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How Can We Measure Nutrition-Sensitive Social Protection? Unpacking data, challenges, and opportunities to improve nutrition through school feeding programs

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Social protection programs are important platforms for delivering nutrition interventions. Many countries have invested in school feeding programs to extend the reach of nutrition-sensitive social protection to children and their families. Join us for a discussion of the global landscape of school feeding programs and the development of metrics for assessing the coverage of nutrition-sensitive social protection programs. Presentations will showcase examples from the Global Survey of School Meal Programs©. Confirmed Speakers include Ayala Wineman (GCNF) and Nadia Akseer (JHSPH). Q&A moderated by Rebecca Heidkamp (JHSPH) will follow presentations.

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Speaker Spotlight



Nadia Akseer, PhD, MSc JHSPH

- Dr. Akseer is an Epidemiologist-Biostatistician with 10+ years experience leading research and analyses of clinical and population health datasets.
- She is an Assistant Scientist at the Bloomberg School of Public Health (JHSPH). Dr. Akseer is also Scientific Advisor to the Exemplars in Global Health Program at Gates Ventures (Kirkland, WA), and Associate Editor of Nutrition Reviews journal.
- Dr. Akseer's research interests and publications generally span reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent health (RMNCAH) and nutrition in Afghanistan and other low- and middle-income countries (LMICs) across Africa, Asia, and Latin America.
- She has published over 60 peer-reviewed papers and was identified as a Canadian Women Leader in Global Health jointly by The Lancet, Government of Canada and Canadian Society for International Health in 2018. She was subsequently awarded the 2019 Emerging Public Health Leader Alumni Award from the Public Health Alumni Association of the University of Toronto.



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Ayala Wineman, PhD GCNF

- Dr. Ayala Wineman works as Research Coordinator at the Global Child Nutrition Foundation (GCNF); a Research Associate with the Department of Agriculture, Food, and Resource Economics at Michigan State University; and a Senior Research Fellow at the MwAPATA Institute in Lilongwe, Malawi.
- Her research relates broadly to rural development and food security in sub-Saharan Africa. With GCNF, she works on the Global Survey of School Meal Programs©.
- Ayala holds a M.Sc. and Ph.D. in Agricultural, Food, and Resource Economics from Michigan State University.

