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### **Session 4: Climate Hazards and Risk forecasts.**

#### **Title: Housing and heat - understanding better ways to live in hot climates**

It is known that temperature extremes lead to excess population mortality. The results of this 40-year time series show that despite severe socioeconomic disparity, Aboriginal people fare better than non-Indigenous. Sociocultural practices like the siesta are protective of health.