HEALTH PROFESSIONALS CAN LEAD ON CLIMATE
No matter what health field you are in, we are all after a shared goal - a healthier future. America needs your leadership. Together, health professionals can create a healthier future for all of us.

CLIMATE FOR HEALTH WILL HELP YOU ELEVATE YOUR LEADERSHIP WITH...

- **TOOLS** to help you talk about climate change and be a champion for solutions
- **RESOURCES** such as news, research, and success stories to inspire and inform you
- **A NETWORK** of leaders to collaborate with on ideas and for collective impact
- **OPPORTUNITIES** to amplify your voice nationally in the media and other channels

**HEALTH LEADERS CAN:**

1. **Talk about climate change** personally and publicly on the impacts and health benefits of preparedness and solutions.
2. **Invite other health leaders to join you** to amplify collective impact.
3. **Be a champion for solutions** in your office, practice, or community, and in local or national policy.

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62% of people are already talking or willing to talk with their doctor about preparing or protecting against harm from climate change.

66% of people worry about the effects of environmental pollution on their families' health.


"Tackling climate change could be the greatest global health opportunity of the 21st century." - The Lancet, June 2015