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Programme Data

Programme Description

These programmes and actions were reported by countries for the 2nd WHO Global Nutrition Policy Review 2016-2017 module on actions related to school health and nutrition programmes. Programme objectives: improve school enrolment; improve school attendance; improve academic performance; reduce food insecurity and hunger. Components of the school health and nutrition programme include: provision of school meals/school feeding programme; deworming; nutrition education included in school curriculum.

Program type

Other

References

WHO (2018) Global Nutrition Policy Review. Country progress in creating enabling policy environments for promoting healthy diets and nutrition

http://www.who.int/nutrition/publications/policies/global_nut_policyrevi...

The Global Nutrition Policy Review 2016–2017 is the report of the second comprehensive analysis of nutrition-related policy environment, coordination mechanisms, available capacities and actions being taken in 176 Member States (91%) and one area which responded to the survey carried out between July 2016 and December 2017.

Implementing organisations

- Government
 - o Education and research
 - Details: more Ministry of Education

Action data

Start date January 1991 Country(ies): Zambia

Topic: School feeding programmes
Target group: School age children (SAC)
Delivery: Kindergarten/school

Implementation details: All children in the targeted schools are eligible to receive school meals or participate in the school

feeding programme. School meals are free for all children. Menus are decided according to maximum levels of specific nutrients (e.g. total sugars, total fat, saturated fat, trans-fat, salt/sodium), selecting

menus based on lists of foods and beverages. Food is procured domestically.

Typical problems Solutions

Other actions from same programme

GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) School Health and Nutrition Program - Deworming - School age children (SAC) GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) School Health and Nutrition Program - Nutrition education included in school curriculum - School age children (SAC)

