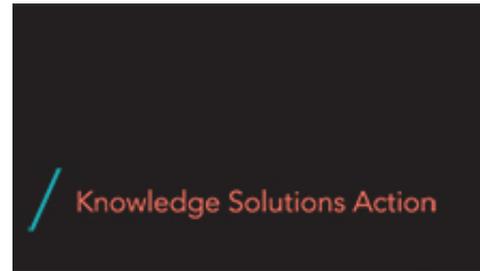
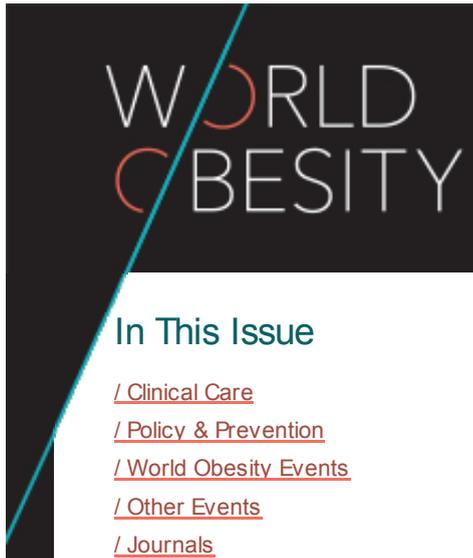


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Dear Natasha,

Welcome to the World Obesity Federation's September newsletter. This month, we have exciting updates from our Policy & Prevention team, which is gathering support for a Global Convention on Healthy Diets.

You can find details of our forthcoming events and how to get involved, through attending, hosting or suggesting a conference idea. We also offer you the latest cutting edge research with a selection of free articles from our leading obesity journals.

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Free Obesity and Public Health Virtual Supplement

The prevalence of both adult and child obesity continues to increase worldwide. Not only does this impact the individual but it also has major societal effects that increasingly impact the ability of healthcare systems to deliver the necessary care. Governments are seeking understanding from Public Health studies to aid them in developing new approaches to limit and finally reverse the current trends.

Over the last 18 months, Obesity Reviews has published 10 outstanding reviews that have looked at all aspects of the Public health approach to this obesity crisis. These can now be viewed online as a virtual Supplement at the [online library website](#)

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SCOPE National Fellows announced

We have recognised over 150 leading obesity experts from around the world with SCOPE Fellowship. World Obesity is paying tribute to the contributions made by SCOPE Fellows to the field of obesity management with a database of Fellowship profiles on our website.



Click [here](#) to access our Fellowship profiles.

/ Policy & Prevention

World Obesity Contributes to 64th Regional Committee for Europe

A statement of support for the proposed WHO European Food and Nutrition Action Plan 2015-

2020 has been presented at the WHO Regional Committee for Europe in Copenhagen this month, see [here](#). World Obesity has joined with other organisations to welcome the Plan and urge member states to implement a clear monitoring framework.

World Obesity - Policy and Prevention sets up new advisory body

As part of our rebranding, the Policy & Prevention section of World Obesity has set up a new Steering Group and a Scientific and Technical Advisory Network (STAN), replacing the IOTF Scientific Advisory Committee. Our thanks go to everyone who has been involved in the past, and we welcome to our new members, particularly Mary Story, Terry Huang, Juan Rivera and Louise Baur who join the Steering Group. The network will serve to help inform the policy and advocacy work of World Obesity. We will also be welcoming a number of Young Professionals to the network over the next couple of months, so watch this space! Click [here](#) for the list of members.

New study compares food industry policies in Australia, New Zealand and Fiji

As part of World Obesity's INFORMAS network, researchers have compared food industry policies and commitments on marketing to children and product (re)formulation in Australia, New Zealand and Fiji. While Australia and New Zealand were found to have a higher proportion of companies with published marketing and formulation policies than in Fiji, a large number of companies published no policies in any country. Of the policies available, food marketing policies focus on children under 12 years of age, do not apply to all types of media, marketing channels or techniques, and do not define the products to which the policies apply. Product formulation policies focus on salt reduction product portfolio balance. In the absence of stronger policies by the private sector, it falls to governments to drive improved company performance. Full article [here](#)

World Obesity gathers support for global convention

In partnership with Consumers International, World Obesity's call for a Global Convention on Healthy Diets (see [here](#)) has gained support at a 200-strong meeting of the World Public Health Nutrition Association in Oxford in early September, followed by further support at a 150-strong meeting of lawyers, health professionals and human rights experts at the University of Oslo the same week. The call for a Global Convention is part of a growing movement to strengthen global systems of governance and accountability for food to ensure healthier diets, echoed by both the UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food and the UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Health. The need for better global food governance has been made all the more urgent by the latest report from the Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change which predicts a marked escalation in preventable under-nutrition and inequity in access to healthy food (see [here](#)).

/ Events

ICO 2016 Scientific tracks are now available to view online!

All [6 tracks](#) will encompass the full life course and will cover a large range of topics from genes to cells right through to actions, interventions and policies.



Attending Obesity Week?

Don't miss out on World Obesity's session titled 'Discussing Overweight and Obesity with Patients: Developing Clinician Knowledge and Skills' (6th November from 10:00am-11:30am at Boston Convention and Exhibition Centre). This SCOPE accredited session is free to attend for all Obesity Week delegates.

Remember to stop by the World Obesity exhibition, stand #534, to meet some of the team and find out more about World Obesity's activities. See you in Boston!

Obesity & Pregnancy: Save the date!

World Obesity is pleased to announce that our next Hot Topic conference 'Obesity and Pregnancy' will take place in London from the 29-30th October 2015.

More details including the programme, abstract submissions and registration to follow.

ICO 2018

We are looking for a host nation in Latin America for ICO 2018.

For further information and to apply visit our [website](#).

Stock Conferences

Would you like to suggest an idea for a Stock Conference?

These small conferences bring together a select group of specialists, including a number of junior researchers, to discuss an obesity-related topic.

For further information, please click [here](#).

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15th Annual Meeting of the Austrian Obesity Association

This event, which is to be held in German, will see discussions of "Obesity, Environment and Society." The meeting will take place at Conference Centre Schloß Schönbrunn in Wien, Austria 24-25 October 2014.

For more information, the programme and registration form, please click [here](#)

Scientists needed for schools obesity engagement event

I'm a Scientist, Get me out of here is an online event which brings scientists and schoolchildren together. The next event is running from November 10-21 and will include a Body Zone focussed on obesity, funded by the Physiological Society.

If you are interested in getting involved, please click [here](#) for more information. Apply to take part before September 29.

The Freestyle Football Federation's next event

The Freestyle Football Federation, which did a demonstration for World Obesity at ICO 2014 in Malaysia, is holding its next event on 22 October in London. For more details, see their latest [new sletter](#)

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Clinical Obesity...

The October edition contains a mix of reviews, original articles and a fascinating and highly educational case report.

Read this issue's FREE article now :

[Evaluation of multidisciplinary Tier 3 weight management service for adults with morbid obesity, or obesity and comorbidities, based in primary care](#); A. Jennings et al

As we move towards our application for formal listing, the journal is receiving more high quality papers than ever before and we encourage you to consider Clinical Obesity for your papers.

Participate today! Submit your paper via our online peer-review system [here](#).

View the latest Clinical Obesity issue [here](#).

Obesity Reviews...

The September issue features 6 review s. It includes a report on the outstanding discussions at the 2013 Stock Conference, w hich dealt w ith the controversial topic of w hether or not "healthy obesity" exists.



We have 2 FREE articles available:

1. [Metabolically healthy and unhealthy obese - the 2013 Stock Conference Report](#); D.Samocha-Bonet et al
2. [A new model of the role of psychological and emotional distress in promoting obesity: conceptual review with implications for treatment and prevention](#); E. Hemmingsson

View the latest Obesity Review s issue [here](#).



Pediatric Obesity...

Pediatric Obesity is a leading publication presenting the latest research on obesity during childhood and adolescence.

You can access 2 FREE articles now :

1. [Waist-to-height ratio and cardiometabolic risk factors in adolescence: findings from a prospective birth cohort](#); L. Graves et al
2. [Food and beverage advertising on children's w eb sites](#); A. E. Ustjanauskas

View the complete latest Pediatric Obesity issue and submit your w ork [here](#).

Follow Pediatric Obesity's Editor ([@michaelgoran](#)) on Tw itter!

International Journal of Obesity

The International Journal of Obesity (IJO) provides a multi-disciplinary forum for basic, clinical and applied studies focusing on obesity and related disorders, including a quarterly pediatric highlights issue.



Have you seen these recently trending articles?

[Functional thermogenic beige adipogenesis is inducible in human neck fat](#); P. Lee et al

[High-intensity intermittent exercise attenuates ad-libitum energy intake](#); A Y Sim et al

View the latest International Journal of Obesity issue [here](#).

Don't forget, as a World Obesity member you can receive the International Journal of Obesity at a [heavily discounted rate](#).

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EFAD (European Federation of the Association of Dieticians) newsletter now available to read [here](#)

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