



BUILDING CAPACITY IN INTEGRATING FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION PROGRAMMING

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Facilitate your own workshop to support a multisectoral planning process on malnutrition: free online course now available!

My name is Jaden. I will be your guide in the fictional country of Namambar. Together, we will facilitate a workshop to develop a joint strategy for addressing the causes of malnutrition by collaborating with many sectors, including the agriculture, health, rural development, education, and social protection sectors. !



Agreeing on causes of malnutrition for joint action is an interactive module based on a workshop methodology, which uses the problem and solution trees for malnutrition. It has been designed to support professionals in development, resilience-building and emergency programming.

To access the module, click [here](#).

TO COME

BURKINA FASO: workshops in Kaya and Ouahigouya (dates to be confirmed)

NIGER: Workshops in Tahoua, October 2015

SENEGAL: Nutrition Civil society regional workshop, Dakar, 15-18 June 2015

EGYPT: Regional workshop for the Middle-East countries, November 2015 (date to be confirmed)

NEW RESOURCES AVAILABLE ONLINE



Numerous good practices on improving the quality of integrated programs identified in this synthesis brief

This document compiles good practices and lessons learnt, from 37 country experience sheets collected in 2014, on integrating nutrition and food security programming. It notably focuses on agricultural and vegetable gardening activities, cash transfer programming, and on cross-cutting issues, such as accountability and gender. Consult the factsheet [here](#).



Videos on the highlights of the “Livestock, Livelihoods and Human Nutrition” workshop

“Livestock has a great potential to improve the resilience of the population and to fight malnutrition in the Sahel, and we need to invest more in it...” Watch the videos of the “Livestock, Livelihoods and Human Nutrition” regional workshop that took place in Dakar in November 2014: [video-3 minutes](#). Note that all workshop materials (including case studies presentations) are also available [on-line](#).



3 new workshop reports now available for Chad

These reports highlight key messages and results from the different workshop sessions, including the identified barriers to greater integrated programming, coordination issues, action plans, and recommendations developed by the participants. They also include the results of the workshop evaluation done by the participants:

- Report of the [Sub-national workshop du Guera](#), 8-10 October 2014: [here](#)
- Report of the [Sub-national workshop de Barh El Gazel](#), 13-15 Oct. 2014: [here](#)
- Report of the [National workshop in N'djamena](#), 3-5 December 2014: [here](#)



How to prevent Moderate Acute Malnutrition through nutrition-sensitive interventions?

This technical brief - produced by the CMAM Forum - explores current evidence, knowledge and practice relating to the prevention of moderate acute malnutrition through **nutrition-sensitive activities** in various sectors (agriculture; food security; water, sanitation and hygiene...). We invite you to consult it by clicking on this [link](#).

FROM THE FIELD



Chad: “Intensify nutrition education activities at the community level”, one of the recommendations from the National forum on Nutrition and Food

“Intensify nutrition education activities at the community level; incorporate nutrition-sensitive objectives and indicators in sectoral policies, including for agriculture and livestock; promote animal source foods to combat micronutrient deficiencies” are some of the key recommendations drawn from the sub-national and regional workshops on integrated food security and nutrition programming (see [previous newsletters](#)). These recommendations were shared with roughly 250 participants from diverse backgrounds during the National Forum on Nutrition and Food, which took place in N’jamena, 28-30 April 2015.



Burkina Faso: Strengthening resilience - A first workshop on integrating nutrition into programmes

Strengthening the capacities of professionals in multisectoral programming to better combat malnutrition and build households’ resilience was a common objective for the participants of the training workshop held in Dori. Jointly organised by the Burkinabe Red Cross, GRET, HKI, Se-CNSA, REACH and the FAO, this event gathered more than 40 professionals with a high level of participation from ministries and decentralized technical services. [Read more](#)



Niger: Maradi and Zinder welcome 2 new training workshops under the 3N initiative

These 2 multi-actors and multisectoral workshop were held in Maradi and Zinder under the aegis of the Haut Commissariat à initiative 3N, in partnership with REACH and FAO. [Read more](#)

For more information, consult our project website:

www.fao.org/in-action/food-security-capacity-building/project-components/nutrition/en/

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