HOW CLIMATE CHANGE AFFECTS YOUR HEALTH

RISING TEMPERATURES

More Frequent Heatwaves

Urban Heat Island Effect

Dehydration
Heat Stroke
Aggravated Cardiovascular Illnesses
Aggravated Respiratory Illnesses

AT LEAST 37 STATES saw record high temperatures in the summer of 2010.

150,000 AMERICANS could DIE before the end of this century due to excessive heat caused by climate change.

7,415 DEATHS were attributed to excessive natural heat from 1999 to 2010.

CHILDREN, THE ELDERLY, and THE POOR are more vulnerable to heat-related illness.