In addition to the 39 partners, 13 collaborating stakeholders are involved in JANPA including institutions from Cyprus and Sweden as well as WHO-Europe and the Joint Research Centre, JRC-EU.

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WHAT IS JANPA?
JANPA is a joint action across Europe on nutrition and physical activity. The main objective of JANPA is to contribute to halting the rise of overweight and obesity in children and adolescents in EU Member states by 2020. JANPA focuses on specific factors that contribute to the nutritional and physical activity policies for families targeting childhood and adolescence.

WHO IS INVOLVED?
26 countries, including 25 of the 28 European Member states and Norway, participate in JANPA either as partners or collaborating stakeholders.

The large number of countries and organisations participating in the project provide a wealth of views, information, practices and approaches ensuring widespread engagement.

WHAT DO WE WANT TO ACHIEVE?
Through sharing, identification and selection of best practices within participating countries, JANPA aims to:

- estimate and forecast the economic costs of overweight and obesity
- improve the implementation of integrated interventions to promote healthy nutrition and physical activity for pregnant women and families with young children
- contribute to healthier child care in family, kindergarten, pre-school and school environments
- improve the way in which nutritional information about foods is collected and used by public health authorities, stakeholders and families.

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JANPA IS ORGANISED IN SEVEN WORK PACKAGES

**WP1** COORDINATION

Ensure the success of the joint action by efficient management and coordination of the different work packages

**WP2** DISSEMINATION

Promote the joint action and disseminate the results with the involvement of the relevant stakeholders

**WP3** EVALUATION

Carry out a systematic evaluation of the entire project with regard to the performance and impact of JANPA

**WP4** COST OF CHILDHOOD OBESITY

Develop an evidence-based economic rationale for action on childhood obesity

**WP5** NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION

Share the best practices on how nutritional information on food and diet is gathered and used for nutritional policies

**WP6** HEALTHY ENVIRONMENTS

Provide guidance on policy options and national initiatives to create healthier environments in kindergartens and schools

**WP7** EARLY INTERVENTIONS

Promote policies and interventions on healthy diet and physical activity for pregnant women and families with young children