

Resource Guide – Session 2 (August 9, 2019)

Mobilizing our commitment to the future through equity- and evidence-informed health equity action

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Key Messages:

- Principles for equity and for eco-health are complementary.
- Local-global connections are important considerations in both global and planetary health.
- What we research matters: Equity considerations should guide prioritization of how we invest our time so that research is a public good: purely curiosity-driven research in this field is a luxury that is no longer viable.

Overview

In this workshop, we will share background core guiding principles for equity-centred research and KT and planetary health, highlighting their complementarities. We will introduce practical tools aimed at supporting the application of these principles in practice. The group will engage in dialogue, using case studies first and then their own projects to think about how they will enact commitments to principles of equity and planetary health.

Key Resources

- YouTube Video on [CCGHR Principles for Global Health Research](#)
- [CCGHR Principles for GHR Report](#)
- Stone, S. B., Myers, S. S., & Golden, C. D. (2018). Cross-cutting principles for planetary health education. *The Lancet Planetary Health*, 2(5), e192-e193 (available [here](#))

Relevant Web Sites and links:

- [Canadian Coalition of Global Health Research](#)
- [TedTalk](#) by Dr. Courtney Howard, CAPE (Canadian Physicians for the Environment)
- [Eriel Tchekwie Deranger's talk](#) at the Inaugural Meeting of the Planetary Health Alliance on Culture-Rooted Action: What We Can Learn from Indigenous Movements.
 - Scroll down to Session VI: Making Change and move to 31:30 minutes in the second video

Other recommended readings:

- Labonte, R., & Spiegel, J. (2003). Setting global health research priorities: Burden of disease and inherently global health issues should both be considered. *BMJ: British Medical Journal*, 326(7392), 722-723. (Available [here](#))
- Whitmee et al. (2015). Safeguarding human health in the Anthropocene epoch: report of The Rockefeller Foundation–Lancet Commission on planetary health. *The Lancet* 386:1973-2028. (Available [here](#))
- Plamondon K, Bottorff JL, Graham ID, Caxaj CS. (2018). The integration of evidence from the Commission on Social Determinants of Health in the field of health equity: A scoping review. *Crit Public Health [Internet]*. (Available [here](#))