



**EFAD Weekly Newsflash 12.07.2018 – please share it with your colleagues and students**

## EFAD News

### EFAD Communication and Information Manager

EFAD is delighted that the British Dietetic Association will in future support EFADs communication and information management. The BDA has a team of specialist staff with expertise in data management; public relations; social media communications; member relationships; design and branding; website management and design. Together with the BDA's support EFAD will improve communications over the coming months.

### EuDAP Survey 2018

EFAD invites you to contribute to the 2018 European Dietetic Action Plan (EuDAP) survey

at [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScBEyoagrZj3VZSghoDw2KcH9k01hWtzeeD1bIE5F0fK3H9gQ/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScBEyoagrZj3VZSghoDw2KcH9k01hWtzeeD1bIE5F0fK3H9gQ/viewform?usp=sf_link).

This short survey should take no longer than 10 minutes to complete.

By completing this survey you are helping EFAD to build an evidence-based portfolio about dietetic actions and achievements in Europe, which can be used as an inspiration for NDAs around Europe and information to employers, politicians, and governments.

For more details on EuDAP please visit <http://www.efad.org/en-us/eudap/>

For any query on this survey, you are welcome to contact [samantha.cushen@efad.org](mailto:samantha.cushen@efad.org)

For the new EuDAP Infographic please click [here](#)

### Representation at ONCA Workshop

Stacey Jones represented EFAD in the ONCA Workshop, which was held at 6 June in Leiden, The Netherlands. The workshop was an excellent networking opportunity to meet with professionals from all over Europe working in different areas, with the shared focus of older people's nutrition at the centre. There were professionals represented from Geriatricians, GP's, medical

companies and food companies, as well as law and ethics. Whilst there were a few dietitians at the workshop, having an EFAD representation is very important to ensure dietitians are considered as partners of ONCA moving forward, promoting nutritional care in the prevention and management of malnutrition. The research presented, good practices and sharing of learning between countries was invaluable. The next ONCA conference would be organised in Sintra, Portugal, on 12-13th November 2018.

### **Webinars**

You can watch the recording of the webinar on the didactics of the IMPECD MOOC, presented by Eline Baete and Marleen Adam on 12 June 2018 [here](#)

The recording of the webinar on Working with NCPT when writing Electronic Health Records presented by Luise Persson Kopp on 31 May 2018 is accessible [here](#)

### **EFAD Conference 2018**

#### **EFAD is celebrating!**

It all started 40 years ago in 1978 but there have been many changes since then. We are really looking forward to bringing together all our current volunteers and delegates, our Honorary Members and everyone who has contributed over the years to meet, reminisce and have fun! We have a wonderful venue and great entertainment and you may wish to attend our wonderful 40th anniversary conference – the biggest and best yet!

Register [here](#)

For more information on the Conference you could check out the conference website [here](#)



ENDietS has made a new promotion [video](#) for the EFAD Conference. Please feel free to share the link widely within your networks.

### **DIETETIC STUDENT? GOOD NEWS FOR YOU!**

There is pre-conference Student Day organized by the European Network of Dietetic Students (ENDietS) on 27 September 2018 from 13.00 to 17.00 hrs in Rotterdam.

During the Student Day students from different countries will share with the audience their experience regarding Erasmus projects, placements and research work.

Don't miss this great opportunity to network with dietetic students and dietitians from all over Europe. Make sure to keep an eye on the program of the Student Day, save the date and don't forget to tell all your friends and classmates!

The ENDietS Team is looking forward to meeting you in Rotterdam!

## European News



**Council conclusions on healthy nutrition for children were released.**

Read [here](#)

## EU Health Policy Platform

**Watch the First Webinar on "Stimulating fresh fruit and vegetable consumption" of the 2018 Thematic Network cycle!**

On Wednesday 04 July 2018, from 14.00 till 15.00, the webinar: "Stimulating fresh fruit and vegetable consumption for healthier European consumers. Reviewing Consumption Trends & a Toolbox for the Way Forward" took place. This is your opportunity to get informed or take part of the process leading up to Freshfel Europe Joint Statement under the 2018 Thematic Network cycle.



**Spending hours sitting in meetings? Consult WHO's new guide to planning healthy and sustainable meetings**

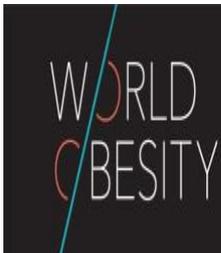
WHO is releasing a new guide for employers and meeting organizers to promote healthier working environments. "Planning healthy and sustainable meetings", initially developed for WHO's own employees, applies established health promotion principles to meetings and events. The guide touches upon

4 major elements of a healthy and environmentally friendly lifestyle: a healthy diet, physical activity, a tobacco-free environment and sustainable practices. [Read more](#)



EU Project #MooDFOOD needs your insights and ideas into how we can best share the projects findings. Answer our quick questionnaire - available in several languages, for clinicians and the general public: <http://www.moodfood-vu.eu/Home/Outcomes>.

## Global News



### World Obesity Day on 11 October

keep your eyes peeled for information on World Obesity Day which will be coming in the next few weeks. This year's theme is Stigma and World Obesity shall be announcing ways in which you can participate as we run up to 11th October. Keep checking the website: <https://www.worldobesity.org/>



With life spans increasing across the globe, consumers are seeking ways to remain healthier for longer and boost their life quality. Advances in the

understanding of healthy aging are driving both consumer demand and product development. NutritionInsight spoke with a number of suppliers to gauge their views on the preferences of aging consumers. [Read more.](#)