

Health Impact Assessment for Environmental Epidemiologist

Convener

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Background:

Health Impact Assessment has been proposed by the World Health Organization, National and Regional authorities as a key tool for health in all policies and has been widely used in the environmental health context.

Significance:

The course will describe the methods and utility of Health Impact Assessment (HIA) for environmental health. The students will learn the HIA types and steps and will identify how HIA could be used as a tool for policy translation in environmental health.

Content:

- Introduction to HIA
- HIA history, types and steps
- HIA examples for Environmental Health
- Participatory HIA, Quantitative HIA, and Monetary evaluations
- HIA tools and resources
- Conclusions / Q&A

Interest for the workshop

Health Impact Assessment has been proposed by the World Health Organization, National and Regional authorities as a key tool for health in all policies and has been widely used in the environmental health context. Environmental epidemiologist will benefit understand and use Health Impact assessment for different exposures, outcomes, populations, and settings. The Health Impact Assessment will provide a tool for health prevention, promotion, and policy translation.

Maximum number of attendees

30

Duration workshop

Half day