

ONE HEALTH, HUMAN RIGHTS AND CLIMATE JUSTICE

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The One-Health dimension is outlined as a global health perspective that emphasizes the interconnections between human, animal, and environmental health, with the aim of improving communication and collaboration between different sectors through research and policy. Together, WHO, FAO, OIE and UNEP are committed to integrating the One Health approach so that the world is better prepared to prevent, predict, detect, and respond to any new threats to global health, while promoting forms of sustainable development. In an era of severe climate upheavals and pandemics, everything depends on the ability to start a virtuous path of energy and economic sustainability, but the negative economic shocks associated with climate variability also play an important role in the onset of conflicts. In summary, where there is an intensification of the effects of climate change, further conflicts are expected in the future following social and political destabilization. Conflicts increase the presence of migrants and refugees and large-scale movements of people, increasing the spread of emerging and reemerging diseases, famine, malnutrition, and social and mental distress. Eco-anxiety affects populations and in particular young people, creating significant behavioral and social imbalances. The fact that the countries most affected by extreme atmospheric phenomena, induced by the acceleration of climate change, are those that have contributed least to the upheaval of the climate system, in terms of greenhouse gas emissions, and that these are precisely the even those most affected by war events, imposes unprecedented demands for justice on a global level. In a dramatic situation of eco-systemic, climatic, war and fossil emergency, the issues of “climate justice” have become urgent and unavoidable. So, in this moment is urgent to: abandon fossil fuels and rethink energy demand, integrate climate justice and equity into all mitigation strategies, accelerate funding and support for vulnerable communities, climate justice promotes sustainable development and human well-being, ensure food security, clean water, adequate housing and access to healthcare and education for all.