

# Government of Ontario Announcements Related to the Healthy Kids Panel Recommendations

## Prong #1: Start All Kids on the Path to Health

- Investment of more than \$2.5 million for enhanced breastfeeding supports

## Prong #2: Change the Food Environment

- Consultation with multi-sectoral groups and introduction of legislation, the Making Healthier Choices Act, to require food service premises to post calories on menus
- \$12 million in additional funding for Ontario's Student Nutrition Program to fund 340 new breakfast programs for an additional 56,000 children in low-income neighbourhoods and on First Nation reserves
- A Healthy Eating in Secondary Schools program, one-time grants of up to \$50,000 for innovative projects that encourage students to eat healthier
- Doubling support for successful health promotion programs run by Aboriginal organizations and tailored to their unique cultural traditions and knowledge

## Prong #3: Create Healthy Communities

- Announcement of the multi-sectoral and community-led Healthy Kids Community Challenge; up to \$1.5 million per community for up to 30 communities