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Locating Evidence-Based Pediatric Nutrition Resources on the Web

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Objectives

- Describe web resources to use for **evidence-based dietetics practice to improve patient care**
- Identify **web resources** of interest to pediatric nutritionists
- Identify strategies to **improve searching skills** to find appropriate evidence on the web

What is Evidence-Based Dietetics Practice?

Evidence-based dietetics practice is the **use of systematically reviewed scientific evidence** in making food and nutrition practice decisions by **integrating best available evidence with professional expertise and client values** to improve outcomes.

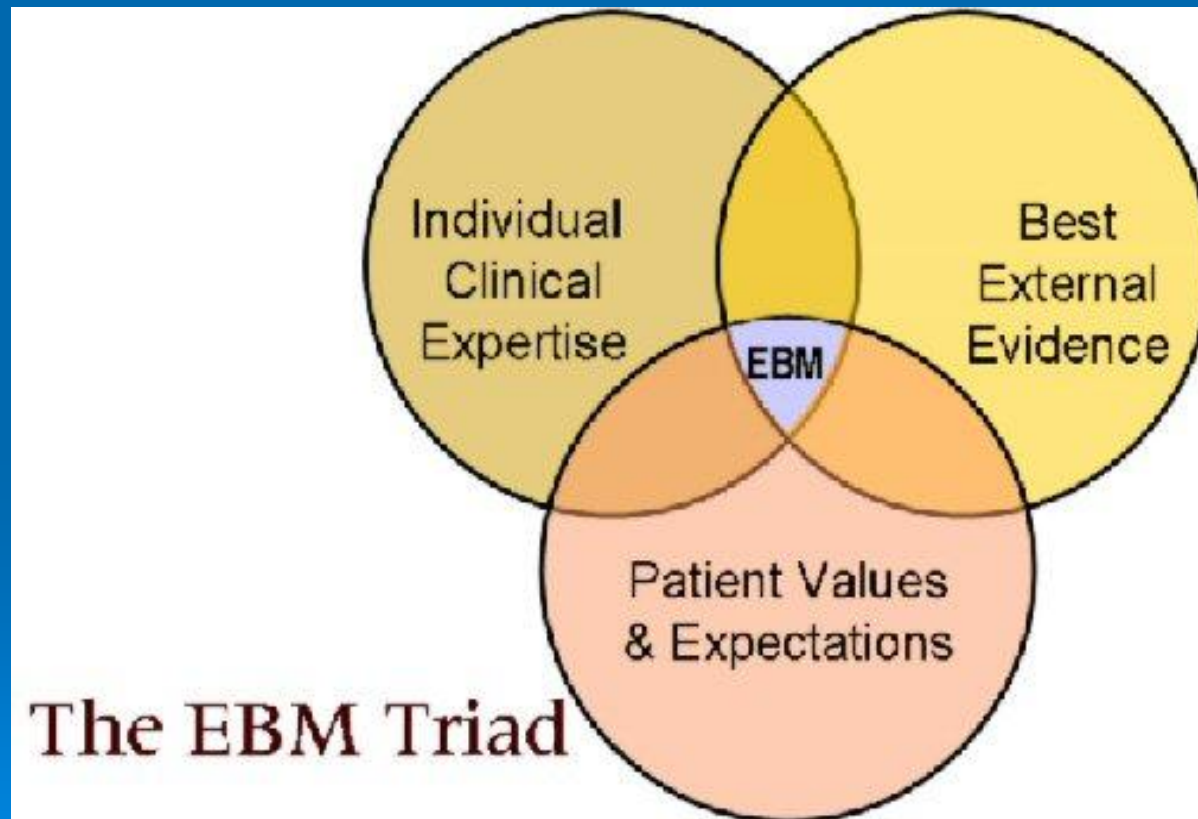
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Evidence-based dietetics practice is about asking questions, **systematically finding research evidence**, and assessing the validity, applicability and importance of that evidence. This evidence-based information is then **combined with the dietitian's expertise and judgment** and the **client's or community's unique values** and circumstances to guide decision-making in dietetics.

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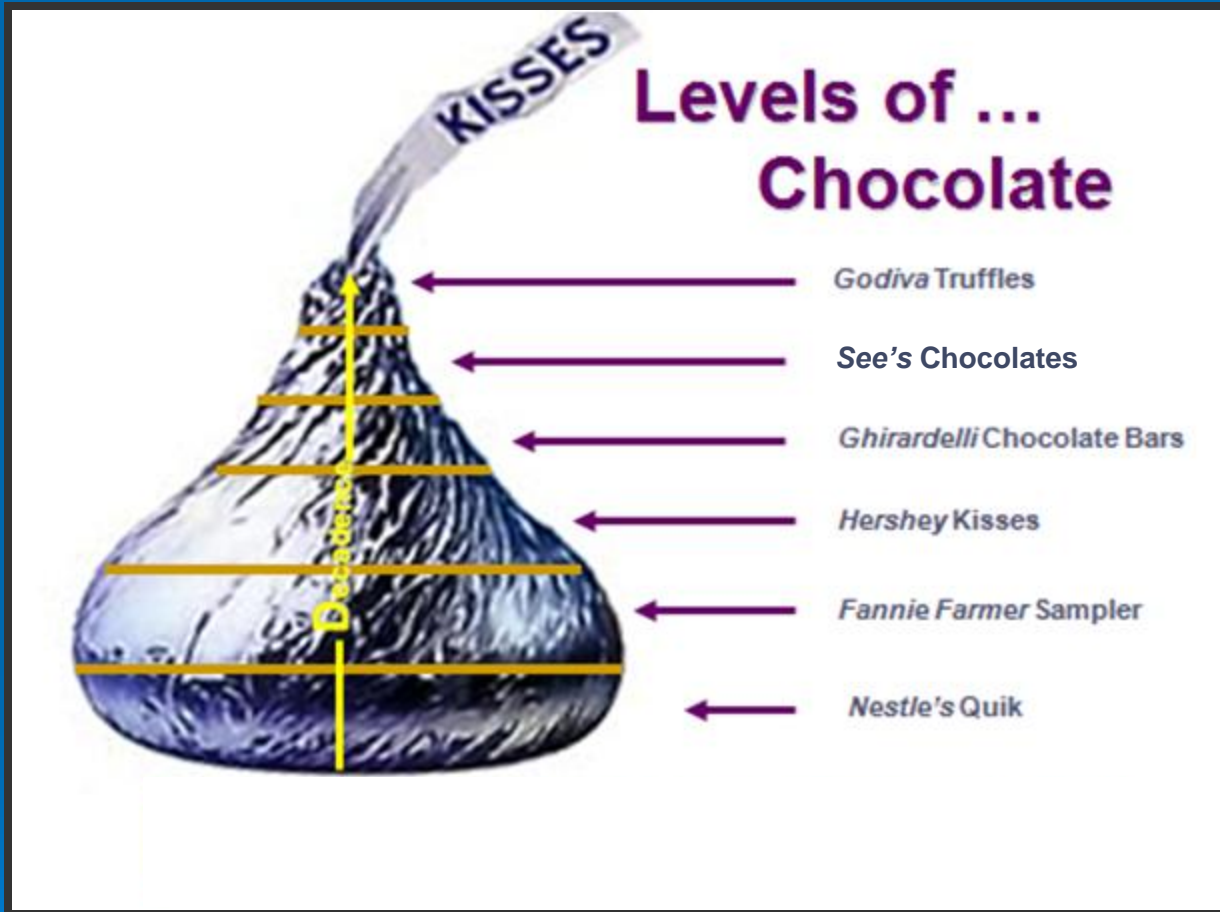
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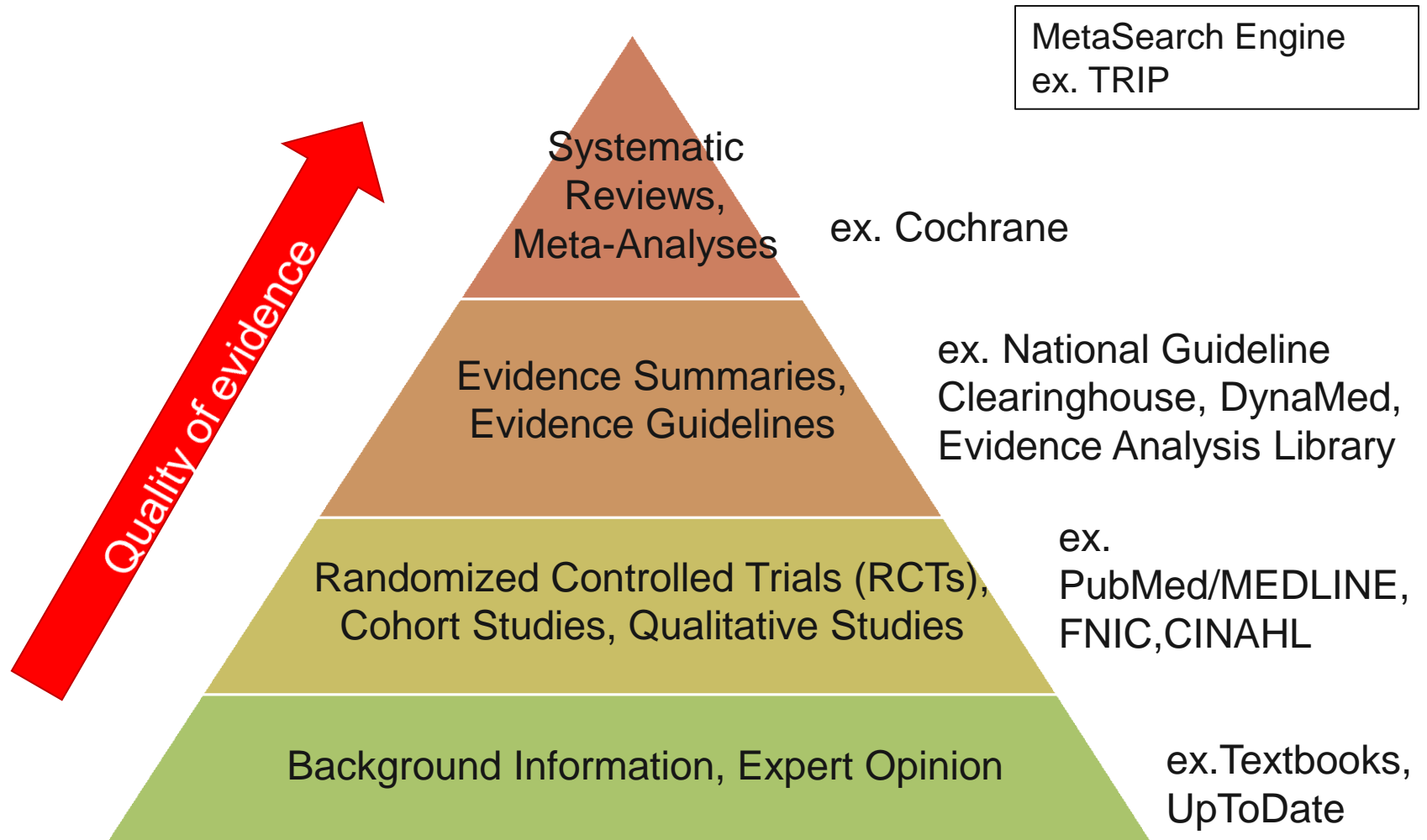
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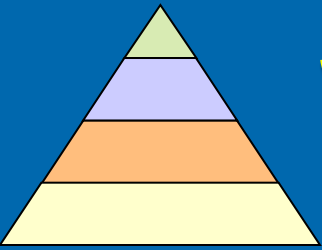
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Abstract

OBJECTIVE: Intestinal microbiota plays an important role in the prevention of certain diseases during the pediatric years. Thus, there is an increasing interest in the addition of probiotics to infant formulas. The aim of this study was to evaluate the safety of a follow-on formula with *Lactobacillus salivarius* CECT5713 in 6-mo-old children.

METHODS: The antibiotic susceptibility of *L. salivarius* CECT5713 was analyzed by a dilution method. A double-blinded, randomized, placebo controlled study was performed. Children ($n = 80$) were distributed in two groups and consumed the formula supplemented or not with probiotics (2×10^6) colony-forming units [cfu]/g) during 6 mo. Fecal samples were collected at enrollment, at 3 mo, and at the end of trial. Clinical and anthropometric evaluations were performed. Depending on the variable, one-way or two-way repeated measures analysis of variance were used for the statistical analysis.

RESULTS: The antibiotic susceptibility profile of the strain resulted as safe. No adverse effects associated with the consumption of the probiotic formula were reported. In addition, clinical parameters did not differ between groups. Consumption of the probiotic supplemented formula led to an increase in the fecal lactobacilli content (7.6 ± 0.2 versus 7.9 ± 0.1 log cfu/g, $P < 0.05$). *Lactobacillus salivarius* CECT5713 was detected in the feces of volunteers from the probiotic group. Probiotic consumption induced a significant increase in the fecal concentration of butyric acid at 6 mo.

CONCLUSION: Thus, a follow-on formula with *L. salivarius* CECT5713 is safe and well tolerated in 6-mo-old infants.

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Applied nutritional investigation

Safety and tolerance of the human milk probiotic strain *Lactobacillus salivarius* CECT5713 in 6-month-old children

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Introduction

Human milk is a complex species-specific biological fluid adapted to perfectly satisfy the nutritional needs of the infant. Moreover, it has been demonstrated that breast milk confers protection against different diseases because the incidence of these disorders is lower in breast-fed than in formula-fed infants [1,2]. Different bioactive components of human milk, such as

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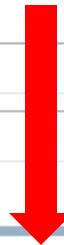
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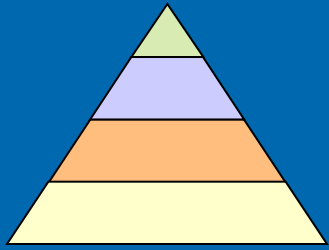
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Full-Term Infants: Issues to Consider: Reflux

Regurgitation is common in infants, occurring in nearly half of all 2- to 4-month old infants (Jadcherla, 2002; Vandenplas, 2009; Martin, 2002; Nelson, 1997, Bhatia & Parish). In an otherwise happy and growing infant, regurgitation is not considered problematic and resolves with time (Jadcherla, 2002; Vandenplas, 2009). In fact, reassurance and time are the primary interventions (Craig 2004, Hegar, 2008).

Therapeutic interventions, if warranted, include the following:

- Positioning
 - Supine posture, right lateral position, and infant car seat position (ie, upright position in a car seat) can make reflux worse (Jadcherla, 2002; Craig, 2004; Carroll, 2002)
 - Prone position with a 30° elevation and left lateral position are associated with lesser episodes of reflux (Jadcherla, 2002; Omari, 2008; Pediatric GE reflux Guidelines, 2001; Bhatia & Parish, 2009).
 - Use the prone position for sleep only in rare cases where the risk of death from complications of gastroesophageal reflux is greater than the risk of sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS). When prone positioning is necessary, risk of SIDS can be decreased by avoiding soft bedding (Pediatric GE Reflux Guidelines, 2001; Bhatia & Parish, 2009).
- Medical therapy: Side effects and lack of response are the main problems with the use of these agents (Craig, 2004; Bhatia & Parish, 2009)
 - Prokinetic agents such as bethanechol, metochlopramide, and cisapride
 - Acid suppression agents such as H2 blockers or proton pump inhibitors
 - Acid-neutralizing agents
 - Facilitate healing in the presence of esophagitis in older infants
 - Not routinely used in neonates because of constipation (calcium- and aluminium-containing antacids) or diarrhea (magnesium-containing antacids)
- Dietary changes
 - Lower volume with more frequent feedings (Jadcherla, 2002)
 - Minimizing and reviewing use of oral medications that are hyperosmolar (Jadcherla, 2002)
 - Reflux caused by a food allergy frequently responds to a hypoallergenic formula or a



Failure to Thrive (FTT)

Failure to thrive (FTT) is weight consistently below the 3rd to 5th percentile for age and sex, progressive decrease in weight to below the 3rd to 5th percentile, or a decrease in the percentile rank of 2 major growth parameters in a short period. The cause may be an identified medical condition or may be related to environmental factors. Both types relate to inadequate nutrition. Treatment aims to restore proper nutrition.

Etiology

The physiologic basis for FTT of any etiology is inadequate nutrition and is divided into

- Organic FTT
- Nonorganic FTT

Organic FTT: Growth failure is due to an acute or chronic disorder that interferes with nutrient intake, absorption, metabolism, or excretion or that increases energy requirements (see Table 2: [Miscellaneous Disorders in Infants and Children: Some Causes of Organic Failure to Thrive](#)). Illness of any organ system can be a cause.

Nonorganic FTT: Up to 80% of children with growth failure do not have an apparent growth-inhibiting (organic) disorder; growth failure occurs because of environmental neglect (eg, lack of food), stimulus deprivation, or both.

Lack of food may be due to

- Impoverishment
- Poor understanding of feeding techniques
- Improperly prepared formula (eg, overdiluting formula to stretch it because of financial difficulties)
- Inadequate supply of breast milk (eg, because the mother is under stress, exhausted, or poorly nourished)

Nonorganic FTT is often a complex of disordered interaction between a child and caregiver. In some cases, the psychologic basis of nonorganic FTT seems similar to that of hospitalism, a syndrome observed in infants who have depression secondary to stimulus deprivation. The unstimulated child becomes depressed, apathetic, and ultimately anorexic. Stimulation may be lacking because the

Table 2

Some Causes of Organic Failure to Thrive

Mechanism	Disorder
Decreased nutrient intake	Cleft lip or palate CNS disorder (eg, cerebral palsy) Gastroesophageal reflux disease Parasites Pyloric stenosis Rumination
Malabsorption	Celiac disease Cystic fibrosis Disaccharidase (eg, lactase) deficiency Short gut, inflammatory bowel disease
Impaired metabolism	Chromosomal abnormality (eg, Down syndrome, Turner's syndrome) Fructose intolerance Inborn errors of metabolism Galactose-1-phosphate uridyl transferase deficiency (classic galactosemia)
Increased excretion	Diabetes mellitus Proteinuria
Increased energy requirements	Bronchopulmonary dysplasia Cystic fibrosis Heart failure Hyperthyroidism Infection


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Dietary Measures

At present, because of the lack of internationally accepted guidelines, the management of PKU varies among countries. However, it is generally agreed that dietary management and/or pharmacologic treatment is essential. The mainstay of the diet consists of phenylalanine restriction and supplementation of other essential amino acids, vitamins, minerals, and energy intake, using medical foods and low-protein foods.^[12]

Aspartame must also be eliminated. Phenylalanine is one of the primary components of aspartame. It is found in many artificially sweetened foods and soft drinks, as well as some vitamins and medicines. A 12-oz can of aspartame-sweetened diet drink contains approximately 105 mg of phenylalanine (ie, 25-50% of the usual daily intake).

Most newborns with phenylketonuria require 40-60 mg/kg phenylalanine to maintain normal growth and development, usually possible and should not be stopped unless instructed by a health official or treatment facility. As growth slows, the requirement falls, and most older children and adults tolerate 200-400 mg/day.

Providing some natural phenylalanine is essential in order to obtain this essential amino acid. The diet requires virtual elimination of foods, such as meat, dairy, nuts, and legumes. Starches such as potatoes, corn, and beans, also must be restricted (a slice of fries contains approximately 120-150 mg of phenylalanine).

Essential amino acids, vitamins, and minerals must be supplemented using medical foods. Currently, most are consumed as a powder (in a formula). Newer supplements, including capsules, amino acids cooked into foods, are becoming available.

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INTRODUCTION — Vegetarian diets are becoming increasingly popular [1-6]. A nationally representative study conducted in the United States in 2008 estimated that 3.2 percent (7.3 million) of Americans aged 18 and older follow a "vegetarian-inclined" diet, 3.2 percent (7.3 million) indicated that they follow a vegetarian diet, and 0.5 percent (1 million) follow a strict vegetarian diet. The United States in 2006 estimated that 6.7 percent of Americans aged 18 and older do not eat meat, 2.3 percent do not eat meat, fish, or poultry, and 1.4 percent do not eat meat, fish, or poultry, or eggs [1]. Approximately 5 percent of individuals in the United Kingdom, Germany, and Australia describe themselves as vegetarian [8-10].

An increasing number of families are choosing to rear their children on a vegetarian eating style [11,12]. An estimated 8 percent of adolescents in the United States and high-school students surveyed in the midwestern United States [14] consume a vegetarian diet. A poll conducted in 2005 estimated that 6 percent of Americans do not eat meat, 3 percent do not eat meat, fish, or poultry, and 1 percent do not eat meat, fish, poultry, dairy or eggs [15].

Studies of vegetarian diets are complicated by variations in definitions for the term "vegetarian". Definitions range from whether the individual considers himself or herself a vegetarian (never consuming meat, fish, and poultry), avoids meat only, or lives by the strict definition (never consuming meat, fish, and poultry). As an example, one review of dietary patterns and health outcomes (aged six years and older) found that patterns ranged from those who consumed reduced amounts of red meat but included poultry and fish, to those who consumed only plant-based foods [16].

Reasons for choosing a vegetarian diet are varied and include potential health benefits and sociopolitical, ecological, and ethical issues related to allocation of resources. Adolescents pose a particular challenge because it may be difficult to determine if an adolescent's choice to become a vegetarian is related to dietary restrictions. Vegetarian diets also are varied and have important implications for the growth and development of children and adolescents.

The nutritional quality of vegetarian diets and strategies to prevent nutritional deficiencies while consuming vegetarian diets are reviewed here. Nutrition recommendations for specific nutrients are discussed separately. (See appropriate topic reviews).

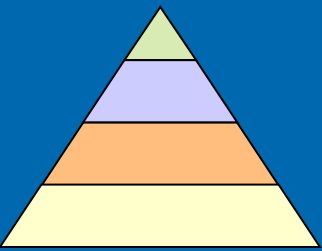
TYPES OF VEGETARIAN DIETS — Vegetarian diets vary according to the degree of avoidance of foods of animal origin [18]. According to the strictest definition, cereals, fruits, vegetables, legumes, and nuts; animal foods, including milk, dairy products, and eggs generally are excluded [2,24]. Several less restrictive definitions include eggs, or milk and dairy products. Vegetarian diets frequently are grouped as follows (less to more restricted):

- Semi-vegetarian — Meat occasionally is included in the diet. Some people who follow such a diet may not eat red meat but may eat fish and perhaps poultry.
- Lacto-ovovegetarian — Eggs, milk, and milk products (lacto = dairy; ovo = eggs) are included, but no meat is consumed.
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CD Assessment of Factors Affecting Quality of Life

CD: Assess Factors Affecting Quality of Life

The RD should assess the factors affecting the quality of life of individuals with CD when completing a comprehensive client history, which includes a medical history (e.g., gastrointestinal, immune, neurological and psychological) and social history (e.g., socioeconomic factors, religion, social and medical support and daily stress level). Individuals with CD may not attain the same level of quality of life as the general population, due to social inconveniences of following a gluten-free dietary pattern.

Strong, Imperative

Recommendation Strength Rationale

- Conclusion statements were **Grades I and II**

CD Bone Density Screening

CD: Bone Density Screening

The RD should recommend bone density screening for adults with CD within the first year. Clinical trials and cross-sectional studies have reported reduced bone mineral content and bone mineral density in untreated adults with CD.

Strong, Conditional

Recommendation Strength Rationale

- Conclusion statement was **Grade I**

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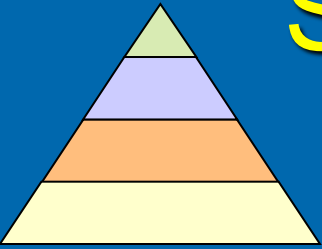
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- Do low-glycemic meals increase satiety in children and adolescents compared to higher glycemic meals?

In children ages 6-12, what is the effectiveness of using balanced macronutrient, low calorie (900-1200 kcal per day) dietary interventions for treating childhood overweight?

Conclusion

Using a low-calorie diet (900 to 1,200kcal per day) as part of a clinically supervised, multi-component weight-loss program is associated with both short-term and longer-term reduction in adiposity among six- to 12-year-old children.

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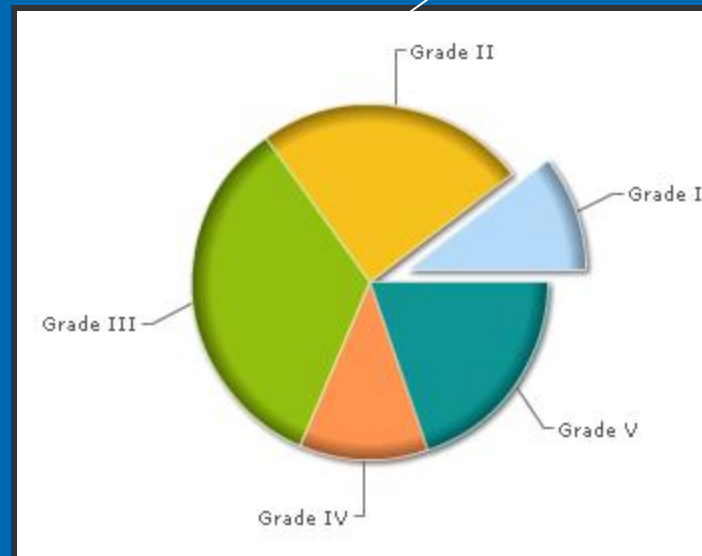
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Evidence Analysis Questions:

- What is the evidence to support the Food Guide Pyramid as an approach to limiting calorie/food intake in children?
- What is the evidence to support using the Traffic Light Diet to limiting calorie and food intake in children?

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The Traffic Light Diet and Treating Childhood Overweight

The Traffic Light Diet (sometimes called the Stop Light Diet) was developed by Leonard H. Epstein and colleagues for use in their family-based childhood overweight research. This group of scholars has been responsible for a large portion of the best research on childhood overweight for over two decades. Perhaps because of the ground-breaking nature of their research, the Traffic Light Diet has become broadly recognized and in some cases copied.

Epstein and colleagues describe their Traffic Light Diet as part of a larger core "package" of interventions that generally includes family components and interaction with a therapist. Typically, however, the core of their intervention program is used for all interventions, while other variables are manipulated. While this approach of holding the diet intervention constant makes for good research on the effects of other factors on childhood overweight, it presents a problem when trying to isolate the independent effects of the specific dietary intervention on weight loss.

Traffic Light Diet Description

The goal of the diet is to provide the most nutrition with the least number of calories. At a minimum, Epstein's Traffic Light Diet has the following characteristics:

- Foods are divided into five categories:
 - Fruits and vegetables
 - Grains
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What is the evidence to support using the Traffic Light Diet to limiting calorie and food intake in children?

Conclusion

Conclusion

The Traffic Light Diet is an effective component of a clinically supervised, multi-component childhood weight-management intervention program.

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Cvstic fibrosis (CF)

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Diet:

- o general nutrition recommendations⁽¹⁾
 - balanced high-calorie high-protein diet
 - special formulas for infants to enhance weight gain
 - oral nutrition supplements
 - supplemental feeding, often by gastrostomy tube, to increase caloric intake
- o calorie supplements not shown to be effective but inadequately studied
 - **oral calorie supplements may not improve growth in children with CF (level 2 [mid-level] evidence)**
 - o based on Cochrane review with limited evidence
 - o systematic review of 3 randomized or quasi-randomized trials comparing oral caloric supplements vs. no treatment or additional nutritional advice in 131 children aged 2-15 years w cystic fibrosis (CF)
 - o no significant differences in change in weight, height, body mass index, and other indices of growth
 - o Reference - [Cochrane Database Syst Rev 2012 Oct 17;\(10\):CD000406](#)
 - **oral protein calorie supplements not shown to be effective in children with CF (level 2 [mid-level] evidence)**
 - o based on Cochrane review of limited evidence
 - o systematic review of 3 randomized or quasi-randomized trials with 135 children with chronic disease
 - o all trials identified involved children with CF
 - o only significant difference demonstrated was change in total energy intake in 1 small trial
 - o Reference - [Cochrane Database Syst Rev 2009 Jan 21;\(1\):CD001914](#)
 - **supplemental enteral tube feeding widely used to improve nutritional status, but no randomized trials identified to evaluate efficacy**
 - o based on Cochrane review
 - o systematic review did not identify any randomized trials comparing supplemental enteral tube feeding for ≥ 1 month vs. no specific intervention in patients with CF
 - o nasogastric or gastrostomy feeding is invasive, expensive, may have negative effect on self-esteem and body image
 - o Reference - [Cochrane Database Syst Rev 2012 Dec 12;\(12\):CD001198](#)
- o consensus report on nutrition for pediatric patients with CF can be found in [J Pediatr Gastroenterol Nutr 2002 Sep;35\(3\):246](#)
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	1b	Individual randomized controlled trial
B	2a	Systematic review of cohort studies
	2b	Individual cohort study
	3a	Systematic review of case-control studies
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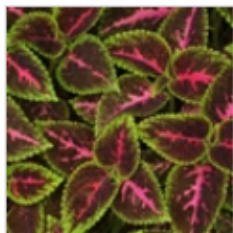
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- Coleus species have been used in the Asian traditional medicine for several indications; however it is a relatively new herb in the United States. Since the 1970s, research was predominantly concentrated on forskolin, a root extract of *Coleus forskohlii*. Forskolin stimulates the cellular production of cAMP, and many of the research papers tested this effect on cAMP as a starting point for in-depth study of the pharmacological profile of forskolin. These studies, which were not designed to examine the clinical effectiveness of forskolin, nonetheless, revealed properties of forskolin promising to be of clinical use, such as cardiovascular dilatation, bronchodilation, and reduction of intra-ocular pressure. However, until now, there have not been convincing clinical studies conducted to support its use for any indication.
- Although most studies have used the isolated forskolin extract, it is believed that the whole coleus plant may be more effective, due to the presence of multiple compounds that may act synergistically. Generally, coleus appears to be well tolerated with few adverse effects.

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Asthma	B
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Breathing aid for intubation	C
Depression and schizophrenia	C
Erectile dysfunction	C



Grading System

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B (Good Scientific Evidence)	Statistically significant evidence of benefit from 1-2 properly randomized trials, OR evidence of benefit from ≥1 properly conducted meta-analysis OR evidence of benefit from >1 cohort/case-control/non-randomized trials AND with supporting evidence in basic science, animal studies, or theory. <i>This grade applies to situations in which a well designed randomized controlled trial reports negative results but stands in contrast to the positive efficacy results of multiple other less well designed trials or a well designed meta-analysis, while awaiting confirmatory evidence from an additional well designed randomized controlled trial.</i>
C (Unclear or conflicting scientific evidence)	Evidence of benefit from ≥1 small RCT(s) without adequate size, power, statistical significance, or quality of design by objective criteria,* OR conflicting evidence from multiple RCTs without a clear majority of the properly conducted trials showing evidence of benefit or ineffectiveness, OR evidence of benefit from ≥1 cohort/case-control/non-randomized trials AND without supporting evidence in basic science, animal studies, or theory, OR evidence of efficacy only from basic science, animal studies, or theory.
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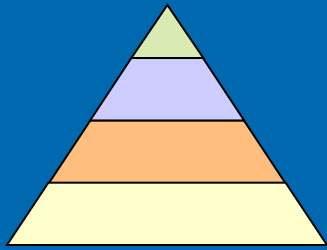
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Therapy	Specific therapeutic Use(s)
Cabbage, Broccoli, Cauliflower, Collard, Kale, Brussels sprouts, Kohlrabi	Breast feeding (breast engorgement)
Moringa	Galactagogue
Grade: C (Unclear or Conflicting Scientific Evidence)	
Therapy	Specific therapeutic Use(s)
Acupuncture	Galactagogue (lactation stimulant)
Asparagus	Galactagogue
Coleus	Breast milk stimulant
Cotton	Breast feeding
Fenugreek	Galactagogue
Homeopathy	Lactation suppression
Jasmine	Lactation suppression
Therapeutic touch	Galactagogue
Vitamin A	Breast feeding (nipple pain)
Vitamin B6	Lactation suppression
Traditional or Theoretical Uses which Lack Sufficient Evidence	
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Alfalfa	Lactation induction
Anise	Galactagogue (stimulates breast milk production)
Bay leaf	Galactagogue
Beer	Breast milk stimulant
Bilberry	Lactation suppression
Black seed	Galactagogue (promotes the secretion of milk)
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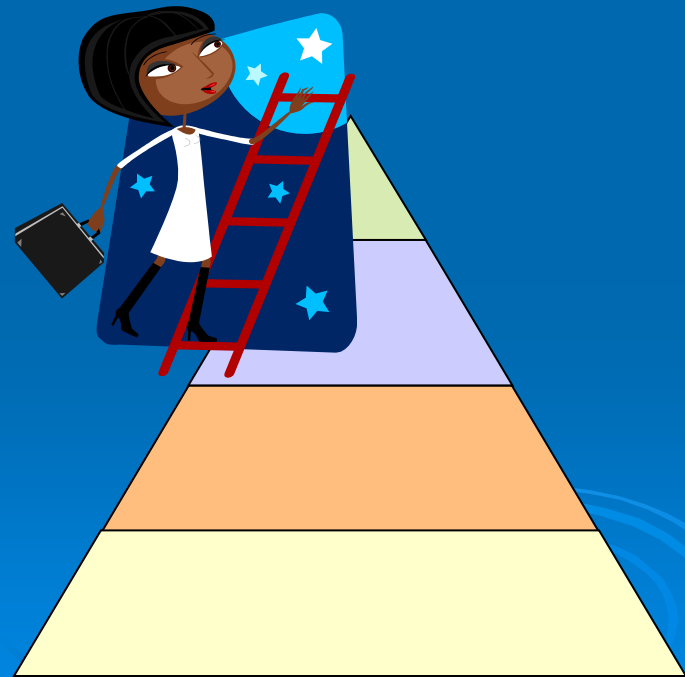
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Abstract

Background

Phenylketonuria is an inherited metabolic disorder that is highly restrictive and can be difficult to address in this review.

Objectives

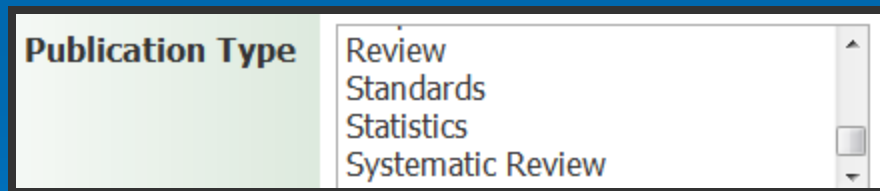
To assess the effects of a low-phenylalanine diet on neuro-psychological outcomes and mortality, growth, nutritional status, eating behaviour and quality of life.

Authors' conclusions

The results of non-randomised studies have concluded that a low-phenylalanine diet is effective in reducing blood phenylalanine levels and improving intelligence quotient and neuropsychological outcomes. We were unable to find any randomised controlled studies that have assessed the effect of a low-phenylalanine diet versus no diet from diagnosis. In view of evidence from non-randomised studies, such a study would be unethical and it is recommended that low-phenylalanine diet should be commenced at the time of diagnosis. There is uncertainty about the precise level of phenylalanine restriction and when, if ever, the diet should be relaxed. This should be addressed by randomised controlled studies.

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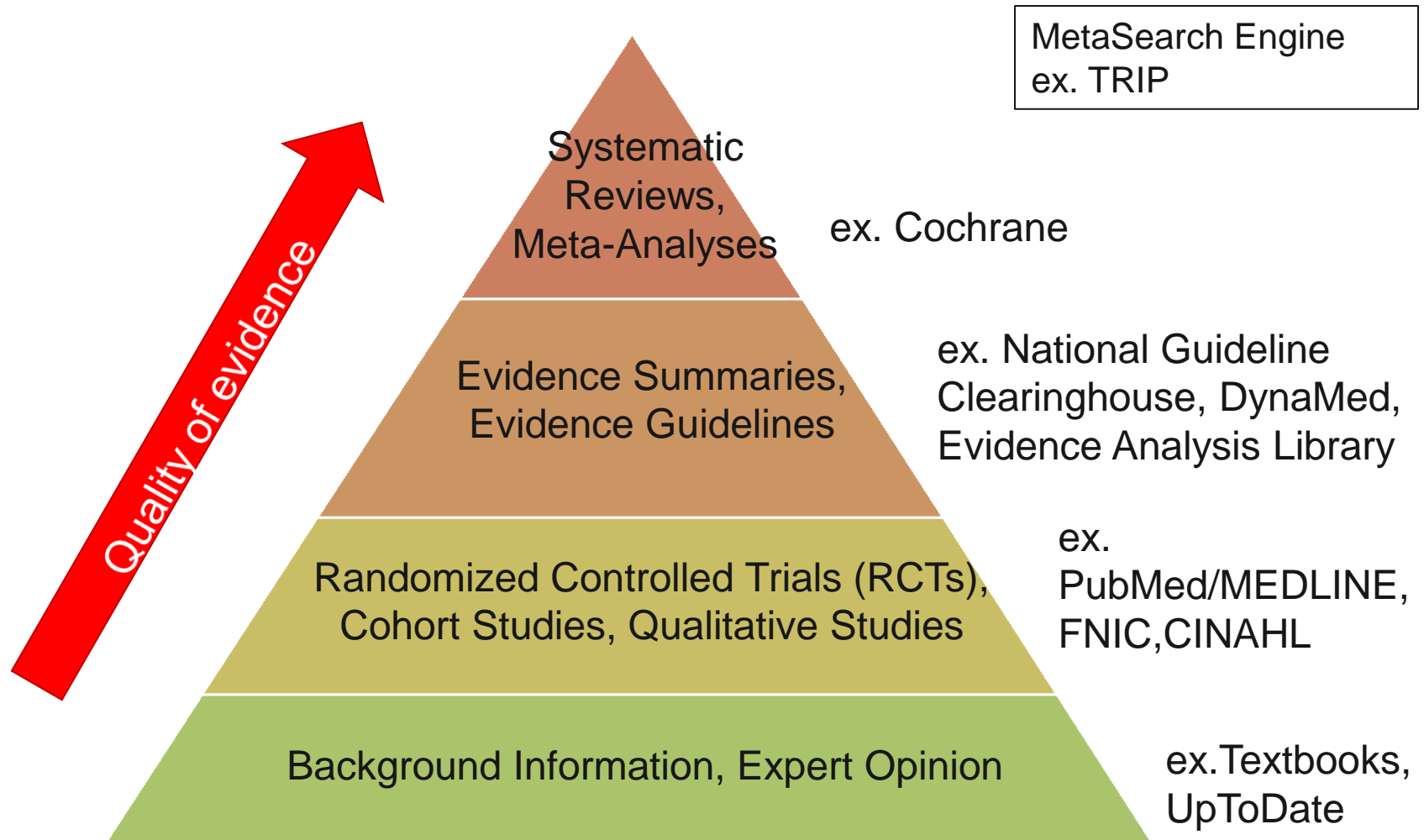


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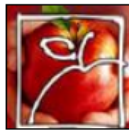
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Reports of selected food items and nutrients, sorted either by food description or in descending order by nutrient content in terms of common household measures. Single nutrients include protein, fat, energy (calories) carbohydrate, fiber, sugar, calcium, iron, magnesium, phosphorus, potassium, sodium, zinc, copper, manganese, selenium, vitamin A, vitamin D, vitamin E, vitamin K, vitamin C, thiamin, riboflavin, niacin, pantothenic acid, vitamin B6, vitamin B12, folate, cholesterol, fatty acids and various phytonutrients and antioxidants.

Nutritive Value of Foods, Home and Garden Bulletin No. 72 (HG-72)

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Contains data on over 1,274 foods expressed in terms of common household units. The 19 nutrients in the table are water; calories; protein; total fat; saturated, monounsaturated, and polyunsaturated fatty acids; cholesterol; total dietary fiber; calcium; iron; potassium; sodium; vitamin A; thiamin; riboflavin; niacin; and ascorbic acid. This edition was developed using data from Release 13 of the USDA National Nutrient Database for Standard Reference.





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Avocados, raw, California

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Proximates					
Water	g	72.33	166.36	98.37	21.70
Energy	kcal	167	384	227	50
Protein	g	1.96	4.51	2.67	0.59
Total lipid (fat)	g	15.41	35.44	20.96	4.62
Carbohydrate, by difference	g	8.64	19.87	11.75	2.59
Fiber, total dietary	g	6.8	15.6	9.2	2.0
Sugars, total	g	0.30	0.69	0.41	0.09
Minerals					
Calcium, Ca	mg	13	30	18	4
Iron, Fe	mg	0.61	1.40	0.83	0.18
Magnesium, Mg	mg	29	67	39	9
Phosphorus, P	mg	54	124	73	16



Nutritive Value of Foods

United States Department of Agriculture

Agricultural Research Service

Home and Garden Bulletin Number 72

Table 9. Nutritive Value of the Edible Part of Food

Food No.	Food Description	Measure of edible portion	Weight (g)	Water (%)	Calories (kcal)	Protein (g)	Total fat (g)	Fatty acids		
								Saturated (g)	Mono-unsaturated (g)	Poly-unsaturated (g)
Fruits and Fruit Juices (continued)										
	Avocados, raw, without skin and seed									
278	California (about 1/5 whole)....	1 oz	28	73	50	1	5	0.7	3.2	0.6
279	Florida (about 1/10 whole)	1 oz	28	80	32	Tr	3	0.5	1.4	0.4
	Bananas, raw									
280	Whole, medium (7" to 7 7/8" long).....	1 banana	118	74	109	1	1	0.2	Tr	0.1
281	Sliced	1 cup	150	74	138	2	1	0.3	0.1	0.1
282	Blackberries, raw	1 cup	144	86	75	1	1	Tr	0.1	0.3
	Blueberries									
283	Raw	1 cup	145	85	81	1	1	Tr	0.1	0.2
284	Frozen, sweetened, thawed	1 cup	230	77	186	1	Tr	Tr	Tr	0.1
	Cantaloupe. See Melons.									
	Carambola (starfruit), raw									
285	Whole (3 5/8" long).....	1 fruit.....	91	91	30	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	0.2
286	Sliced	1 cup	108	91	36	1	Tr	Tr	Tr	0.2
	Cherries									
287	Sour, red, pitted, canned, water pack.....	1 cup	244	90	88	2	Tr	0.1	0.1	0.1
288	Sweet, raw, without pits and stems.....	10 cherries.....	68	81	49	1	1	0.1	0.2	0.2
289	Cherry pie filling, canned	1/2 of 21-oz can	74	71	85	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr
290	Cranberries, dried, sweetened....	1/4 cup.....	28	12	92	Tr	Tr	Tr	Tr	0.1
291	Cranberry sauce, sweetened									

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Product Information | **Ingredient Information** | Manufacturer Information

Unit
Liquid

Supplement Facts [See Ingredient Fact Sheets](#)

Nutrition Facts
 (Chocolate Maple Nut)
 Serving Size 1 bar (60g)

Ingredients	Amt Per Serving	Units	%Daily Value
Calories	220		
Calories from Fat	50		
Total Fat	6	g	9%
Saturated Fat	4.5	g	23%
Cholesterol	<5	mg	<2%
Sodium	100	mg	4%
Potassium	120	mg	3%
Total Carbohydrate	34	g	11%
Dietary Fiber	1	g	4%
Sugars	35	g	
Protein	9	g	18%
Vitamin A			25%
Calcium			30%
Vitamin D			20%
Vitamin K			15%
Riboflavin			25%

Ingredients of >8,000 dietary supplements:

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- *adverse effects
- *mechanisms of action

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Biotin	76.00	mcg	25.0
Calcium	230.00	mg	23.0
Carnitine	4.00	mg	Not Est.
Chloride	240.00	mg	7.0
Choline	71.00	mg	Not Est.
Chromium	7.00	mcg	6.0
Copper	0.24	mg	12.0
Folic Acid (Folate)	88.00	mcg	22.0
Inositol	19.00	mg	Not Est.
Iodine	23.00	mcg	15.0
Iron	3.00	mg	19.0
Magnesium	47.00	mg	12.0
Manganese	0.24	mg	12.0
Molybdenum	8.00	mcg	11.0

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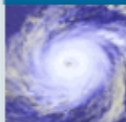
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The symptoms and severity of CF vary widely. Some people have serious problems from birth. Others have a milder version of the disease that doesn't show up until they are teens or young adults.

Although there is no cure for CF, treatments have improved greatly in recent years. Until the 1980s, most deaths from CF occurred in children and teenagers. Today, with improved treatments, some people who have CF are living into their forties, fifties, or older.

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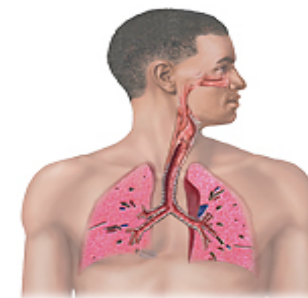
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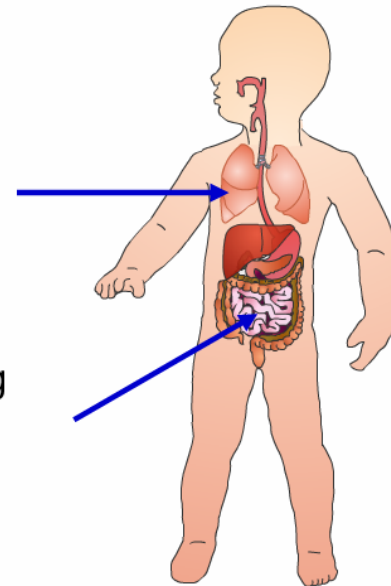
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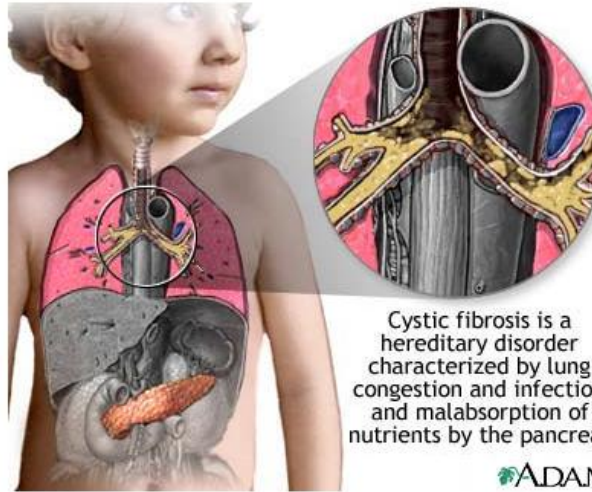
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Mucus in patients with cystic fibrosis is very thick and collects in the intestines and lungs. The result is malnutrition, poor growth, numerous respiratory infections, breathing difficulties, and eventually, permanent lung damage. Lung disease is usually the cause of death in most patients.



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Cystic fibrosis



Cystic fibrosis is a hereditary disorder characterized by lung congestion and infection and malabsorption of nutrients by the pancreas

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Cystic fibrosis is the most common cause of chronic lung disease in children and young adults, and the most common fatal hereditary disorder affecting Caucasians in the US.

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Possibly ineffective for...

- **Chronic lung disease (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, COPD)**. Drinking pomegranate juice does not seem to improve symptoms or breathing in people with COPD.

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- **High cholesterol (hyperlipidemia)**. Some studies show pomegranate seems to lower total cholesterol and "bad" (LDL) cholesterol. But other studies find no benefit.
- **High blood pressure (hypertension)**. One research study suggests that drinking 50 mL of pomegranate juice daily for up to 1 year can lower systolic blood pressure (the top number) by 5% to 21%. But drinking pomegranate juice doesn't seem to affect diastolic pressure (the lower number). However, other research shows no effect on blood pressure when study subjects drink 240 mL of pomegranate juice daily for 3 months. Additional research is needed to sort this out.
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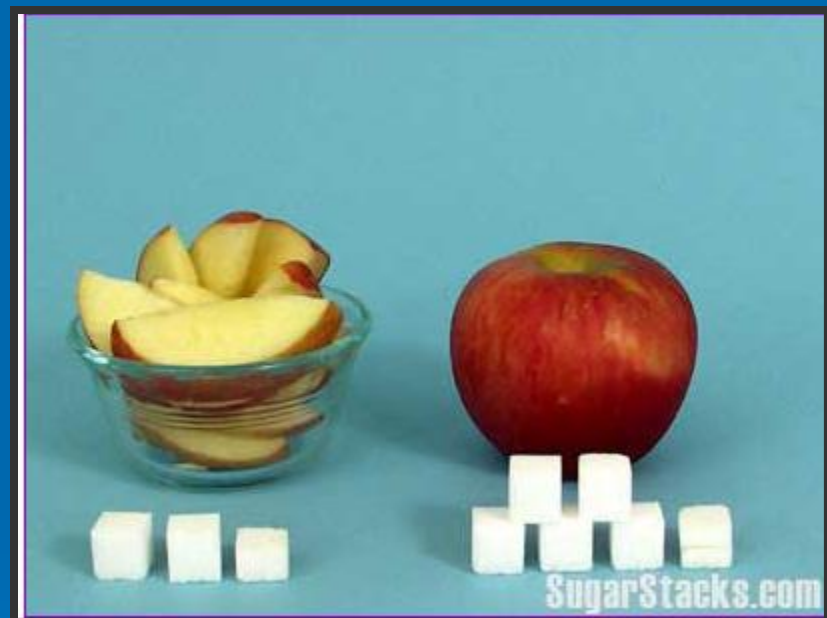


39g

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108g

Yikes! That's a lot of sugar!



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Cross-Cultural Healthcare Resources

- **EthnoMed** ethnomed.org
Cultural beliefs and medical issues pertinent to healthcare of ethnic groups in the Seattle area
- **Culture Clues** depts.washington.edu/pfes/CultureClues.htm
Tip sheets for increasing awareness about preferences from diverse cultures
- **SPIRAL** spiral.tufts.edu
Patient information resources in Asian languages
- **Health Information in Multiple Languages**
www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/languages/languages.html
- **RHIN** rhin.org For refugees and health providers
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FEATURE: MAY/JUNE 2013

PRE-TRAVEL COUNSELING FOR PERSONS VISITING FRIENDS AND RELATIVES (VFRs)

Providers who care for the medical needs of immigrant and refugee patients are familiar with their inevitable decision to return home for a visit. For many, this return is a momentous event. They may have left in terror, to only now return in safety for a long-imagined reunion. The exposures many risk upon return are sometimes minimized as patients may not realize that years later their health cannot tolerate the insults to their immune system they might have weathered back home in their youth. Others will want whatever treatment they can get but not realize the expenses may not be covered by Medicaid or their insurance.



This article, authored by International Medicine Clinic's Medical Director, Dr. Carey Jackson, offers useful tips and guidelines as you discuss issues with traveling patients. Considerations include the significance of the occasion for the patient, the decisions to immunize, prophylax, or treat when symptoms arise, with calculations based on the duration of the trip, geographic areas and seasonal prevalence of disease, settings to be visited, and the condition and co-morbidities of the traveler. The article includes links to guidance provided by Public Health Seattle & King County and the CDC. [Read more...](#)

Recent Feature:

Cambodian Terms For Hypertension May Cause Misunderstandings about the Disease

A population-based survey conducted in Cambodia in 2007 by the Ministry of Health found self-reported rates of high blood pressure of about 50% were significantly higher than the actual prevalence of high blood pressure of about 12% (Saphonn & Prak, 2008). This raised a question about what the terms used for high blood pressure by health professionals meant to patients, and whether the surveyed population had a different perspective from health professionals. These terms,



Welcome To EthnoMed

EthnoMed contains information about cultural beliefs, medical issues and related topics pertinent to the health care of immigrants to Seattle or the US, many of whom are refugees fleeing war-torn parts of the world.

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Summer Spotlight

Summer safety issues include sun exposure, water safety concerns, and use of fireworks or concern about fire. Here are a few Summer Resources to keep kids safe and healthy:

[MedlinePlus](#) (National Library of Medicine): Child safety resources in multiple languages

[Healthy Roads Media](#): Emergency topics (blackouts, firesafety, flash flooding, etc) in multiple languages and formats.

[Seattle Children's Hospital & Medical Center](#): Many safety and injury prevention topics

[Summer Feeding Program](#): The USDA wants to expand summer feeding program for low-income children by reimbursing organizations that serve children

Infant Feeding, Care (Including weaning)

Vietnamese Cultural Profile

Most Vietnamese women breastfeed their infants for the first 6-12 months (both in the US and in Vietnam). This can be difficult when the mother works outside the home and such women may stop breastfeeding sooner than they would in Vietnam. Children are often delayed in weaning from the nursing bottle to the cup until 2 years of age. This may result in an iron deficient diet.

Child Rearing Practices

"Children sit where their parent's place them." This traditional Vietnamese expression characterizes the Confucian based parent-child relationship. Though parents in Seattle have adopted various degrees of western parenting styles, they take their responsibility to teach their children very seriously. The first priority is to teach filial obedience and respect, the second is to provide as much educational success as possible. In many homes, homework must be completed when arriving home from school, and television is only allowed on the weekends. If the parents don't feel the teacher is providing enough homework, they may make homework assignments themselves, or write questions for the child to answer.

In Vietnam, corporal punishment was the norm. In the US, parents are aware that this is not commonly accepted and they have had to change methods of discipline. Some parents state their children are harder to control here than they would have been in Vietnam and are frustrated that their children seem to lack respect for their elders.

ADOLESCENCE, ADULTHOOD, AND OLD AGE

Refugee families have had to deal with many issues in adapting to their new home. In Vietnam, elders were the strongest influence in decision making, and were respected and sought after for advice. Younger family members were respectful. Also, elders held property rights of the family, and could retire once their children could support the family.

When these elders were transported to the US, they lost their property and much of their material goods. Many of the elders outside the home are unable to find work because of their lack of training for available work, their age, and lack of English skills. They are very socially and culturally isolated while their younger family members become more Americanized. This can lead to a role reversal: the elders no longer have power, money or land, and become financially dependent on their children. Because they are culturally isolated, they are no longer sought after for advice. This creates much tension in families where elders feel ignored and disrespected, which



NUTRITION CLINICAL TOPICS

Articles and information related to nutrition and diet.

Related content

[Diabetes Patient Education Materials](#)

Food and fasting in Somali Culture

Information about typical Somali foods and fasting traditions, influenced by Sunni Muslim practice.

Nutrition and Fasting in Cambodian Culture

Information about traditional nutrition and commonly consumed foods in the Cambodian community in Seattle.

The Traditional Foods of the Central Ethiopian Highlands (research report no. 7)

Information about traditional Ethiopian food and food preparation based on studies carried out as part of an applied nutrition program within the framework of the Children's Nutrition Unit (now transformed into the Ethiopian Nutrition Institute (1)). The studies were carried out in widely different parts of Ethiopia, and included the major ethnic groups and also took account of seasonal variations.

More About Ethiopian Food: Teff

Information about Teff, a staple in the Ethiopian and Eritrean diet, and some of the nutritional benefits, and health implications.

Report on Somali Diet

Information about common dietary beliefs and practices of Somali participants in WIC nutrition education.

Chinese Food Cultural Profile

A general article about common foods and the role of food in Chinese culture.

Nutrition and Fasting in Vietnamese Culture

Information about nutrition and commonly consumed foods in the Vietnamese community in Seattle.

Group Nutrition Education Poster

A 1 page poster PDF summarizing a WIC group nutrition project for Spanish and Somali families.

Clinical Pearl: Report on Somali Diet

A clinical pearl abstract about information collected from Somali nutrition education groups about the Somali diet.

Cambodian Shop Around Program

Description of a pilot project to promote healthy eating and dietary management of diabetes in Seattle's Cambodian community; includes curriculum, recipes, photos and information about the prevalence of diabetes and other health conditions affecting Cambodian Americans, along with considerations of some historical and environmental factors that may influence Cambodian American diet.

Muslim Religious Observances and Diabetes

Information about fasting practices, and recommendations for providers caring for diabetic patients during times of fasting. Includes recommendations related to medication management.


REPORT ON SOMALI DIET

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Reviewer(s): Christine Wilson Owens, Editor; Salma Musa, CCM; J. Carey Jackson, MD

Date Authored: August 01, 2003

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METHODS

The following information was collected during more than 70 nutrition education groups for Somali patients taught by dietitian Aliya Haq at the WIC clinic at Harborview Medical Center (HMC), between 1999 and 2002. WIC is a supplemental nutrition education program for pregnant and postpartum women, infants, and children up to age five. Nutrition education is an integral part of the WIC program, which also provides healthy food vouchers to low income families. More than 400 Somali patients have attended the nutrition education groups at Harborview since they began in September 1999.

Providers are encouraged to assess the needs and behavior of all patients individually, and to consider that the information presented here is not intended to be a full account of the dietary practices and beliefs of all Somali immigrants. As Westernization appears to have influenced some aspects of Somali immigrants' diet already, it will be important to observe if and how further acculturation impacts diet in the future.

THE SOMALI DIET

Limited or no published data is available regarding the dietary beliefs and practices of Somali people residing in the United States. For this reason, the following information has been compiled to convey the lessons learned during nutrition education groups with hundreds of Somali patients. The information is organized into four sections:

1. **Religious Proscriptions** discusses the influence the dominant Muslim religion has on Somali immigrants' diet; includes descriptions of halal and haram foods, and fasting and breastfeeding practices.
2. **Foods Commonly Consumed and Methods of Cooking** lists foods that are commonly eaten in Somali immigrant households, including common ingredients and cooking methods for these foods, with indication of which foods are considered high in fat, high in carbohydrates and fat, high in salt, and high in protein. This section also discusses consumption of fast foods and elements of an acculturating diet.
3. **Common Dietary Beliefs** describes some of the commonly held beliefs regarding diet and nutrition that have been expressed by Somalis participating in the group education.

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Preventing Rickets in Breastfed Babies Cambodian version

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អ្វីទៅដែលហៅថា រោគក្រិន?

វាគឺជាជំងឺមួយដែលឆ្អឹងក្នុងកាយរបស់កុមារដែលបានកើតឡើងដោយសារតែការខ្វះខាតជាតិវីតាមីនឌីអិលខ្លះៗ នៅក្នុងភ្នែកភ្នែក
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តើអ្វីទៅជាសញ្ញានៃរោគក្រិន?

- ក្មេងមានភាពខ្លាំងឡាយ,
- មិនអាចដើរបាន,
- មានការលូតលាស់យឺត,
- មានជំងឺប្រកាច់,
- រោគសញ្ញាផ្សេងៗ។

តើអ្នកមានការពារយ៉ាងណាឱ្យពួកអ្នកជៀសវាងពីរោគក្រិន?

ដោយពន្លឺថ្ងៃមានមិនគ្រប់គ្រាន់នៅភ្នែកភ្នែកខាងលើនិងខាងក្រោម ទារកត្រូវទទួលបានជាតិវីតាមីនឌីអិលខ្លះៗ
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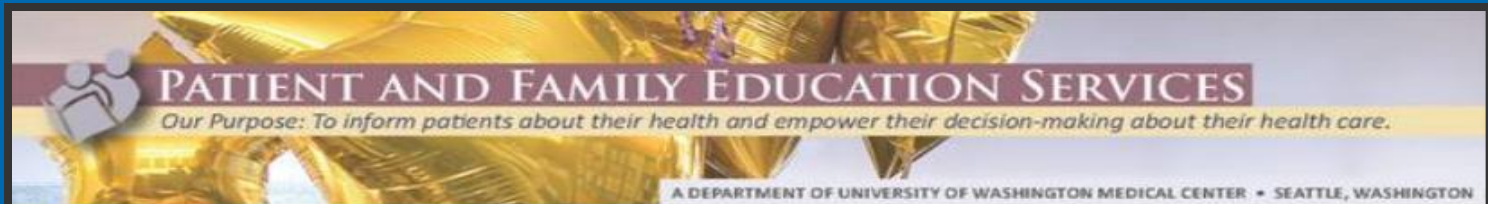
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How does the Russian culture deal with illness?

Helping Your Patient Feel Comfortable with UWMC

- Remember to find out if this is your patient's first visit to University of Washington Medical Center.
 - **If it is your patient's first visit to UWMC, take a few moments for orientation.**
 - **Keep in mind that patients who are new to the system may not be aware of the role of the Primary Care Team or the process for getting a referral to a specialist.**

Explaining the Causes of Illness and Disease

- Your patient and his or her family may believe that illness is caused by weather or social experiences, such as stress from the living situation or because of arguing with the family.
 - **Ask your patient if they have experienced stresses or strains recently.**
- Your patient may not like to take excessive medications. When an option, ask your patients if they prefer over-the-counter or homeopathic medicine.
- Spend time with the patient to show that the patient is cared for.

Feeding Your Baby 6 to 12 Months

Source: Washington State Department of Health - Division of Environmental Health

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Starting your baby on family foods

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Good Food for Kids

Source: Nutrition Education for New Americans Project

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給家長，照料人及兒童的資料

兒童需要很多能量去成長，玩耍和學習。在選購及小吃時選擇適當的食物，可以幫助你的孩子建立一個健康的將來。

兒童可以與其他家人享用同樣的食物。一起進膳可以幫助他們有良好的飲食。良好的飲食習慣是可以終生受用的。

食物是無分好與壞的，而最重要的是飲食要均衡。在本小冊內的每個食物類別對發展良好健康都非常重要，因此每人都要將每一個類別的食物包括在內。

很多膳食都有從這五個食物類別加入不同的食物。想一想你孩子的飲食中缺少了哪類別的食物，然後將它們加入他們的膳食內。



麵包，穀類食品及馬鈴薯

這些食物提供能量及維他命。每餐都應包括這些食物在內。

嘗試用不同的食品，包括麵包片，pitta 包，印度薄餅(chapatti)，麵包圈(bagels)，義大利粉，芋頭，飯，麵，早餐穀類食品或大蕉。



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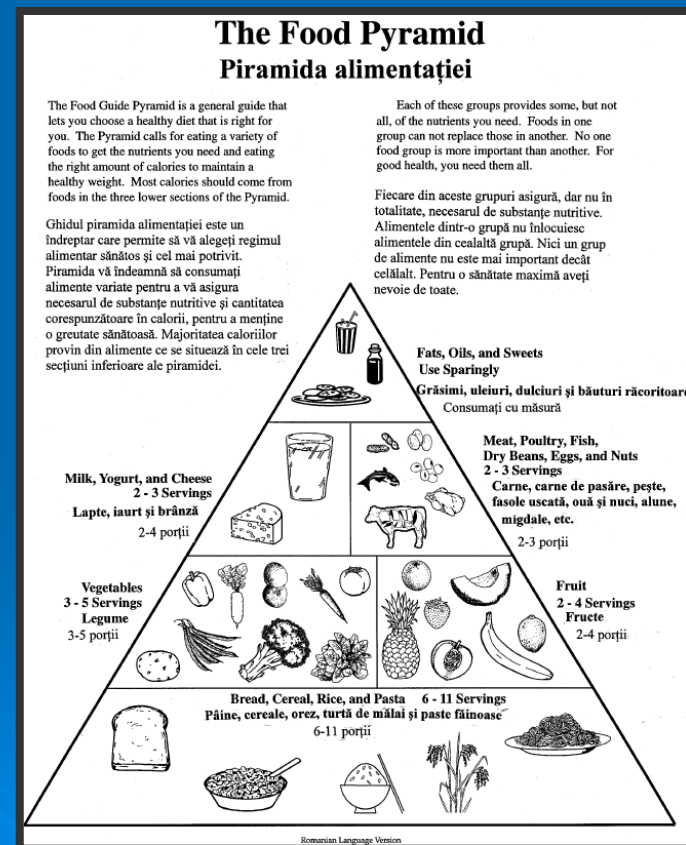
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Food Pyramid Languages

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KH Schulpis, V Gioni, D Platis, M Kalogerakou... - Journal of Pediatric ..., 2013 - IOS Press

Replacement of natural protein intake, low total antioxidant status (TAS) and DNA oxidation and high phenylalanine (Phe) blood levels are implicated with poorly controlled patients with PKU. In this study we aimed to investigate the effect of **diet** on the main Protein ...

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... administration, response evaluation, and side effect management associated with sapropterin therapy in infants and **children** aged <4 ... For 3 of 6 cases, **diet** records were used to monitor changes in dietary Phe. ... Severity of **phenylketonuria** ranged from mild to severe (classic). ...

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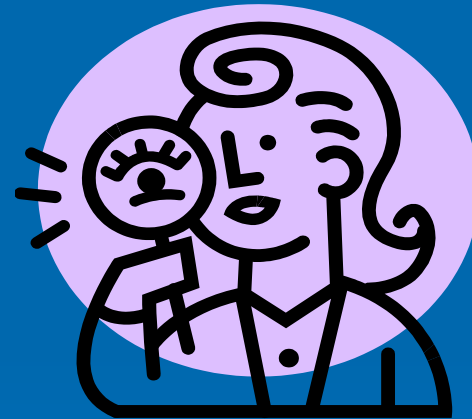
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Must Evaluate Web Resources: Evaluation Strategies

- Evaluate using checklist entitled:
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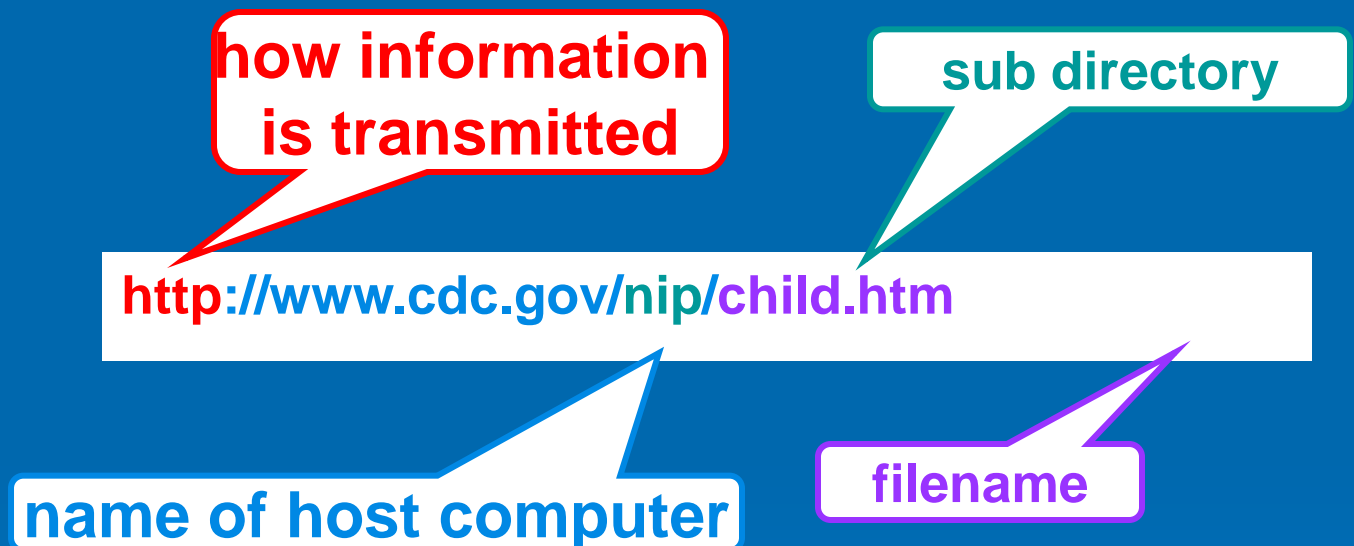
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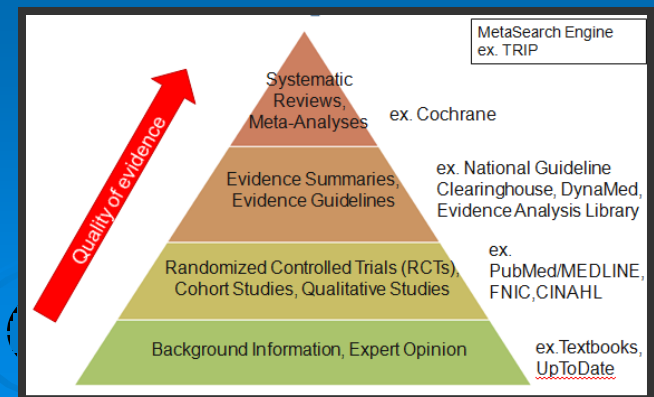
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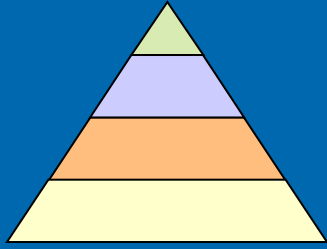
- Free evidence-based electronic nutrition journal
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Final Thoughts

- Use the *Locating Evidence-based Pediatric Nutrition Resources on the Web* handout to find evidence resources.
- Navigate the web efficiently using *Advanced Google* or *Google Scholar* and **evaluate!**
- Remember **AND** Evidence Analysis Library, *PubMed*, */MEDLINE*, *MedlinePlus*, *EthnoMed*, and nutrition sites to find evidence to incorporate into your clinical practice.
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