

PEOPLE



HUMAN HEALTH & WELLNESS

Human health and wellness encompasses the overall physical, mental and social well-being of individuals and communities. It reflects the ability for people to live healthy, balanced lives in the presence of conditions that enable individuals to thrive, such as access to nutritious food, clean water, safe housing and quality healthcare.

Human health and wellness as a sustainability indicator emphasizes the importance of preventive care, education and community support systems. By prioritizing health and wellness, societies can foster a future where individuals can achieve their full potential, contributing positively to their communities and the planet. This holistic approach ensures that progress is beneficial for all members of society.

Importance to the Animal Food Industry:

- Healthy employees are more productive, efficient and focused, leading to higher overall performance and output.
 - Investing in health and wellness reduces sickness-related absences, ensuring consistent workflow and operational stability.
 - Wellness programs enhance job satisfaction and morale, fostering a positive workplace culture and reducing turnover rates.
 - Healthier employees mean lower healthcare costs for companies, including reduced medical claims and insurance premiums.
 - A strong focus on health and wellness can attract top talent and retain skilled workers, giving the company a competitive edge.
 - Demonstrating a commitment to employee well-being enhances the company's reputation as a responsible and caring employer.
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