

# HEALTHY NDCs SCORECARD

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**Ahead of COP 26**, GCHA has analysed and ranked the inclusion of health in 40 Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) representing the plans of 66 countries (including the EU 27 which submits one joint NDC). NDCs are a country's plan to reduce emissions and adapt to the impacts of climate change in line with the Paris Agreement.

**On July 8th**, GCHA will release a first round of analysis in the shape of :

**The HealthyNDCs Scorecard** which ranks countries depending on their incorporation of health into their climate commitments and takes into account overall climate ambition. Note: some countries' NDCs are yet to be announced.

By joining our **Twitter campaign**, you can take action by challenging your governments to set ambitious

**emissions reduction targets, embed health across all aspects of their national climate commitments, and protect the health of their citizens.**

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**Download & save [an image](#) of the scorecard you are interested in.**

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**Log on to [Twitter](#).**

# 3

**Copy and paste one of the sample messages below into your status update—or create your own message that includes the #HealthyNDCs and #COP26 hashtags.**

**You can tag your health and climate ministers as well as your allies and member organisations (either in the message or in the image).**

# 4

**Upload the #HealthyNDCs image you have saved to accompany your status update.**

# 5

Post your status update, and encourage others to join the #HealthyNDCs conversation.

## Sample social media posts

Ahead of #COP26 @GCHAlliance has analysed climate commitments from 66 countries based on climate ambition + integration of health in their NDCs. Overall, countries are far from where they need to be. Check out our #HealthyNDCs scorecards & find out more: <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

*(Name of your country)* Is not doing enough to prioritise health in the face of a warming climate or to incorporate health into their climate commitments ahead of #COP26, according to #HealthyNDCs scorecard released today by @GCHAlliance <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

Kudos! *(Name of your country)* has shown real leadership in incorporating health into its climate commitments ahead of #COP26, according to #HealthyNDCs scorecard released today by @GCHAlliance. The health community applauds! <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

As a *(your profession, e.g. nurse, family doctor, pediatrician)* I want health to be central to our country's climate policies. According to #HealthyNDCs scorecard released today by @GCHAlliance ahead of #COP26, our government *(had room for improvement/is doing a good job)*. <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

Protecting health in the face of climate change has little effect unless concerted efforts are also made to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. *(Tag the gov. or Health/Climate Minister of your country: United Arab Emirates / Vietnam / Mexico / Argentina / Chile)* must deliver on #ParisAgreement #HealthyNDCs. Find out more: <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

Ahead of #COP26 @GCHAlliance analysed climate commitments from 66 countries based on emissions reduction targets + integration of health. #Australia #NewZealand #Brazil #Norway fail to consider health & show lack of climate ambition. Adopt #HealthyNDCs <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

With countries making up ~ 50% of global emissions yet to publicly update national climate commitments ahead of #COP26, massive opportunity for govts to adopt ambitious #ClimateAction, reap health benefits of #HealthyNDCs & bolster economies. <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

Ahead of #COP26, countries that have yet to submit their national climate commitments must ensure that time, resources & cash are invested into health systems, to protect against severe health impacts due to environmental damage. Adopt #HealthyNDCs <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

Ahead of #COP26 @GCHAlliance analysed & ranked 66 countries based on inclusion of health in their climate commitments. High scores for #CostaRica #Senegal #Laos #Rwanda #PNG #Lebanon - where health impacts of climate change are clearly felt. +Info <https://bit.ly/HNDCs>

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