

Health Working Group (ENVI)

Public Webinar

Healthy lifestyles and fighting child obesity

[Tuesday, 13 July 2021, 12.00 - 13.30](#)

WebEx virtual room, European Parliament

PROGRAMME

- 12:00 - 12:02 *Moderator:* Policy Department for Scientific and Quality of Life Policies
- 12:02 - 12:10 **Introductory remarks**
Co-Chairs of the Health Working Group, MEPs
Dolors MONTSERRAT (EPP) - Sara CERDAS (S&D)
- 12:10 - 12:20 **The World Health Organisation perspective**
Dr Kremlin Wickramasinghe, *Programme manager for nutrition within the WHO Non Communicable Disease unit (NCD Office)*
- 12:20 - 12:30 **Big data and secondary use of data in the fight against childhood obesity**
Dr Jennifer Lyn Baker, *Chair of the EASO Childhood Obesity Task Force*
- 12:30 - 12:40 **Linking obesity with mental disorders in children -the example of stopchildobesity.eu**
Prof. Jordi Sunyer, *Chair of the Childhood and Environment Program of the Barcelona Institute for Global health (ISGlobal)*
- 12:40 - 12:50 **"Fruit Heroes" - Healthy Schools Network: Obesity prevention program in Portugal** **Mário Silva**, *Executive president of the Portuguese Association against Childhood Obesity*
- 12:50 - 13:00 **Prevention of childhood obesity**
Professor Koen Joosten, MD, *paediatric-intensivist at Erasmus Hospital Rotterdam*
- 13:00 - 13:20 **Q&A session with Members**
- 13:20 - 13:30 **Closing remarks** Dolors MONTSERRAT, MEP and Sara CERDAS, MEP

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