Special Issue

Promoting Nutrition and Physical Activity in Education and Care Settings

Message from the Guest Editors

Lifestyle behaviors including nutrition and physical activity track from childhood into adulthood, increasing the risk of developing both long and short-term chronic morbidities. The World Health Organization has recommended that education and care settings, including schools and childcare centers, play a role in supporting the development of healthy eating and activity behaviors. This Special Issue seeks to focus on policy-relevant and pragmatic studies undertaken in these settings that are related to improving diet, physical activity, and sedentary behaviors. In particular, we are looking for studies that have broader external validity, and have considered issues related to implementation, scaling up and cost. We are considering a range of research papers, including systematic reviews, trial and cost outcomes of interventions and/or high quality descriptive research. We look forward to receiving your excellent submissions.

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