

Invitation to participate in the *Migration and Health 2019* publication

The Mexican National Population Council (CONAPO) and the Health Initiative of the Americas, from the University of California, Berkeley (HIA-UC), extend this invitation to experts in topics related to migration and health to participate in the annual publication *Migration and Health 2019*. The objective of this publication is to provide policy makers, scholars, nonprofit organizations, and the public with current information pertaining the health of the mobile populations that travel across Mexico, the United States, and Central America.

The articles in the book should be short, and will be selected competitively by a Specialized Binational Editorial Council supervised by HIA-UC and CONAPO. During the evaluation process, articles will be judged by their quality and relevance.

Themes

The following topics will be given priority, although not strictly enforced:

1. Mental health
2. Chronic diseases
3. Infectious diseases
4. Women's health
5. Occupational Health
6. Access to healthcare
7. Violence from a public health perspective
8. Healthcare

Target population

Mobile and migrant populations, and their vulnerable groups: women, children, teenagers, the elderly and people with disabilities.

Process

- Documents submitted for consideration can be in English or Spanish and should follow the requirements of the content and format guidelines (found below)
- The initial evaluation will be done by the Editorial Committee encompassing the organizing institutions. Afterwards, evaluation will continue through a double-blind peer review by an external Specialized Binational Editorial Council.
- The decision can be of acceptance, denial, or acceptance conditional on revisions done by the external reviewers.
- Documents with feedback will have a limited time frame to submit the corrections.
- Final articles will be translated into Spanish or English (depending on the original language) by the organizing institutions for this bilingual publication.
- The maximum number of authors per article is three.
- Articles should be submitted to: alejandra.reyes@conapo.gob.mx and/or stephany.pizano@berkeley.edu

Dates

- Article submission deadline: **May 24, 2019.**
- Notification of acceptance and feedback: **July 1, 2019.**
- Corrected article submission deadline: **July 31, 2019.**
- Book will be printed and electronically published by: **December 2019.**

Content guide

1. Summary (100 words)
2. Introduction (maximum 400 words)
 - a. Relevance to the United States and Mexico
 - b. Statistics that justify the study
 - c. Short description of the document
3. Background (maximum 500 words)
4. Methodology (maximum 500 words)
5. Results, discussion, and analysis (maximum 2000 words)
6. Conclusions and recommendations for public policy (maximum 1500 words)



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7. References (maximum 2 pages)
8. Author data (maximum ¼ page)
 - a. Name
 - b. Academic degree
 - c. Position
 - d. Institution

Format guide

1. Word processor (recent version) and PDF.
2. Font: 12 point Times New Roman.
3. 1 inch margins (left, right, top and bottom)
4. Word count between 4,000 and 5,000 words (10 pages approximately). This limit does not include graphics, please note within the text the location of each graphic.
5. In case graphics are necessary, there is a maximum of 3 graphics allowed.
6. Save tables, graphics, text boxes, etc. in separate files in an editable digital version
7. References should be presented in APA format
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