

Healthy Eating Research Food Labeling Work Group

About the Food Labeling Work Group

The Food Labeling Work Group is an interdisciplinary team of researchers, legal scholars, and advocates working on food labeling related issues and who are committed to improving the health of children and their families through improved research, evaluation, and dissemination of food labeling strategies. The primary population of interest is children, ages 0 to 18, and their families, especially in lower-income and racial and ethnic populations at highest risk for lower diet quality and obesity.

The work group is supported by Healthy Eating Research, a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Membership in the work group is open to all with an interest in food labeling policies, regulations, and strategies.

Work Group Mission

The mission of the work group is to build a network of researchers, legal scholars, and advocates collaborating to inform the design and evaluation of food labeling to improve public health.

Work Group Goals

Overall Goal: To provide a forum to share advocacy, legal, and research insights on food labeling, with the overall goal of designing and disseminating policy-relevant research on food labeling.

Longer-Term Goals:

1. Spark new areas of research in food labeling to support public health
2. Form a close network of researchers, legal scholars, and advocates who work on food labeling issues
3. Regularly disseminate cutting-edge research and policies on food labeling

Meeting Frequency and Format

Full work group meetings will be held 2-3 times per year and will be in the form of webinar presentations. The topics for the webinars will be decided by the two work group co-chairs and the leadership team. All work group members are encouraged to join these meetings.

Food Labeling Work Group Chairs

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