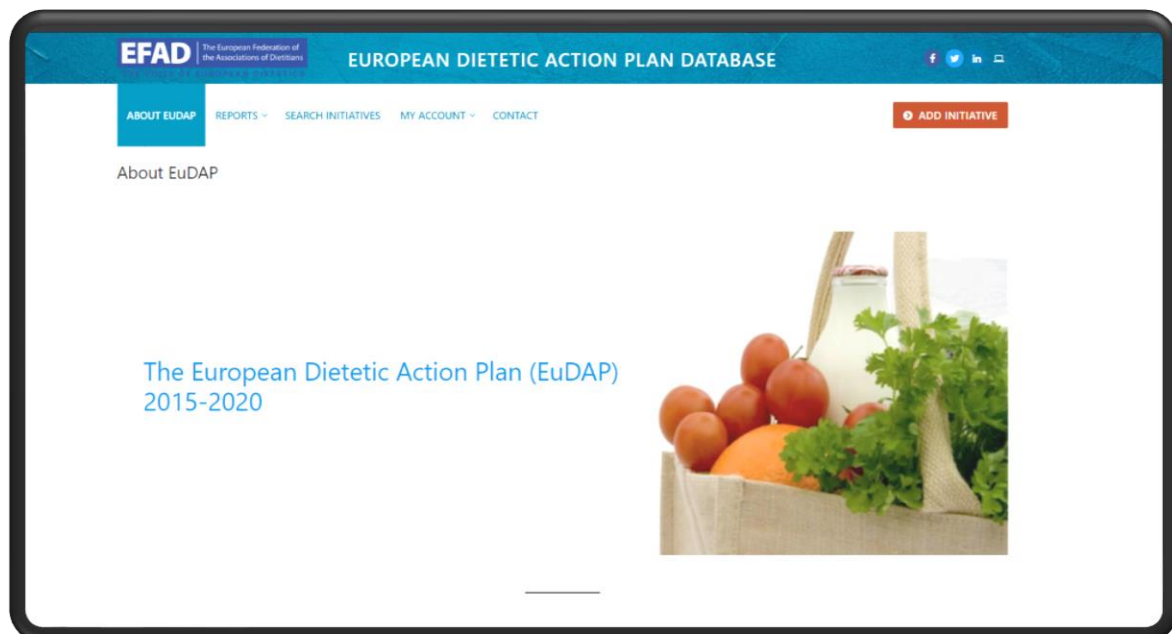


The European Dietetic Action Plan Online Database

<http://www.eudap.org/>

PRIVACY POLICY



This privacy policy outlines information regarding the processing and the protection of personal data of EuDAP Database Users.

EFAD attaches the highest importance to protecting the privacy of users of its sites. Although most of the information is available on or via the website without users having to provide personal data, it is possible that users may wish to provide personal data. In such a case, the data shall be processed in accordance with the legal requirements on privacy protection in relation to health and personal information that apply in Europe (Regulation 45/2001), where EFAD is located.

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What data do we collect and how do we collect them?

1. **You do not have to give us any personal information** in order to view the public pages of the EuDAP Database.
2. We collect the following information from **registered Users**: login, name (not mandatory), email.

If you would like to register as EuDAP Database User (to be allowed to publish and manage your Initiatives) or submit a question to other Initiative contacts, you need to submit your login and email address. Your email address will be stored until such time as you choose to delete your User Account.

3. Media

If you upload images to the website, you should avoid uploading images with embedded location data (EXIF GPS) included. Visitors to the website can download and extract any location data from images on the website.

4. Registered Users are allowed to publish personal details of the **contact person of an Initiative**. This data are NOT mandatory and will be publicly available. They include:
 - Name and organisation of the contact person
 - Address
 - Email address
 - Telephone
 - Website

By publishing the details of a contact person, Account User agrees that is allowed to publish the given data.

5. Comments

When visitors leave comments on the site we collect the data shown in the comments form, and also the visitor's IP address and browser user agent string to help spam detection.

An anonymized string created from your email address (also called a hash) may be provided to the Gravatar service to see if you are using it. The Gravatar service privacy policy is available here: <https://automattic.com/privacy/>. After approval of your comment, your profile picture is visible to the public in the context of your comment.

6. **Google Analytics** of EuDAP Database may collect certain information such as:
 - IP addresses;
 - host names;
 - the time and date information is requested;
 - the browser version and platform when information is requested;

We use this information to produce aggregate visitor statistics in relation to which pages are being accessed. We may also use it to monitor usage patterns on this website in order to improve navigation and design features to help you get information more easily. This information is collated and provided to us as daily log files. These statistics will not include information that can be used to identify any individual.

7. Cookies

If you leave a comment on our site you may opt-in to saving your name, email address and website in cookies. These are for your convenience so that you do not have to fill in your details again when you leave another comment. These cookies will last for one year.

If you visit our login page, we will set a temporary cookie to determine if your browser accepts cookies. This cookie contains no personal data and is discarded when you close your browser.

When you log in, we will also set up several cookies to save your login information and your screen display choices. Login cookies last for two days, and screen options cookies last for a year. If you select "Remember Me", your login will persist for two weeks. If you log out of your account, the login cookies will be removed.

How do we use your data and where do we store them?

User personal data are collected and processed solely for the purpose of communication with EuDAP Database Users and sending information related to the Database only;

Personal data will not be communicated to third parties nor used for marketing purposes;

Personal data of a **contact person of the initiative** will be publicly available for every EuDAP Database visitor.

By using our EuDAP Database website you consent to the collection and use of your personal information in the manner set out above.

EFAD stores personal data securely on servers located in the European Union.

How long we retain your data

User data

For users that register on our website, we also store the personal information they provide in their user profile. All users can see, edit, or delete their personal information at any time (except they cannot change their username). Website administrators can also see and edit that information (see: What are your data protection rights?)

Comments

If you leave a comment, the comment and its metadata are retained indefinitely. This is so we can recognize and approve any follow-up comments automatically instead of holding them in a moderation queue.

What are your data protection rights?

Anyone who has provided any personal information to EFAD may:

- Request access to their information at any time.
- Ask EFAD to correct or complete any personal information about them that they believe is either inaccurate or incomplete.
- Ask EFAD to delete or cease using their personal information.

- Ask EFAD to transfer personal information stored about them to another organization or, under certain conditions, directly to themselves.

Any enquiries from anyone regarding information about personal information stored by EFAD will be responded to within four weeks.

For any enquiries about the above please email: katarzyna.janiszewska@efad.org

Disclaimer

The European Federation of Associations of Dietitians (EFAD) maintains the EuDAP Database website to enhance public access to information about dietetics & dietitians and health & nutrition.

This information is:

- Of a general nature only and is not intended to address the specific circumstances of any particular individual or entity;
- Not necessarily comprehensive or complete;
- Sometimes linked to external sites. However, this does not imply that EFAD endorses these sites or that it assumes responsibility for these sites; EFAD does not endorse any products or services on other websites linked to or from our site. Please note that we are not responsible for the privacy practices of other website's. This privacy statement applies solely to information collected by this website and we encourage our users to be aware when they leave our site and to read the privacy statements of other websites.
- Not professional or legal advice (if you need specific advice, you should always consult a suitably qualified professional).

Our goal and duty is to keep this information timely and accurate. If errors are brought to our attention, we will try to correct them. It is also our goal to minimise disruption caused by technical errors, however we cannot guarantee that our service will not be interrupted or otherwise affected by such problems.

EFAD does not accept advertisements on the EuDAP Database website.

Changes to our privacy policy

EFAD regularly reviews and updates its privacy policy. If we change or modify our privacy policy we shall post these changes on the EuDAP Database page so our users are always aware of what information we collect and how we use it.