

## GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Iron and folic acid supplementation - Pregnant women (PW)

Programme: GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition

### Programme Data

#### Programme Description

These programmes and actions were reported by countries for the WHO Global Nutrition Policy Review 2009-2010, Module 5 on Vitamin and mineral nutrition. Please note that for simplicity, all interventions in a thematic module have been combined under the same programme for GINA, while they may not be implemented as a package and may have different partners. These data are currently being updated and completed through the GINA verification process. If you think you can help update and complete any of these data, please sign up to GINA and edit.

#### Program type

National

#### References

WHO (2013) Global Nutrition Policy Review. What does it take to scale up nutrition action?

[http://www.who.int/nutrition/publications/policies/global\\_nut\\_policyrevi...](http://www.who.int/nutrition/publications/policies/global_nut_policyrevi...)

The Global nutrition policy review is based on a questionnaire survey conducted during 2009-2010, in which 119 WHO Member States and 4 territories participated.

#### Implementing organisations

### Action data

Start date

Country(ies): Papua New Guinea

Topic: Iron and folic acid supplementation

Micronutrient compound: Iron and folic acid

Target group: Pregnant women (PW)

Delivery: Primary health care center

Other delivery: health system

Implementation details : Supplementation with iron and folic acid was reported to the WHO Global Nutrition Policy Review (GNPR) 2009-2010. Supplementation free to user. Dose: (ferrousulphate) 200 mg (iron compound),

Coverage level (%): National coverage

**Typical problems**    **Solutions**

### Other actions from same programme

[GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Salt iodization - All population groups](#)

[GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Sugar fortification - All population groups](#)

[GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Vitamin A supplementation - Preschool-age children \(Pre-SAC\)](#)