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Subject: 1. What questions do we need to ask to account for climate impacts to vulnerable populations?

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When considering climate impacts on vulnerable populations, it's essential to ask questions like:

1. **Who are the vulnerable populations?** Identify groups such as the elderly, children, low-income communities, indigenous peoples, and those with pre-existing health conditions.
2. **What are the specific vulnerabilities of these groups?** Consider factors like socioeconomic status, access to resources, geographic location, health status, and cultural practices.
3. **How are climate change impacts affecting these vulnerabilities?** Explore impacts such as extreme weather events, sea-level rise, food and water insecurity, displacement, and health risks.
4. **What adaptation measures are in place or needed?** Assess existing infrastructure, policies, and community resources for resilience, and identify gaps that need to be addressed.
5. **How can local knowledge and traditional practices be integrated into adaptation strategies?** Recognize the value of indigenous knowledge and community-based approaches in building resilience.
6. **Are there disparities in access to resources and decision-making processes?** Examine issues of equity in distributing resources, information, and decision-making power to ensure marginalized groups are included.
7. **What are the potential cascading impacts on social, economic, and environmental systems?** Consider how climate impacts on vulnerable populations can lead to broader systemic challenges and feedback loops.
8. **How can we foster community engagement and empowerment?** Promote participation and collaboration among affected communities, stakeholders, and policymakers in decision-making and action planning.

~You must always be willing to truly consider evidence that contradicts your beliefs, and admit the possibility you may be wrong. Intelligence isn't knowing everything, it's the ability to challenge everything you know. Let's all give up our fear as a justification for not to take action because we are the creators of our reality.

Sending healing vibes
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Concerned Mum



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Sharing energy,

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Doughnut Economics 7 Ways to Think Like a 21st Century Economist
by Kate Raworth

Free digital copy of the book,

<https://fenix.tecnico.ulisboa.pt/downloadFile/845043405579281/Raworth%20%282017%29%20Doughnut%20Economics.pdf>

2.

29 minute video explaining Doughnut Economics

"How radical ideas can turn into transformative practice. Stockholm impact week 2023"

<https://youtu.be/qwyzsAWRMcw?si=Hut8czYBLqAjOBpb>

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Nate Hagens: "Episode 100 - The Great Simplification"

<https://youtu.be/GocuMZX3hIs?si=impadsCjN-aGZzk0>