



FEED THE FUTURE

The U.S. Government's Global Hunger & Food Security Initiative



Advancing Nutrition, From Plates to Processors

An investment in nutrition is a down payment on the future productivity and health of poor communities in developing countries. It's also key to ensuring countries advance in their development journeys to a day when they no longer need assistance.

Yet malnutrition still affects 155 million children under the age of 5 globally, and many poor communities still lack the resources and education they need to properly nourish themselves.

Through an approach that integrates activities from a range of sectors, Feed the Future builds the capacity of governments, researchers, local communities and health workers to improve nutrition and help families grow, purchase and prepare more nutritious foods. Along with our partners, we're helping more children get the right nutrition they need early in life, helping producers feed more people with more nutritious crops, and helping farming families improve both diets and community resilience with good nutrition practices.

This work extends beyond the farm to the markets where people buy food, the processors who add nutrition through fortification, and the entrepreneurs who are finding new ways of connecting poor people with more nutrition foods and practices.

Read on to see how the individuals we work with are changing their communities' dinner plates—today and for generations to come.



Feed the Future in Action



The Nurturer: A Mozambican Mother Doubles Food Production

Using better agricultural techniques, a mother and farmer is growing her family's income, nutrition and food security and sharing her lessons so her community can fight malnutrition.



Malawi's Food Processors Make Progress on Nutrition

Food processors are making foods last longer and reaching vulnerable communities to fight malnutrition.



Bringing Beans Back to the Plate in Guatemala

Beans, a small but mighty source of nutrition, are helping farmers transform their livelihoods and community health.



Photo Album: Digital Agriculture Around the World

See how digital agriculture technologies are advancing nutrition and food across the globe.



Partner Stories

FROM FARM TO TABLE

After a tropical cyclone flattened her family's farmland, a farmer in Fiji learned how to rebuild her livelihood and future through agriculture.

THREE REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD CARE ABOUT FOOD SECURITY POLICY

Explore how effective policies boost our global nutrition and food security efforts.

NUTRITION-SENSITIVE APPROACH LOWERS ANEMIA PREVALENCE IN BURUNDI

Programs that target mothers and children during the first 1,000 days of life are crucial - and might help

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: TESTIMONIALS FROM TANZANIAN FARMERS

Nutrition specialists are helping communities supplement their diets with healthier options, technical

reduce anemia, too.

training and cooking demonstrations.

FIGHTING MALNUTRITION THROUGH DIVERSIFIED DIETS

USAID is giving Ugandan mothers the power to combat childhood stunting by teaching which foods are best.

PLANTING THE SEEDS OF A SUSTAINABLE NURSERY

A Peace Corps Volunteer helps women in Nepal overcome barriers and grow their business.



Featured Video



A Mother's Pride

After a 20-year-long war in northern Uganda, the women of the Gulu Women's Dairy Cooperative have banded together. With support from the U.S. African Development Foundation, a Feed the Future partner, they're ensuring nutrition for their families and rebuilding their community.



Upcoming Events

Cracking the Nut

June 12 - 13, 2018
Antigua, Guatemala

USGLC State Leaders Summit

June 18 - 19, 2018
Washington, DC



What We're Reading

DUKE SANFORD POLICY 360

Podcast: The First 1,000 Days

RELIEFWEB

Food Waste Enough to Feed World's
Hungry Four Times Over

MONTANA PUBLIC RADIO

Raising Chickens Locally:
The Future Of Agriculture?

REUTERS

Food Security is a Powerful Weapon
to Defeat Poverty

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