EWG Invitation

This message is sent on behalf of Ireland, Costa Rica and the United States of America.

**Title**  Establishing NRVs-R for persons aged 6 to 36 months

**Committee**  Codex Committee on Nutrition and Foods for Special Dietary Uses

**Session**  43rd session

**Chair of EWG**  Ireland

**Co-Chairs**  Costa Rica and the United States of America

**Working Languages**  English and Spanish

**Description of work**

a) Revise the draft Stepwise Process taking into account the revisions to the draft General Principles and to develop an approach to propose NRVs-R for the combined age range of 6-36 months.

b) Apply the revised draft Stepwise Process to propose NRVs-R for persons aged 6-12 months, 12-36 months and 6-36 months for the following nutrients:

- vitamins A, D, C, K and E, thiamine, riboflavin, niacin, vitamins B6 and B12, folate, pantothenic acid and biotin;
- calcium, magnesium, iron, zinc, iodine, copper, selenium, manganese, phosphorus and potassium.

**Email for registration**  mflynn@fsai.ie and olyons@fsai.ie and copied to PhilipM.Kennedy@agriculture.gov.ie

**Registration deadline**  31 May 2023

**EWG online platform**  Yes

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this Electronic Working Group. When there is more than one expert, each country or observer organization shall designate one as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point (CCP) of the member or recognized observer organization in an email detailing:

- participant’s name
- official title or position
- organization or country
- email address.

The EWG platform


Usergroup name: CCNFSDU-NRV-R-2023

The platform will require members to login. New participants to the platform should first register. ([online guide](#), [video tutorial](#))

Those participants who have previously registered on the platform can request to join the usergroup directly.

The EWG chair will give participants access to the group online once they have verified their credentials so please ensure that you follow the procedure for applications and email the chair through your CCP even if you are already registered on the platform.

**Programme and timeline**

The work programme and timelines will be circulated to members of the EWG soon after its establishment.

We look forward to your participation.

Dr Mary Flynn, EWG Chair