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Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA) notation of

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

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...

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): Lao People's Democratic Republic

Topic: Vitamin A supplementation

Micronutrient compound: Vitamin A

Target group: Preschool-age children (Pre-SAC)

Age group: 6m-5yrs

Delivery: Kindergarten/school

Primary health care center

Other delivery: health system, school, community

Implementation details: Supplementation with vitamin A was reported to the WHO Global Nutrition Policy Review (GNPR)

2009-2010. Supplementation free to user. Frequency: semi-annual, Dose: 6-11m 100,000IU, 12-59m

200,000 IU

Coverage level (%): National coverage

Typical problems Solutions

Other actions from same programme

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

GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Iron and folic acid supplementation - Females

GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Sugar fortification - All population groups

GNPR 2009-2010: Vitamin and mineral nutrition - Vitamin A supplementation - Lactating women (LW)

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Vitamin A supplementation in infants and children 6–59 months of age

