

Policy Symposium on NCD Prevention:
**Future directions for nutrition and physical activity policies
 to prevent NCDs across Europe**

Tuesday 14th- Thursday 16th June 2022

Thon Hotel Brussels City Centre

Main plenary session on Wednesday 15th June from 13:30 to 17:00 p.m. CEST

Nutrition and physical activity policies - Benchmarking, best practice and potential

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Time (CEST)	Content (subject to modifications)
13:30	Opening (live-streaming starts)
13:40	<p>Part I – Physical activity: Advances in physical activity/ sedentary behaviour policy research Chairs: Dr Jeroen Lakerveld, Amsterdam UMC, Netherlands; and Dr Mojca Gabrijelčič, National Institute of Public Health Slovenia (NIJZ)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. STOP - The effects of COVID-19 mitigation measures on childhood obesity and physical fitness <i>Dr. Gregor Starc, Faculty of Sport, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia</i> 2. CO-CREATE - The MOVING policy database: Understanding how physical activity is promoted across Europe <i>Kate Oldridge-Turner, World Cancer Research Fund International</i> 3. PEN - The Official Launch of the Physical Activity Environment Policy Index (PA-EPI): A monitoring framework to assess government policies and actions for creating a healthy PA environment <i>Prof. Catherine Woods, Physical Activity for Health Research Cluster; University of Limerick, Limerick, Ireland</i> 4. Q&A
14:40	<p>Part II – Nutrition: Advances in food policy research & panel discussion Chair: Janas Harrington, School of Public Health, University College Cork, Ireland</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The NOURISHING database: exploring diet-related policies implemented across Europe <i>Kate Oldridge-Turner, World Cancer Research Fund International</i> 2. Business Impact Assessment on Obesity (BIA-Obesity). Case study from Belgium and France <i>Dr Stefanie Vandevijvere, Sciensano, Belgium</i>
15:00	Break
15:30	<p>(Continued) Part II: Nutrition</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Policy challenges and opportunities: ensuring sustainability of Best-ReMaP results by implementing a Food System Sustainability Indicator into the EU policy frameworks <i>Samuele Tonello, EuroHealthNet</i> 4. Priority recommendations to create healthy food environments in Europe: Next Steps <i>Dr Maartje Poelman, Wageningen University and Research, Netherlands</i> 5. Q&A
16:10	<p>Panel views & discussion Chair: Caroline Costongs, EuroHealthNet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Artur Furtado, European Commission, DG Sante, Luxembourg • Dr Francesco Branca, Director of the Department of Nutrition for Health and Development in the World Health Organization, Geneva • Dr Sirpa Sarlio, Ministerial Advisor at Ministry OF Social Affairs AND Health Finland, and University of Helsinki • Dr Roxane Berjaoui, Department of European and International Affairs, Directorate General for Health at the Ministry of Solidarity and Health France
17:00	End of live-streaming