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## CLIMATE CHANGE AND HEALTH



### Addressing climate change impacts on health through national policies

Wednesday 16 March 2022, 10.00 – 11.15 CET, Brussels time

Dear colleague,

We invite you to join this webinar, organised jointly by Directorate-General for Health and Food Safety, Directorate-General for Climate Action, and European Environment Agency. The webinar marks the first anniversary of the launch of the [European Climate and Health Observatory](#) under the EU Strategy on Adaptation to Climate Change.

Addressing climate change impacts on health in an effective manner requires actionable national policies. In particular, emphasis on protecting health in national climate change adaptation policies, and the consideration of climate change impacts in the national public health strategies are needed.

This webinar presents examples of integration of health and climate into national governance structures, policy and action from Finland, France and Germany. It will also present the overview of the coverage of climate change impacts in national adaptation policies and national health strategies across the European countries.

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We are looking forward to welcoming you online.

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The EU Health Policy Platform will host a live webinar, following this **agenda**:

10.00 – 10.05	<p><b>Welcome</b></p> <p>Elena Višnar Malinovská, Head of adaptation and resilience to climate change unit, DG CLIMA</p> <p>Giulio Gallo, Deputy Head of Health information and integration in all policies unit, DG SANTE</p> <p>Blaž Kurnik, Head of Climate Impacts and Adaptation Group, EEA</p>
10.05 – 10.15	<p><b>Addressing climate change impacts on health through national policies across Europe</b></p> <p>Aleksandra Kazmierczak, Expert in climate change and human health, European Environment Agency</p>
10.15 – 10.30	<p><b>Climate change adaptation and mitigation health policies in Germany</b></p> <p>Anna Babette Stier, Head of Directorate “Health Protection, Sustainability”, Federal Ministry of Health, Germany</p>
10.30 - 10.45	<p><b>Supporting National Public Health Institutes as Key Climate Actors</b></p> <p>Sébastien Denys, Head of the Environmental and Occupational Health Department, Santé Publique France</p>
10.45 - 11.00	<p><b>Climate change adaptation plan for health care and social welfare sector in Finland</b></p> <p>Päivi Meriläinen, Senior Researcher, Finnish Institute for Health and Welfare</p>
11.00 – 11.10	<p><b>Q&amp;A - Discussion</b></p>
11.10 – 11.15	<p><b>Conclusive remarks</b></p> <p>Elena Višnar Malinovská, Head of adaptation and resilience to climate change unit, DG CLIMA</p>



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