



Virtual Live Webinar

The Impact of War on Health, Human Rights, and the Environment

Thursday, June 13, 2024
12:00–1:30 PM ET

War causes injury, disease, and premature death. It adversely affects mental health. It violates human rights. It damages civilian infrastructure and forcibly displaces populations. It contaminates the environment. Join our webinar, where distinguished faculty will make presentations and engage in discussions that explore the impacts of war on health, human rights, and the environment. Attendees will gain heightened awareness and specific knowledge to understand and help address these impacts of war.

Learning Objectives:

Upon completion of this activity, learners should be able to:

- Describe the impacts of war on health, human rights, and the environment
- Identify opportunities to help reduce these impacts of war
- Recognize and develop strategies to care for people who have been adversely affected by war

MODERATOR



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KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Barry S. Levy, MD, MPH; Adjunct Professor, Tufts University School of Medicine; Author of the book, *From Horror to Hope: Recognizing and Preventing the Health Impacts of War*

PANELISTS



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