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Heat-related deaths among construction workers in the United States

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Key Findings

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Heat is a severe hazard for construction workers around the world and may be worsening as a result of climate change. The authors analyzed heatrelated deaths in the Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries from 1992 to 2016 to examine this type of death in relation to time, region, and temperature and to explore a possible association with climate change.