## Stay'NHealthy - Growing Strong Resources

#### **BMI Calculators/ Info:**

**CDC Growth Charts** 

www.cdc.gov/growthcharts/

BMI Calculator for Child and Teen: English Version <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nccdphp/dnpa/bmi/bmi-for-age.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/nccdphp/dnpa/bmi/bmi-for-age.htm</a>

LET'S GO! BMI Growth charts

http://www.letsgo.org/resources/documents/155-516 BoysBMIChart V2.pdf http://www.letsgo.org/resources/documents/155-516 GirlsBMIChart V2.pdf

Using the BMI-for-Age Growth Charts

http://www.medscape.com/viewprogram/2640

## **Physical Activity & Nutrition for Children:**

#### Granite State FitKids

http://www.granitestatefitkids.org/AboutFitKids.html

To teach families how to care for their health and encourage participation at any level in both aerobic and non-aerobic activity that promotes movement.

#### Lean Kids

http://www.leankids.net/index.asp

POWERPLAYMD-OC

A pediatrician directed health, nutrition and fitness program to manage weight and to promote healthy, lean and active youth

## Walk New Hampshire

www.walknh.org

This program is designed to promote walking in New Hampshire. The goal is to engage children and adults in walking and raise awareness of walking as a part of a healthy lifestyle.

#### **Kidnetic**

www.kidnetic.com

Healthy eating and activities for kids and parents

CDC's Youth Campaign

www.cdc.gov/youthcampaign/

Overview of the VERB campaign which encourages young people ages 9-13 (tweens) to be physically active every day.

#### UNH COOP Extension

http://extension.unh.edu/FoodNutr/FoodNutr.htm

Nutrition Connections, University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension

#### **VERB**

www.verbnow.com

Tween website

#### Diabetes Youth Zone

www.diabetes.org

(Click on the "youth zone" in the parents and kids section)

Nutrition, weight loss and exercise

#### YMCA

www.ymca.net

Find the Y nearest you

## Food Pyramid

www.mypyramid.gov/kids/index.html

The new food pyramid, MyPyramid and MyPyramid for kids.

## **New England Dairy Council**

www.newenglanddairycouncil.org

#### Calorie counter

www.caloriesperhour.com

Interactive site about diets and healthy eating

#### SCHOOL/COMMUNITY

#### Safe Routes to School

www.walktoschool.org

#### Safe Routes to School NH

John W. Corrigan, Safe Routes to School Coordinator Bureau of Planning and Community Assistance **NH Dept of Transportation** 

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Advocates for Healthy Youth: Community Coalition Building

Action for Healthy Kids
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Action for Healthy Kids www.actionforhealthykids.org

Let's Go!

a community-based initiative to promote healthy lifestyle choices for children, youth and families in 12 Greater Portland communities.

http://www.LETSGO.ORG

America on the Move: Steps to a Healthier Way of Life. (working pages for families and patients)

http://aom.americaonthemove.org

s'COOL FOOD http://www.scoolfood.org

SMART FOOD FOR HEALTHY KIDS -http://www.smartfoodshealthykids.com

Association for Community Health Improvement <a href="http://www.communityhlth.org/communityhlth/projects/youthobesity/obesityhome.html#partic">http://www.communityhlth.org/communityhlth/projects/youthobesity/obesityhome.html#partic</a>

Better School Food www.betterschoolfood.org

Lunch Lessons www.lunchlessons.org

National Farm to School www.foodsecurity.org/farm\_to\_school.html

National School Lunch Program www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/Lunch/default.htm

# New York Coalition for Healthy School Food www.healthyschoolfood.org

## Policy/Legislation

Contacting Your Elected Representatives

https://www.ihi.org/extranetng/content/0e489d7a-4fe5-4b9b-b24a-cddd9bb03536/694490ba-9af7-44af-9ab6-9ed2eecd877f/how%20to%20contact%20your%20legislator.pdf

To find your senators' and representative's phone numbers, you may use the Trust for America's Health searchable online congressional directory <a href="http://capwiz.com/healthyam/directory/congdir.tt">http://capwiz.com/healthyam/directory/congdir.tt</a> or call the U.S. Capitol Switchboard at (202)224-3121 and ask for your senators' and/or representative's office.

List of House of Representatives NH http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/house/members/wml.aspx

To find or e-mail your senators and representative directly from the Trust for America's Health Website <a href="http://capwiz.com/healthyam/home/">http://capwiz.com/healthyam/home/</a>

HB1422 – Commission on the prevention of childhood obesity. http://www.gencourt.state.nh.us/house/

Nashua School Wellness Policy <a href="https://www.nashua.edu/district-documents/POPPS/9212%20Wellness%20Policy.pdf">www.nashua.edu/district-documents/POPPS/9212%20Wellness%20Policy.pdf</a>

School Wellness Policy and Resources – Assessment Summary, June 2005 <a href="http://www.ed.state.nh.us/education/doe/organization/programsupport/documents/4wellnesspolicysummary.doc">http://www.ed.state.nh.us/education/doe/organization/programsupport/documents/4wellnesspolicysummary.doc</a>

The CMA Foundation's Obesity Policy <a href="http://www.calmedfoundation.org/policydb/policysearch.aspx">http://www.calmedfoundation.org/policydb/policysearch.aspx</a>

New Hampshire State Fact Sheet

#### www.healthyamericans.org

Department of Health & Human Services NH www.dhhs.state.nh.us

Menu Labeling www.menulabeling.org

Find Registered Dietitians by zip code: www.eatright.org

#### **Professional Resources**

American Academy of Pediatrics <a href="https://www.aap.org">www.aap.org</a>

American Academy of Family Practice www.aafp.org

National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality <a href="http://nichq.org/nichq">http://nichq.org/nichq</a>

Institute for Healthcare Improvement <a href="https://www.ihi.org">https://www.ihi.org</a>

National Initiative for Children's Healthcare Quality – Childhood Obesity Action Network

www.nichq.org/NICHQ/Programs/ConferencesAndTraining/ChildhoodObesityActionNetwork.htm

Center for Disease Control <a href="https://www.cdc.org">https://www.cdc.org</a>

Call to Action; Healthy School Nutrition Environments <a href="https://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/healthy/calltoaction.html">www.fns.usda.gov/tn/healthy/calltoaction.html</a>

Bright Futures in Practice www.brightfutures.aap.org/web/

Obesity-related AAP Child Health Initiatives

## www.aap.org/obesity

Motivational Interviewing online program www.kphealtheducation.org

## **Funding**

## **CDC-Steps**

## www.cdc.gov/steps

Provides funding to communities to support evidence-based interventions, focusing on reducing the burden of obesity, diabetes and asthma.

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## www.rwjf.org

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