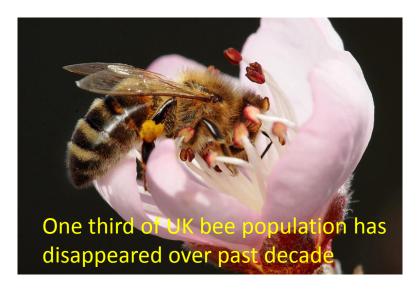
A healthy and sustainable food strategy for Tameside

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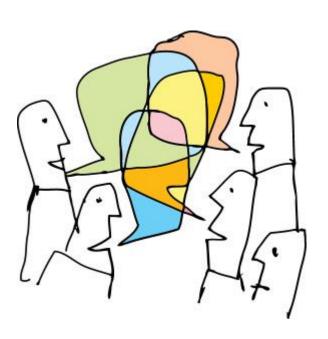
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Why food and why now?

- We are not succeeding in reducing obesity or diet related disease
- Why have we got the food culture and system we have?
- Does it work for our health, communities, economy and planet?
- Is it doing more harm than good?
- What do we want to do about it?
- We are starting a bigger and broader conversation about food





A balanced diet is essential for health and wellbeing





Out of home food offer







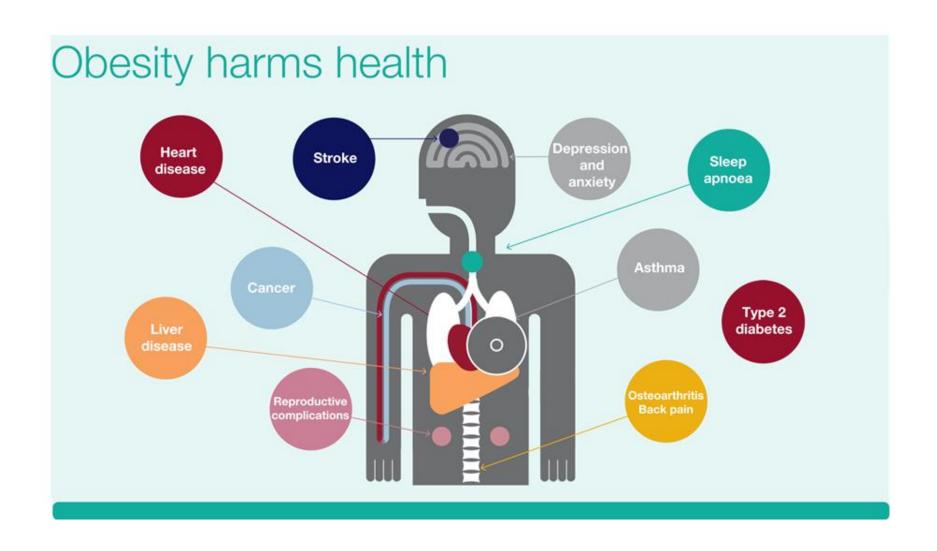




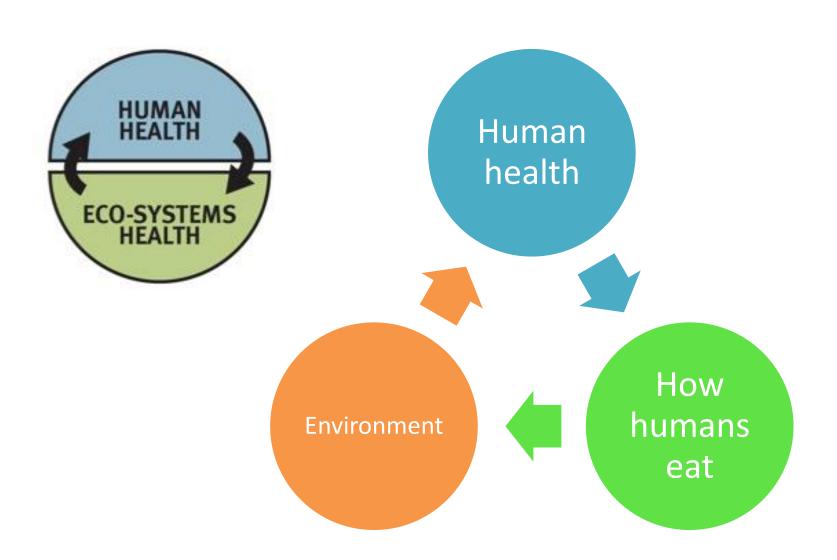




Is it all about obesity?



Ecological public health



Carbon reduction

 Food's carbon footprint, or foodprint, is the greenhouse gas emissions produced by growing, rearing, farming, processing, transporting, storing, cooking and disposing of the food you eat. ...

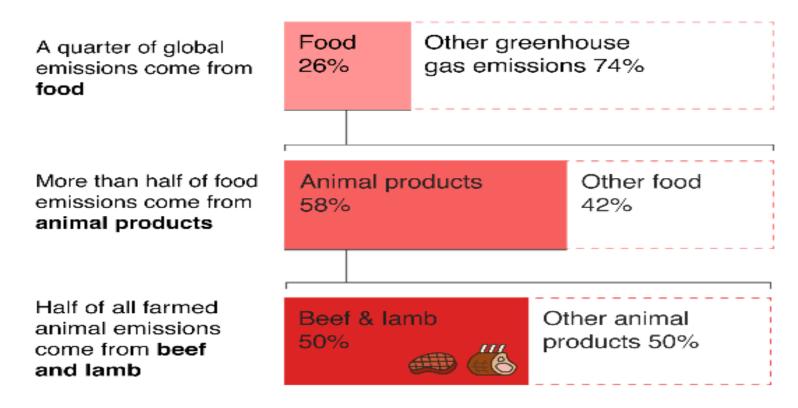
 Changing the **foods** that you eat can have a big impact on your **carbon** footprint.



Food and greenhouse gas

How much impact does food have?

Proportion of total greenhouse gas emissions from food



Source: Poore & Nemecek (2018), Science



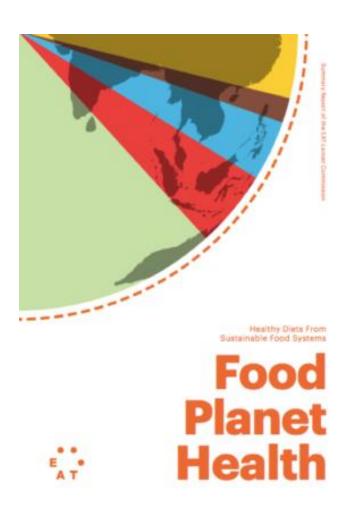
The Planetary Health Plate



Food can fix it

- Youtube 50.54 to 53.06
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6ZU9kQ pXLjA





SO, WHAT'S THE PLAN?

Tameside Food Partnership





- 1. Promoting healthy and sustainable food to the public
- 2. Tackling food poverty and access to affordable healthy food
- 3. Building community food knowledge, skills and projects
- 4. Promoting a vibrant and diverse sustainable food economy
- 5. Transforming catering and food procurement
- 6. Reducing waste and ecological footprint of the food system

Opportunities in Tameside











Next steps



On-line survey

https://www.tameside.gov.uk/foodsurvey

- For all Tameside residents
 16 years and over
- Smart phone compatible
- About 10 minutes
- Please mention to friends and family
- We want to know what Tameside thinks and begin a conversation about better food





Thank you

Please complete our survey

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