

# A Review of Obesity-Themed Policy Briefs

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## Appendix A

### List of the policy briefs selected for review, N=100

2009 RI KidCount Factbook—Obesity

Access to Healthy Foods in Low-Income Neighborhoods: Opportunities for Public Policy

Accessing Nutrition Information at Chain Restaurants: New Data

Active Living for Rural Youth

Addressing Physical Activity

American Heart Association School Nutrition Policy Recommendations

Are Nutrient Standards for Competitive Foods Feasible?

Bubbling Over: Soda Consumption and Its Link to Obesity in California

California Health Policy Forum

California's Obesity Crisis: Focus on Solutions: What Schools Can Do: Is PA by Itself the Answer?

California's Obesity Crisis: Focus on Solutions: Food Advertising and Marketing to Children and Youth

Child Nutrition

Child Obesity in Indiana: A Growing Public Policy Concern

Childhood Obesity and the Marketing of Junk Food in Schools

Childhood Obesity in Massachusetts: Costs, Consequences, and Opportunities for Change

Childhood Obesity in Tennessee

Childhood Obesity: Essential Facts for Parents and Schools

Childhood Overweight: What the Research Tells Us

Competitive Foods in Schools

Designed for Disease: the Link Between Local Food Environments and Obesity and Diabetes

Diabetes Rates and Trends in California Border Counties

Do Food Programs Make Children Overweight?

Expanding the Role of Afterschool Programs in Promoting Health and Wellness  
FACTS. With a Very Heavy Heart: Obesity and Cardiovascular Disease (CVD)  
Federal Child Nutrition Programs Are Important to Rural Households  
Health Affairs: Child Obesity Policy Brief  
Healthy Children, Healthy Communities: Schools, Parks, Recreation, and Sustainable Regional Planning  
Healthy Diets and Physically Fit Youth  
Healthy Parks, Healthy Communities: Addressing Health Disparities and Park Inequities Through Public Financing of Parks, Playgrounds, and Other Physical Activity Settings  
How Much Do You Know About the Childhood Obesity Epidemic in Missouri?  
How Neighborhoods Can Reduce the Risk of Obesity  
How to Make Healthy Changes in Your Neighborhood  
How to Use Redevelopment to Create Healthier Communities  
Impact of Federal Commodity Programs on School Meal Nutrition  
Improving Child Nutrition Policy: Insights from National USDA Study of School Food Environments  
Improving School Food Standards: The Positive Impact on Revenue  
Industry Can Play a Role in Preventing Childhood Obesity  
Learning for Life: PE in Public Schools  
Low-Income Adolescents Face More Barriers to Healthy Weight  
Maximizing Opportunities for Physical Activity During the School Day  
Maximizing Opportunities for Physical Activity Through Joint Use of Facilities  
Menu Calorie Postings in Restaurants: Policy Intervention to Prevent and Reduce Obesity  
Menu Labeling in Chain Restaurants: Opportunities for Public Policy  
Model Menu Labeling Ordinances  
Moderate to Vigorous Physical Activity in Physical Education to Improve Health and Academic Outcomes  
Nutrition & Physical Activity Arizona  
Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity Appropriations Fact Sheet  
Obesity in Adults During Pregnancy  
Obesity and Disability: The Shape of Things to Come  
Obesity in Children

Obesity in Michigan: Public or Private Issue?

Obesity in New Jersey: Health Data Fact Sheet

Obesity in Texas: Policy Implications

Obesity in Young Children: Impact and Intervention

Obesity Trends in New Jersey Counties: 1992–2006

Overview of Washington State Nutrition & Physical Activity Plan: Policy & Environmental Approaches

Overview: The State Of Childhood Obesity In America

Overweight Among School-Age Youth: Healthy Foods and Beverages in Schools

Overweight and Obesity Among Latino Youths

Physical Activity and Health: Adolescents and Young Adults

Physical Activity and Health: The Link Between Physical Activity and Morbidity and Mortality

Physical Activity in Alabama

Physical Education and California Schools

Physical Education in Schools—Both Quality and Quantity Are Important

Preventing Childhood Obesity in Rhode Island

Preventing Diseases Through Physical Activity

Promising Policies: Addressing Obesity in Mississippi

Research-Based Recommendations to Improve Child Nutrition in Schools and Out-Of-School-Time Programs

Restricting Food and Beverage Advertising in Schools

Rethinking the BMI

Rhode Island Obesity Control Program: A Public Health Approach to Addressing Overweight and Obesity Among Children and Adults

Role of the School Nurse in Providing School Health Services

Rudd Report: School Food: Opportunities for Improvement

Rudd Report: School Wellness Policies

RWJF Fact Sheet on Southern Childhood Obesity

School Food Unwrapped: What's Available and What Our Kids Are Actually Eating

School Foods Sold Outside of Meals (Competitive Foods)

School Wellness Policies

Schools Can Play a Role in Preventing Childhood Obesity

Searching for Health Food: The Food Landscape in California Cities and Counties  
Soft Drink Ban on School Campuses  
Soft Drink Taxes: A Policy Brief  
South Los Angeles Ban on Fast-Food Chains Misses the Mark  
State Indicator Report on Fruits and Vegetables, 2009 Utah Action Guide  
Strengthen Nutrition Education and Promotion: 2010 Child Nutrition Reauthorization  
Sugar-Sweetened Beverages: Extra Sugar, Extra Calories, and Extra Weight  
Safety in Schools  
Supporting Healthy Communities Through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009  
Take Action! Work Effectively with Schools to Reduce Childhood Obesity  
Teen Dietary Habits Related to Those of Parents  
The Facts About Childhood Obesity  
The New Mexico Plan to Promote Healthier Weight  
The Obesity Challenge in Connecticut  
U.S. Obesity, Weight Gain, and Socioeconomic Status  
Walking and Biking to School: Physical Activity and Health Outcomes  
Weight Bias: A Social Justice Issue  
Weighty Matters: How Obesity Drives Poor Health and Health Spending in the U.S.  
Wellness in Nebraska Schools: Supports for Healthy Eating Within Nebraska's Public Middle and High Schools  
Wellness in Nebraska Schools: Supports for Physical Activity Within Nebraska's Public Middle and High Schools  
Why Adopt an Obesity Prevention Resolution?

PA, physical activity; PE, physical education; RI, Rhode Island; RWJF, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation; USDA, U.S. Department of Agriculture