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TO TRACK PROGRESS, INFORM POLICIES

AND IMPROVE PROGRAMMES

FOR BETTER NUTRITION

NEWSLETTER

September 2018

The Global Support Facility for the National Information Platforms for Nutrition initiative is pleased to share with you its fourth newsletter.

L'unité d'appui internationale à l'initiative 'Plateformes Nationales d'Information pour la Nutrition' a le plaisir de partager sa quatrième lettre d'actualités.

NEWS

A NEW TEAM LEAD FOR THE NIPN GLOBAL SUPPORT FACILITY

UNE NOUVELLE CHEFFE D'ÉQUIPE POUR L'UNITE D'APPUI INTERNATIONALE



The NIPN Global Support Facility is pleased to introduce its new Team Leader, Marti Van Liere, with 30 years of international experience in nutrition and development, in non-for-profit and private sectors, as well as in research. She has a PhD in Human Nutrition from Wageningen University, The Netherlands. In 2012 and 2013, Marti served as the co-chair of the Scaling Up Nutrition (SUN) Business Network. [Learn more...](#)

GUATEMALA'S NIPN COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

CAMPAGNE DE COMMUNICATION SUR LA PNIN AU GUATEMALA

The NIPN in Guatemala has launched a communication and information campaign on social networks, on the radio and on the television; to raise awareness about malnutrition and how the NIPN will support evidence-based policies. [More...](#)



FIRST NIPN GLOBAL TECHNICAL GATHERING HELD IN JULY IN PARIS

[PREMIER RASSEMBLEMENT TECHNIQUE INTERNATIONAL DES PNIN A PARIS EN JUILLET](#)

More than 60 participants from the 10 NIPN countries attended this three-day Global Technical Gathering. This meeting created a common understanding, enabled discussion of technical matters, and encouraged collaboration across countries. One of the key priorities coming out of this meeting is the development of tools to support in-country capacity development regarding the steps towards a data-informed policy dialogue.

Watch the 3-minute summary video:



The NIPN Global Technical Gathering created a sense "to feel part of a whole"

NUTRITION RESEARCH & POLICY SEMINARS IN ETHIOPIA

[SÉMINAIRES RECHERCHE ET POLITIQUES POUR LA NUTRITION EN ÉTHIOPIE](#)

NIPN Ethiopia has organised its launch event last May and its first "Nutrition research & policy" seminar in September, aiming to disseminate existing research findings to promote nutrition knowledge among decision makers. [Learn more...](#)





NIPN AT ANEC VIII, ETHIOPIA, OCTOBER 2

[*PNIN PRÉSENT A ANEC VIII, ETHIOPIE, LE 2 OCTOBRE*](#)

Save the date: Tuesday, 2nd October - 16:10-17:40

NIPN & NEP (National Evaluation Platforms, an initiative of Johns Hopkins University) are co-organising a workshop on "**Multi-stakeholder nutrition actions in Africa: translating evidence into policies and programmes for impact**", with the participation of the Global Support Facility, NIPN teams from Niger and Ethiopia and NEP team from Mali. [More on the ANEC programme...](#)



**ACCELERATING
THE END OF HUNGER
AND MALNUTRITION**
— A GLOBAL EVENT —

NIPN SIDE-EVENT DURING IFPRI/FAO GLOBAL CONFERENCE IN NOVEMBER

[*ÉVÈNEMENT PARALLÈLE PNIN PENDANT LA CONFÉRENCE MONDIALE IFPRI/FAO*](#)

How to accelerate progress to end hunger and all forms of malnutrition will be at the heart of the discussions during the Global Conference organised by IFPRI and FAO in Bangkok, Thailand, on 28-30 November 2018. On the 28th, 12.00-13.30, the Global Support Facility for the National Information Platforms for Nutrition (NIPN) initiative is organising a side-event, where a high-level panel of experts and policy makers will discuss and share experience on setting up a NIPN, as an innovative approach to foster policy dialogue and inform strategic decisions around nutrition issues.

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