

### Bolivia

### **Policies, Interventions and Actions**



### Resolución Normativa de Directorio Nº 10-0037-16

Document outlining the taxes on fattening foods as well as various alcoholic drinks.

Categories:	Taxation/Subsidies on Food or Beverages or law relating to public health
Year(s):	2017 (ongoing)
Target age group:	Vuxna och barn
Organisation:	National Tax Service
Find out more:	impuestos.com.bo
References:	Anon (n.d.) Policy - Resolución Normativa de Directorio No 10-0037-16 []



#### Law 775 promotion of healthy eating

Legislation outlining the promotion of healthy eating through interventions including advertisement, nutritional labelling and more. Article 16 of the law outlines that the labelling of products will use graphic system with colored bars according to the level of concentration of saturated fat, added sugar, and sodium (front of pack labelling). The Article also states that there must be a nutrient declaration on the back of packets. Article 15 of the law states that the the advertising of food and non-alcoholic beverages aimed at girls, boys and adolescents under eighteen that is disseminated through any medium or means of social communication, must promote the consumption of healthy foods and the benefits of physical activity,

Categories:	Labelling Regulation/Guidelines
	Evidence of Marketing Guidelines/Policy
Categories	Evidence of Nutritional or Health Strategy/ Guidelines/Policy/Action plan
(partial):	
Year(s):	2016 (ongoing)
Target age group:	Vuxna och barn
Organisation:	Plurinational Legislative Assembly
Find out more:	www.minsalud.gob.bo
Linked document:	Download linked document
References:	Anon (n.d.) Policy - Ley 775 promocion de la alimentacion saludable   Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA). [Online]. extranet.who.int. Available from: <a href="https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en/node/24664">https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en/node/24664</a> [Accessed: 13 July 2020].[Please note the GINA website has been replaced by the GIFNA database and the GINA link
	will no longer work. You will find this document by searching this new database: <u>https://gifna.who.int/</u>



#### Food and Nutrition Policy

In the framework of Knowing How to Eat to Live Well, ensure that the Bolivian population has an adequate nutritional status by ensuring the consumption of varied foods that cover nutritional requirements throughout the life cycle, through the establishment and strengthening of culturally appropriate nutrition and nutrition programs. , information and education actions for the Bolivian population on the nutritional values  $\hat{a} \in \hat{a} \in \hat{a}$  food and its preparation until 2025. Specific objectives Promote the production of healthy, nutritious, innocuous and cutaneously appropriate food in rural, urban and peri-urban settings, with an emphasis on community-based family farming to continue to feed food security with sovereignty. Continue to improve nutritional status, to prevent malnutrition in the life cycle. Guarantee water for life in the rural area of  $\hat{a} \in \hat{a} \in \hat{a}$  the country. Improve the eating habits with the implementation of nutritional food education and universal coverage of school supplementary feeding, to build knowing how to eat to live well. Contribute to the reduction of economic inequality and decrease poverty

Categories:	Evidence of Nutritional or Health Strategy/ Guidelines/Policy/Action plan
Year(s):	2014 (ongoing)
Target age group:	Vuxna och barn
Organisation:	Government
Find out more:	extranet.who.int
Linked document:	Download linked document
References:	Information provided with kind permission of WHO Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA): <a href="https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en">https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en</a> Please note the GINA website has been replaced by the GIFNA database and the GINA link will no longer work. You will find this document by searching this new database: <a href="https://gifna.who.int/">https://gifna.who.int/</a>



# Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) - Plan of Action for the Prevention of Obesity in Children and Adolescents

This 5-year action plan was signed by PAHO member countries, aiming to halt the rise in obesity among children and adolescents. It calls for a number of policies, including taxes on unhealthy food and drink, labelling and marketing regulation, health promotion, school nutrition improvement, and breastfeeding promotion.

Categories:	Transnational Obesity Strategies/Policy/Recommendations or Action Plan
Year(s):	2014-2019
Target age group:	Barn
Organisation:	Pan American Health Organisation (PAHO), WHO for the Americas
Find out more:	iris.paho.org
Linked document:	Download linked document
References:	PAHO. Plan of Action for the Prevention of Obesity in Children and Adolescents. WHO; 2014.

## Food-based dietary guidelines for the Bolivian population (Spanish: Guías alimentarias para la población Boliviana)

The guidelines were developed by a technical committee with representatives from the Ministry of Health and Sports, the National Association of Nutritionists and academia. The messages developed were validated at national level with the participation of nutritionists, medical doctors, nurses, professors, housewives and agronomists. The final guidelines were endorsed by the Food and Nutrition Unit of the Ministry of Health and Sports. (Available only in Spanish language)

Categories:	Evidence of Nutritional or Health Strategy/ Guidelines/Policy/Action plan
Year(s):	2013 (ongoing)
Target age group:	Vuxna och barn
Organisation:	Technical committee
Linked document:	Download linked document
References:	https://www.fao.org/nutrition/education/food-dietary-guidelines/regions/countries/bolivia-plurinational-state-of/en/



### Consejo Nacional de Alimentación y Nutrición CONAN

National Multisectoral stakeholder mechanism in place (such as Coalition, Taskforce, Committee) for Obesity or Nutrition (including obesity).

Categories:	Evidence of a multi-sectoral national coordination mechanism for obesity or nutrition (including obesity)
Year(s):	2008 (ongoing)
Target age group:	Vuxna och barn
References:	Information provided with kind permission of WHO Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA): <u>https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en/node/26893</u> (last accessed 09.08.22) Please note the GINA website has been replaced by the GIFNA database and the GINA link will no longer work. You will find this document by searching this new database: <u>https://gifna.who.int/</u>

### GNPR 2016-17 (q7) Breastfeeeding promotion and/or counselling

WHO Global Nutrition Policy Review 2016-2017 reported the evidence of breastfeeding promotion and/or counselling (q7)

Categories:	Evidence of Breastfeeding promotion or related activity
Target age group:	Vuxna
Organisation:	Ministry of Health (information provided by the GINA progam)
Find out more:	extranet.who.int
References:	Information provided with kind permission of WHO Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA): <a href="https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en">https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en</a> Please note the GINA website has been replaced by the GIFNA database and the GINA link will no longer work. You will find this document by searching this new database: <a href="https://gifna.who.int/">https://gifna.who.int/</a>



### Marketing of Breast-Milk Substitutes: National Implementation of the International Code Status Report 2016 (Promotion of Breastfeeding)

The 2016 report provides information on the status of implementing the International Code of Marketing of Breast-milk Substitutes and subsequent relevant World Health Assembly resolutions ("the Code") in and by countries. The report also identifies in which countries they actively promote the benefits of breastfeeding.

Categories:	Evidence of Breastfeeding promotion or related activity
Target age group:	Vuxna
Organisation:	WHO UNICEF IBFAN
References:	WHO. UNICEF. IBFAN. Marketing of Breast-milk Substitutes: National Implementation of the International Code. Status Report 2016. Geneva: World Health Organization; 2016

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