1htEUG87QnvOuH_nRQ/viewform)

Full link if you cannot click: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe7zEsRP2s25iodd4k8B9P2AF0ydxkEG1htEUG87QnvOuH_nRQ/viewform



2. Workshops preparations - EUPHA 2023 Environmental and Health Section

Workshops EUPHA Conference 2023 – in cooperation with:

- Urban Public Health and ENV Section
- Public Mental Health and Environment Health Section
- Public Health Law and EUPHA ENV Section,
- Digital Public Health and EUPHA ENV Section,
- Health Impact Assessment section and EUPHA ENV Section
- ASPHER and and EUPHA ENV Section
- FOOD and NUTRITION...
- Health Technology assesment..

Section Board meeting – preparation

- **PROPOSALS/IDEAS** for workshop - send by email - **deadline 10th February**
- marija.jevtic@uns.ac.rs, vlatka@env-health.org



3. EUPHA ENV Steering Committee



- **Professor Susana Viegas, Portugal**
- **Chiara Cadeddu, Italy**
- **Alexandre Robert, Swicerland/France**

Roles/duties

- Providing input on the priorities and ideas for developing ENV sections work
- Statement preparation with the leading Team - 2023
- Paper preparation with the members who are interested

4. Announcement (EUPHA ENV website text, WEBINAR 30th January)

WEBSITE TEXT (Gianfranco & Marija)

Webinar 30th January – announcement – Marija/Vlatka

ENVIRONMENTAL DISASTERS AND MENTAL HEALTH

What are the consequences of different environmental disasters on mental health and the link of climate emergency, environmental disaster and refugees mental health? Learn about mental health, eco-anxiety, helplessness and depression after environmental disasters, and impact on disadvantaged groups.

SKILLS BUILDING WEBINAR

30 January 2023
19.00 - 20.00 CET

ORGANISED BY: **POWERED BY:**

Prof Marija Jevtic
University of Food
Sad, Faculty of
Medicine

**Prof Gianfranco
Damiani**
Università Cattolica
del Sacro Cuore

Prof dr Jutta Lindert
PhD, Prof of Public Health,
University of Applied Sciences
Erdem
WISC scholar, Brandeis University

**Dr Aurora Heidar
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ENVIRONMENTAL DISASTERS AND MENTAL HEALTH

PROGRAMME

19.00	Opening remarks	Prof dr Gianfranco Damiani
19.05	Environmental disaster and mental health	Prof dr Jutta Lindert
19.20	Mental Health, eco-anxiety, helplessness and depression after environmental disasters	Prof dr Marija Jevtic
19.30	Mental health and climate change: the impact on disadvantaged groups according to a Public Health perspective	Dr Aurora Heidar Alizadeh & Prof dr Gianfranco Damiani
19.45	Q&A and closing remarks	Prof dr Gianfranco Damiani, Prof dr Jutta Lindert & Prof dr Marija Jevtic

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ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH

4. Announcement (EUPHA ENV website text, WEBINAR 30th January)

WEBSITE TEXT (Gianfranco & Marija)

Environment and health topics are very important, not only in Public Health community, but also among clinicians and other health professionals. Also, we are deeply connected with other experts working together towards health and wellbeing respecting and implementing the principal "health in all policies" and sectors.

Furthermore, we also support and strongly advocate for complementary concepts like One Health, Planetary Health, Global Health, wishing to bring all important expertises and implementing them in the aim of a sustainable future.

Sustainable Development Goals and EU Green Deal are our flagship policy documents for development of different research, making connections among us and producing useful results in the field of environment and health.

Environmental and health topics are of the utmost importance in the Public Health community, but also among clinicians and other health care professionals. To tackle this issue, strong collaboration with professionals from different backgrounds is essential. We are pursuing collaborations to actually implement the principle of "Health in All Policies".

Over the past decade, several frameworks have emerged to try to understand the complex relationship between health and the environment: Planetary Health, One Health, Eco-Health and Global Health. This section endeavors to bring together the complementary principles of these different perspectives and to advocate for them, with the aim of joining all-important expertise and creating spaces for them to operate together, in order to achieve the tools to build a future environmentally-friendly, sustainable and equal for all.

The Sustainable Development Goals and the EU Green Deal are our flagship policy documents for developing different fields of research, building networks and producing robust, scientifically sound evidence Environment and health.

The EUPHA Environment and health section aims to promote and strengthen research in the field of **environment-related diseases and practices (behavioural, institutional and other) to improve well-being and health of the population through reducing health stressors**. The Section provides a platform for the exchange of information between policymakers, practitioners and researchers working on environment and health.

Environmental health issues are of the utmost importance in the Public Health community, among clinicians and other health care professionals. We are pursuing wide professional collaborations to explore Planetary Health, One Health, Eco-Health and Global Health transdisciplinary field and social movement. Our aim of joining expertise is to create know-how and tools for a future that is environmentally-friendly, sustainable and equal for all.

5. Activities (EUPHA ENV Paper preparation initiative, Statement, EUPHW)

- EUPHA ENV Paper preparation initiative – Eupha ENV Topics
- Statement – One Health and Planetary Health as an important concepts in Environment and Health issues

Marija/Gianfranco/Vlatka/Peter...

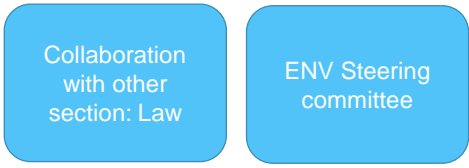
<https://eupha.org/EUPHW>



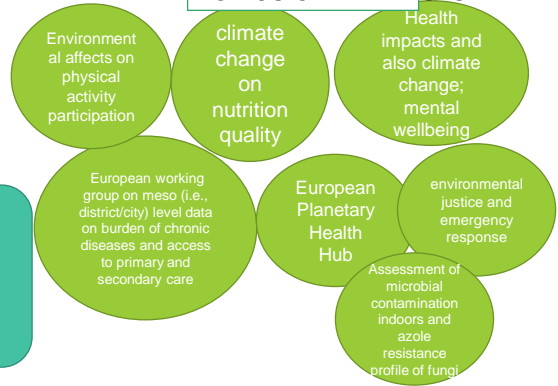
The European Public Health Week (EUPHW) aims to:

- ◉ Make the case for public health and a more inclusive society across Europe
- ◉ Raise awareness and amplify existing messages on five specific public health themes, in line with key organisations at European level
- ◉ Create trust and innovative ways of collaboration among all professionals contributing to public health at local, national, regional and European level.

DONE, Thank you for your input at the last meeting



TOPICS OF INTERESTS



RESEARCH:

- Research articles collaboration
- Grant writing (for Horizon) / Joint research projects
- Special edition in Journal
- Joint Statement



ACTIONS

EDUCATION:

- ❖ Preparation conference sessions
- ❖ creative workshop (e.g. zine making, recording a podcast...)
- ❖ PH education schemes (Masters or certificate course development)
- ❖ international collaborations and mentorships

6. Planetary health - news and activities

Discussion - Chiara, Alexandre, Marija

- Project
- EUPHW
- Workshops
- ...

Planetary Health – group...



7. Other issues

Future cooperation – communication and future events

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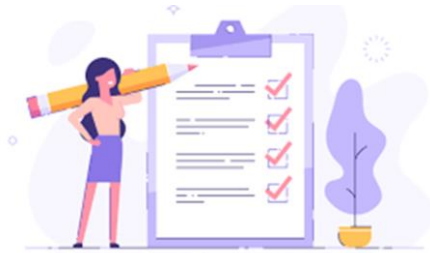
Survey – EUPHA ENV?

HORIZON projects? – exchange of information

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SURVEY

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Climate Change Survey for Medical Doctors

Dear Medical Doctor,

This research, titled "Awareness, Knowledge, and Perception of Medical Doctors on Climate Change" and its Health Effects, was planned within the framework of the Cooperation for Environment, Climate and Health Project (ÇİSİP)* to measure the awareness, perception, and knowledge of healthcare professionals about the health effects of climate change. With the results obtained from your answers, activities can be planned to increase the awareness of health professionals about climate change and eliminate the lack of knowledge in this respect. . Therefore, it is essential that you answer all questions sincerely.

Participation in the research is voluntary. Information obtained through this form will remain confidential and only be used for research purposes (or "scientific purposes"). You can choose not to participate in the study, or if you do not want to fill out the questionnaire, you are free to withdraw at any time.

You don't need to write your name and surname on the questionnaire.

It consists of 6 parts and 24 questions, which should take about 10 minutes. Indicate your answers by choosing the appropriate option under the questions or by writing in the space given under the open-ended questions. Please check all the appropriate options for multi-select questions. If there is an "other" option and your answer is not among the available options, then write your reply using this option.

Thank you for participating in this survey.



Chat:

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Thank you for participating in this survey.

If you have any questions about the study, you can contact the following person(s):

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*ÇİSİP is a collaboration and networking project carried out by HEAL (Health and Environment Alliance), HASUDER (Association of Public Health Professionals), and Kocaeli University Faculty of Medicine, Department of Public Health, aiming to increase knowledge in the field of environmental health in Turkey. The project is financially supported by the EU.





Notes from our meeting discussion:

Action point:

Create working group - Planetary Health taskforce group via link
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe9A2W0t5-1uk_cly9iXI75s9W0UU6INzyjtqqOWLKJGI-Zw/viewform

Action point:

Web site text proposals are here on this [link](#). Please, either comment, or vote.
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1OfwBZQvK2MWkdE5UFvPnmrCd-mDuWqE2/edit>

Action point:

PROPOSALS/IDEAS for **workshop** - send by email - **deadline 10th February**

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Notes from our meeting discussion:

- Conference to prepare together? Interested to contact Asad
<https://www.ectmih2023.nl/>
- Asad suggested resource: <https://www.mdpi.com/1660-4601/19/18/11786>
- Matthias suggested: Planetary Health supporters? - to organize a mapping of partners