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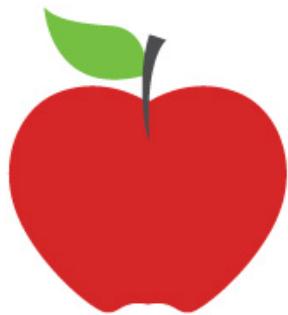
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The Swetland Scoop

November 2021

News & Announcements

Building Capacity for Obesity Prevention (BCOP)
Launches New PSI READI Website



BCOP

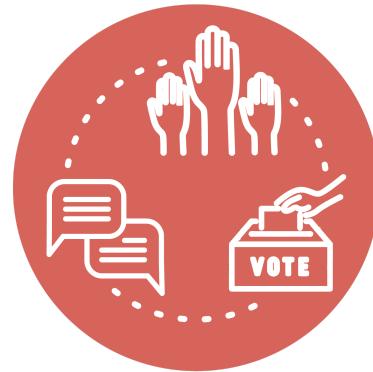
Building Capacity for Obesity Prevention

On Wednesday October 20th, the [BCOP](#) team launched an updated, user-friendly version of the project's web-based tool, PSE READI. The PSE READI website, which previously used a simple WordPress design, has been transformed into a interactive web-application with enhanced features to

by SNAP-Ed and public health practitioners to successfully implement and sustain community nutrition policy, systems, and environmental (PSE) interventions in rural and urban settings. Check out the new version of the website at www.PSEREADI.org!

foodNEST Collaborative Partner With Cleveland–Cuyahoga Food Policy Coalition to Put Food on the Policy Table

On Friday, October 15th and Tuesday, October 19th, the [Cleveland–Cuyahoga County Food Policy Coalition](#) and the foodNEST 2.0 Collaborative co-hosted conversations with Cleveland mayoral candidates Kevin Kelley and Justin Bibb. These events, each attended by about 35 community leaders, were designed to raise awareness about food policy opportunities for our next mayor. The foodNEST team utilized this opportunity to briefly share findings related to food insecurity in Cleveland, to outline our aspirational goal of nutrition equity, and to emphasize the importance of community-driven solutions. Learn more about this conversation and the continued efforts on our [website](#).



Be sure to keep up with Swetland news through our online [News & Events](#) page!

Events & Opportunities

**November Swetland Seminar:
The Carbon Footprint of a Life Sustaining Treatment**
November 16th | 9 – 10:00 AM

that quantified emissions related to hemodialysis as well as sources of variation across facilities, treatments, and emission contributors. [Learn more or register here!](#)

foodNEST & Friends Virtual Convening

December 1 | 9 – 11:00 am



Join us for foodNEST & Friends on December 1, 2021 from 9 – 11 am, as we celebrate and activate research to advance nutrition equity. This event will focus on translating insights about food system complexity into strategic actions, to promote racial equity through food systems change in Greater Cleveland. We are eager to share findings from foodNEST 2.0, to celebrate the culmination of this work, and to uplift the successes of our partners. foodNEST 2.0 is a three-year study focused on developing tools and strategies that support a more equitable food system in Cleveland. foodNEST 2.0 builds on the learnings from foodNEST 1.0 (2015–2017), which explored how food retail environments affect community health.

[Register here](#) to join us on Zoom for foodNEST & Friends!

Swetland Spotlight

Welcome Students Linh and Regan to the Swetland Center!



Linh Nguyen (left) is joining Swetland as a Dietetic Intern, currently working towards her Masters of Nutrition at CWRU, will be supporting the Building Capacity for Obesity Prevention (BCOP) Project. Regan Gee (right) is a Medical Anthropology PhD student and has joined the in Emergency Food Assistance and Food Security Project as a Graduate Assistant. Learn more about Linh and Regans background and interest on our [News & Events page](#).

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