

**Invitation to Conference
Health Promotion and Prevention of Childhood Obesity
in Schools and Local Communities
Tuesday the 4th of December
Agenda**

The HEPCOM project was created to serve local communities and schools, that want to work more strategically with health promotion towards children and young people.

The HEPCOM project has developed a learning platform that helps local communities and schools to have easier access to research results and practical tools, that have been developed within European projects. The HEPCOM learning platform can be visited here

www.hepcom.eu

Within the scope of the HEPCOM project, we are organising a conference to launch the HEPCOM learning platform, as well as debating and raising the awareness on how local communities and schools, can play a more active and strategic role in promoting good health among children and young people.

Time	Theme
09:00 – 09:30	Registration and coffee
09:30 – 10:00	Welcome to the conference and presentation of the HEPCOM project and HEPCOM learning platform, by Henriette Hansen SDEO
10:00 – 10:30	Managing local health promoting projects – introduction to the management circle and relevant tools from the HEPCOM platform, by Ulla Pedersen, University College South
10:30 – 11:00	Pilot projects in local communities – what seems to be important to make local health promotion projects succeed? By Emily Darlington, University of Lyon
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee break and networking
11:30 – 12:00	Schools for Health in Europe – how to use the SHE Network to support health promotion in local schools, by Anette Schulz, University College South and coordinator of the SHE Network
12:00 – 12:30	Local Pilot project – Getting a Healthy Lunch at College, by Carole Williams, Brighton University



12:30 – 13:00	Equality in Health and Evaluation of health promoting projects and interventions, by Alison Maassen, EuroHealthNet
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch and Networking offered by the HEPCOM Project
14:00 – 14:30	Implementing the HEPCOM project in Netherlands, Belgium and Germany – examples of local community projects, by Brigitte Vanderzanden, EuPrevent
14:30 – 16:00	Workshop discussions; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How can stakeholders on local, national and European level collaborate to promote the quality and impact of health promoting interventions towards children and young people? - How can European networks like the SHE Network, EuroHealthNet, WHO and websites like HEPCOM support local stakeholders in their work?
16:00 – 17:00	Wrapping up and plenum discussion
17:00	Closure of conference and networking drink

Registration for the conference before the 30th of November

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Venue:

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