



Plenary sitting

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MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION

pursuant to Rule 143 of the Rules of Procedure

on the implementation of a European strategy for the prevention of eating disorders among young people in the EU

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Motion for a European Parliament resolution on the implementation of a European strategy for the prevention of eating disorders among young people in the EU

The European Parliament,

- having regard to Rule 143 of its Rules of Procedure,
 - A. whereas new cases of eating disorders in the European Union have increased by 30% while pre-existing cases have worsened as a result of lockdown measures during the COVID-19 pandemic;
 - B. having regard to the objectives set by the projects co-financed by the Commission concerning research on eating disorders and, in particular, on the impact of nutritional behaviour, lifestyles and the socio-economic environment on depression among young people;
 - C. whereas the provision of health services and medical care is the responsibility of the Member States;
 - 1. Urges the Commission to adopt new projects to support Member States in implementing new treatments for eating habits among young people in the light of the consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic;
 - 2. Calls on the Commission to collect the necessary information on eating habits among young people in order to implement more effective measures against such disorders.