



**Home Grown School Feeding**  
*Developing Local Agriculture, Nourishing Young Minds.*

# PCD HG SF interventions in Ghana

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# PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILD DEVELOPMENT

- **Established:1992**
- **Aim:**

Provide School Health and Nutrition Policy and Programme guidance to national governments

- **What we do:**
  - Generate Evidence
  - Disseminate knowledge
  - Provide Technical Assistance
  - Create Partnership



# Aim of PCD HSFP

- to support governments and wider HGSF stakeholders by providing direct, evidence-based and context-specific support and expertise to design and manage school feeding programmes sourced with local agricultural production



# What is HGSSF

- School feeding programmes sourcing from small holder farmers
  - Sourcing from local farmers
  - Promoting agricultural development in rural communities to improve the lives of the small holder farmer
  - Improved education, health & nutrition of school aged children



# Interventions in Ghana (completed)

- Development of TAP
- Retargeting



# On going interventions in Ghana

- Policy development
- Building of M&E systems
- Capacity building
- Impact evaluation
  - *Linking small holder farmers to caterers*
  - Use of micronutrient powders in school feeding
  - Social accountability
  - *Nutrition behaviour change communication*



# On going interventions in Ghana ctd

- Research on strategic gain reserves (SGR)
  - linking smaller farmers to school feeding through SGR
- Nutrition project
  - *Behaviour change communication*
  - *Menu planning*
  - Deworming



# Future interventions

- Interventions are demand driven based on government need
- Always on the look out for partners to collaborate to enhance the support provided to government



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## Downloadable

- Research publications
- Case studies
- Working papers
- News and views

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Home Grown School Feeding (HGSF) website. The header features the HGSF logo and the tagline "Developing Local Agriculture, Nourishing Young Minds." Below the header is a navigation menu with links for Home, User Groups, Thematic Groups, Knowledge Bank, and HGSF Sites. A language dropdown menu is set to English. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column contains a "CONTENTS MENU" with links to Policy and Programme, Operational Support, Monitoring And Evaluation, Register of Experts, News, Events, and Recent Publications. The right column features a "WELCOME TO HGSF-GLOBAL.ORG" banner with the text "Welcome to the Home Grown School Feeding online resource" and a list of resources available on the site. Below the banner are three featured articles: "Sourcing from local farmers", "The school feeding supply chain", and "School health and nutrition". Each article has a small image and a brief description. At the bottom of the page, there is a book cover titled "Home-Grown School Feeding: A Framework to Link School Feeding with Local Agricultural Production" by Francisco Espejo, Carmen Burbano, and Elena Galliano.



THANK YOU



# Questions, comments & suggestions

