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Why is climate change important to health and environmental funders?

- Global issue with local implications
- Affects systems in which we live (air, water, food, shelter)
- Effects are more serious for vulnerable populations and communities and can exacerbate health inequities
- Health and public health officials already working in this space, whether they recognize it or not (improving transit, strengthening local food systems)
- Environmental health/justice issues that funders are addressing are linked to forces that are driving climate change

