



# Dashboard: Supportive Environments and Early Action

Summary of existing initiatives with various levels of provincial and territorial involvement (2015)

**LEGEND:** **Green** = activity in place/underway; **Yellow** = activity under consideration and/or interest in collaboration; **C** = Identified as *Champion*

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<b>Strategy 2.1 SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENTS: Making social and physical environments where children live, learn and play more supportive of physical activity and healthy eating.</b>													
<b>2.1.1 Healthy Food Initiatives</b>													
2.1.1.1 Baby-friendly Initiative		2015								C	C		
2.1.1.2 Infant feeding recommendations for health professionals in Canada				2015									
2.1.1.3 Early prevention and intervention		2015											
2.1.1.4 Food guidelines in child daycare settings		C							2015				2015
2.1.1.5 Screening tool to identify preschoolers at risk for nutritional concerns	2015	2015		2015									
2.1.1.6 Adaptation and implementation of WHO Growth Charts	C												2015
<b>2.1.2 School Initiatives</b>													
2.1.2.1 Active and safe routes to schools and travel planning		2015				2015							
2.1.2.2 Comprehensive school health initiatives						2015							
2.1.2.3 School food guidelines		C				2015							
2.1.2.4 Promotion of physical activity among youth in the after-school period			C										2015
<b>2.1.3 Urban Planning and Rural Planning</b>													
2.1.3.1 Community design initiatives													2015
2.1.3.2 Professional development and training for planners and public health professionals		2015		2015						2015			2015
2.1.3.3 Age friendly cities/communities initiative			2015										2015
2.1.3.4 Healthy communities initiatives	C	2015				2015				C	2015		2015
<b>2.1.4 Other Sectoral Initiatives</b>													
2.1.4.1 Stakeholder engagement on the availability and accessibility of nutritious foods in vulnerable communities													

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<b>2.2 EARLY ACTION: Identifying the risk of overweight and obesity in children and addressing it early.</b>													
<b>2.2.1 Comprehensive Healthy Weights</b>													
2.2.1.1 Comprehensive healthy weights program		C				2015		2015					2015
2.2.1.2 Management and medical treatment of childhood obesity						2015							
<b>2.3 NUTRITIOUS FOODS: Looking at ways to increase the availability and accessibility of nutritious foods and decrease the availability, accessibility and marketing of foods and beverages high in fat, sugar and/or sodium to children.</b>													
<b>2.3.1 Access and Availability of Nutritious Foods</b>													
2.3.1.1 Increase the availability and accessibility of nutritious foods in remote and northern areas				C					2015				2015
2.3.1.2 Increase the availability and accessibility of nutritious foods in vulnerable communities													2015
2.3.1.3 PHAC and P/Ts matched funding to NGOs promotes healthy eating and active living opportunities in the community setting			2015					2015			2015		2015
<b>2.3.2 Marketing to Children</b>													
2.3.2.1 Development and implementation of policy components to decrease marketing of foods and beverages high in fat, sugar and/or sodium to children in a Canadian context									N/A				