Uganda

Policies, Interventions and Actions

The Uganda National Bureau of Standards Act (Declaration of Compulsory National Standards) Notice, 2015

Mandatory national labelling guidelines for pre-packaged food with a health claim approved by the National Standards Council and adopted from July 2014. (Available only in English language)

Categories:	Labelling Regulation/Guidelines
Year(s):	2014 (ongoing)
Target age group:	Adults and children
Organisation:	National Standards Council
Linked document:	Download linked document
References:	Information provided with kind permission of WHO Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA): https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en/node/57264 (last accessed 03.08.22) Please note the GINA website has been replaced by the GIFNA database and the GINA link will no longer work.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: https://gifna.who.int/

The National Food and Nutrition Strategy

Comprehensive Nutrition strategy (including overweight/obesity)

Categories:	Nutritional or Health Strategy/Guidelines
Year(s):	2005 (ongoing)
Target age group:	Adults and children
Organisation:	Ministry of Agriculture, Animal Industry, and Fisheries and Ministry of Health
Linked document:	Download linked document
References:	Information provided with kind permission of WHO Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA): https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en/node/8237 (last accessed 05.08.22) Please note the GINA website has been replaced by the GIFNA database and the GINA link will no longer work.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: https://gifna.who.int/

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

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

Categories:	Breastfeeding Promotion
Target age group:	Adults
Organisation:	Ministry of Health (information provided by the GINA progam)
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References:	Information provided with kind permission of WHO Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA): https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en Please note the GINA website has been replaced by the GIFNA database and the GINA link will no longer work.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: https://gifna.who.int/

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:	Breastfeeding Promotion
Target age group:	Adults
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

National NCD Targets for Uganda

Halt the rise in obesity by 2025 (4.6% baseline in 2010)

Categories:	Obesity Target
Target age group:	Adults and children
Linked document:	Download linked document

Nutrition Working Group

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

Categories:	Multi-Sectoral National Coordination Mechanism for Obesity or Nutrition (Including Obesity)
Target age group:	Adults and children
References:	Information provided with kind permission of WHO Global database on the Implementation of Nutrition Action (GINA): https://extranet.who.int/nutrition/gina/en/node/27153 (last accessed 04.08.22) 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: https://gifna.who.int/

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