Human Health: Needs for Climate Information

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Weather and climate data needed to:

- Quantify the magnitude and burden of climate-sensitive health outcomes
- Estimate the extent to which climate change is already causing illness, injuries, and deaths
- Project the magnitude and pattern of health risks under a range of climate and development scenarios
- Develop, deploy, monitor, and evaluate the effectiveness of policies and measures to increase resilience of health systems and healthcare facilities
- Estimate the costs to individuals and health systems of the health risks of climate variability and change
- Estimate the health co-benefits of mitigation policies and technologies