

Healthy Energy, Healthy Homes, Healthy Maine

Connecting Climate Solutions to Better Health in Maine

Free webinar series - CME Credit available

This webinar series brings together healthcare leaders to explore how fossil fuels impact health and how electrification can improve air quality, reduce disease, and advance climate goals. Sessions offer practical strategies for patient conversations, clinical practice, and systemic change.



Session 1: Fossil Fuels and Health – The Medical Case for Electrification

Wednesday, October 29, 12-1 pm

Learning Objectives:

- Identify key pollutants produced by fossil fuel combustion in homes and businesses
- Explain how these pollutants contribute to diseases
- Articulate the public health case for transitioning to all-electric buildings

Presenters:

- **Susan Racine, MD**, Internal Medicine, Board of Directors, Greater Boston Physicians for Social Responsibility
- **Andee Krasner, MPH**, Public Health Consultant and Volunteer, Greater Boston Physicians for Social Responsibility

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Session 2: Talking with Patients About Fossil Fuels, Health, and Home Choices

Wednesday, November 19, 12-1 pm

Learning Objectives:

- Develop language for discussing indoor air quality and fossil fuel health impacts with patients
- Practice scenarios for providing health-based recommendations regarding electrification
- Understand how to incorporate questions about home energy sources into patient screening and education

Presenter:

- **Colin T Phillips, MD**, Interventional Cardiology, MaineHealth and Board Member, Physicians for Social Responsibility Maine

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Session 3: Health Professionals Leading the Way: How the Healthcare Sector Can Protect Staff and Patients

Wednesday, December 3, 12-1pm

Learning objectives:

- Understand the role of the healthcare sector in Maine's climate goals
- Learn from real-world examples of health systems implementing electrification and emissions reductions
- Identify ways clinicians can promote climate action

Presenters:

- **Michael Arsnow, MBA, MHA**, Sustainability Manager, MaineHealth
- **Katherine T Liu, MD**, Internal Medicine, MaineHealth and Steering Committee Member, Alliance of Maine Health Professionals for Climate Action

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