

Education and Health : Association Mechanisms, Perspectives and resulting Disparity

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Interplay between education and health has remained central theme for researchers of Sociology of education and public health. Education plays dual role of creating and eradicating health disparities. There exist myriad of studies detailing separately on causal association, underlying mechanisms, and theoretical perspectives within purview of education and health. This paper seeks to fill the void of an integrated study subsuming multiple dimensions of education-health interface. Based on literature review, this study adopts social perspective to illustrate the association between education and health and merge the concomitant causation governed by underlying mechanisms and theoretical perspectives to present a holistic scenario of resulting health disparity.