

The Impact of War on Environmental Health Focusing on the Bio-Environmental consequences of the Iraq-Iran war

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Abstract

Introduction: The adverse consequences of the war event are imposed on the entire social system, one of which is the bio-environmental consequences.

Given the importance of this issue, in this study we have addressed the impact of the war on bio-environmental health by focusing on the consequences of the Iraq-Iran war.

Materials and Methods: To find documents related to Iraq-Iran war, environmental health, bio-invironmental consequences, search in electronic resources by the end of 2021 in the database Magiran, Scopus, IranMedex, ISI, Web of Science, Science Direct without any time limit.

Results: The results of the studies showed that the war between Iraq and Iran had direct and indirect harmful effects on the environment. Obliging countries to strengthen the observance of a series of international rules and regulations is also effective in preventing pollution and preserving the environmental health.

Conclusion: Given the importance of environmental health in war zones, the treatment of environmental pollution near the war zones should be a priority. Therefore, the health officials of the countries should identify and analyze the problems with each other cooperation and help to prevent and effectively control environmental pollution by providing appropriate solutions.

Key words: Bio-environmental consequences, Health Environmental, Iraq-Iran war.

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