Formative Research

Heat Stress Tool Kit Development

Curriculum for Promotores

Heat Stress Education to Farmworkers

This study demonstrated:

- Lay health workers can effectively deliver heat and sun safety by increasing their knowledge, self-efficacy, and attitudes about the importance of the topic.
- Increased knowledge, attitudes, self-efficacy and intention among farmworkers can lead to increased sun and heat safety practices.
- Farmworker adherence to sun safety practices requires a work environment that enables and reinforces safety behavior.
- Interpersonal and organizational factors influence sun safety behaviors.
- Future research should engage agricultural industry stakeholders to develop an employer-level intervention aimed at increasing heat safety policies and practices on the farm.