

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

Programme: GNPR 2016-2017: School health and nutrition (q11) School Health Promoting Policy

### 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: foster healthy diet and lifestyle habits; improve school enrolment; improve school attendance; improve academic performance. Components of the school health and nutrition programme include: nutrition education included in school curriculum; extracurricular nutrition education; physical education in school curriculum; safe drinking water available free of charge; adequate sanitation and hygiene facilities in schools.

#### Program type

#### 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...](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
  - Education and research
  - Details:  
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Ministry of Education

### Action data

Date de début	January 2004
Pays:	Maldives
Sujet:	Nutrition education included in school curriculum
Groupe cible:	School age children (SAC)
Canal de l'intervention:	Kindergarten/school
Les détails de mise en œuvre:	Nutrition education curriculum includes: lessons on healthy diet to prevent undernutrition; lessons on healthy diet to prevent overweight and obesity; lessons on the links between nutrition and health. Mandatory in some primary schools covered by this programme.

**Typical problems**    **Solutions**

### Other actions from same programme

