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How to prevent choking injuries in pediatric ages

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- Study and prevention of children injuries and malnutrition
- Collaborate in the implementation of appropriate prevention strategies based on evidence



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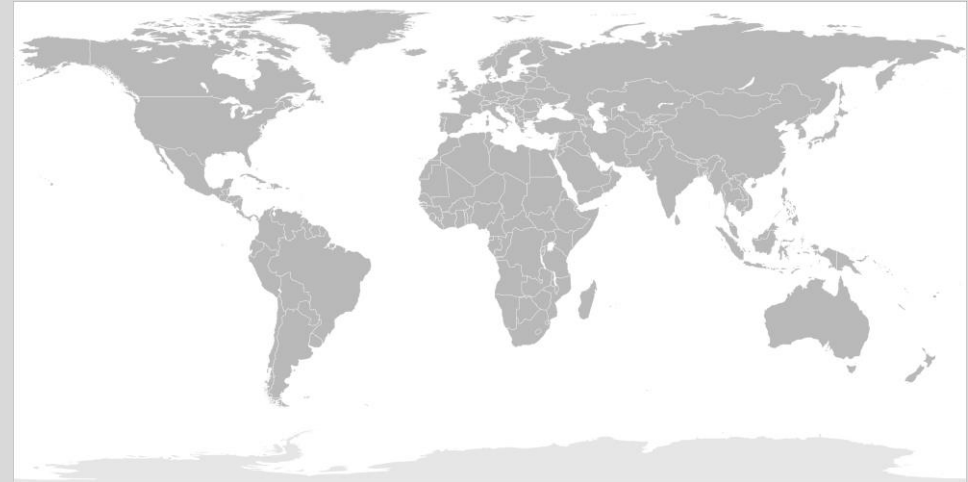
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Prochild Onlus NPO - Collaboration

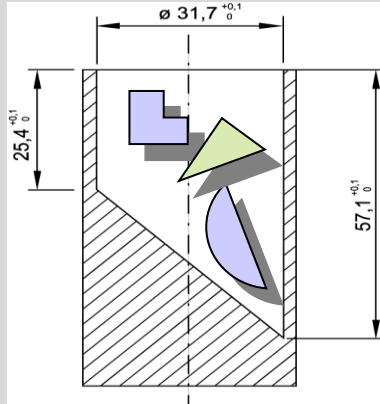


Unit of Biostatistics, Epidemiology and Public Health of the University of Padova: development of projects related to the prevention of injuries and malnutrition

Collaborations with Doctors and centers in different countries of the world



Choking risk from foreign bodies



The small part cylinder was developed in the 1970s by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission



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The Susy Safe project

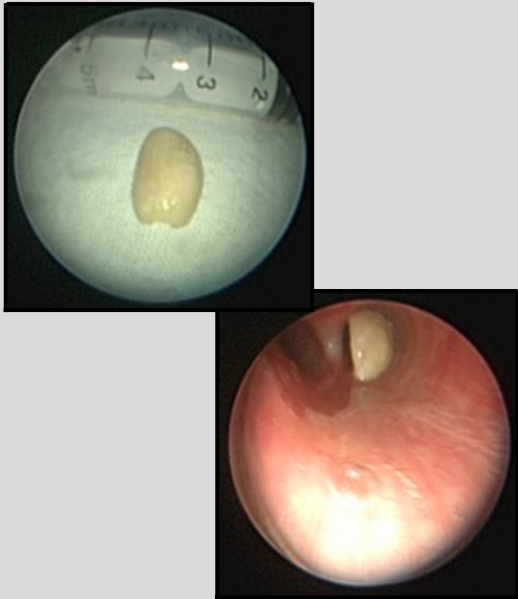
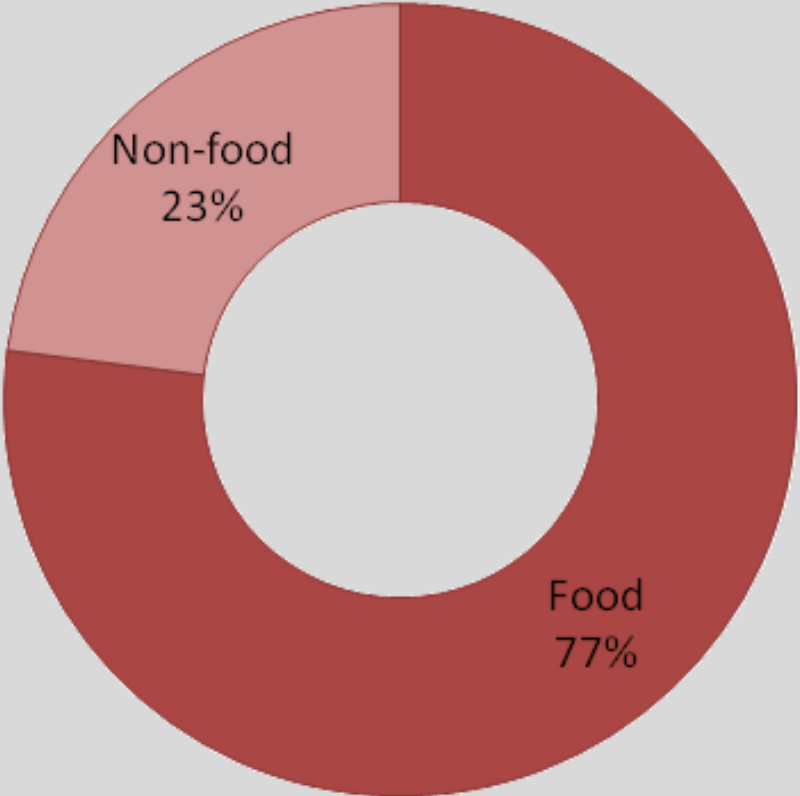
Surveillance System on Foreign Body Injuries in Children

Suffocation due to foreign bodies (FB) is a leading cause of death in children aged 0-3 and it is common also in older ages, up to 14 years. Recent data indicates that the estimated number of incidents per year in children aged 0-14 is in EU of about 50.000, 1% of which are fatal. Among them, about 10.000 accidents involve inorganic objects, in general industrial products, mostly plastic and metal parts, coins, and toys. Out of the estimated 2.000 incidents per year involving toys, the fatalities are about 20.

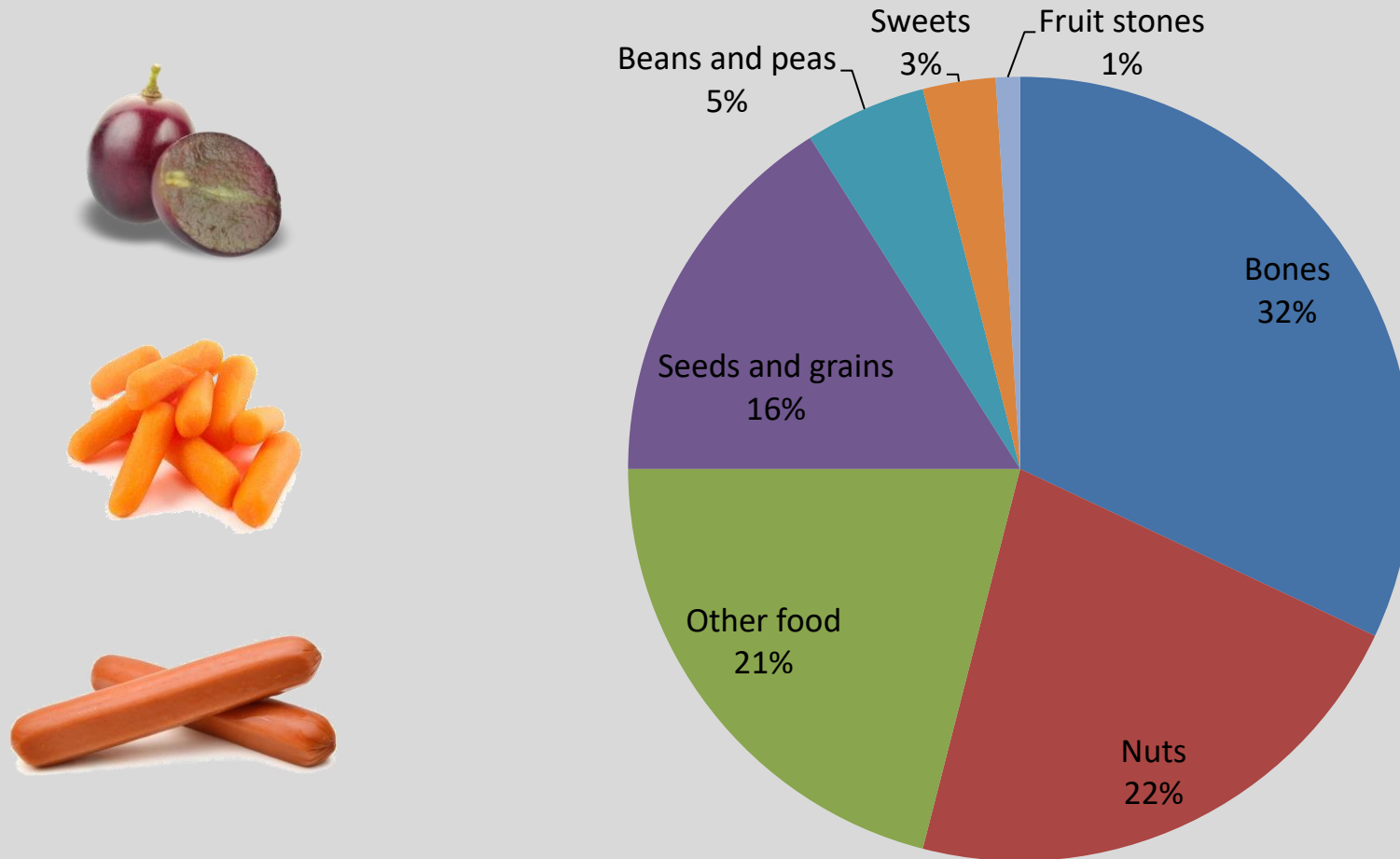
Susy Safe is a surveillance registry for injuries due to food and non-food foreign body ingestion, aspiration, inhalation or insertion (corresponding to ICD9 codes 930 to 939) gathering data from all EU countries and beyond, in order to:

www.susysafe.org

Food choking injuries: one of the leading causes of death in pediatric ages

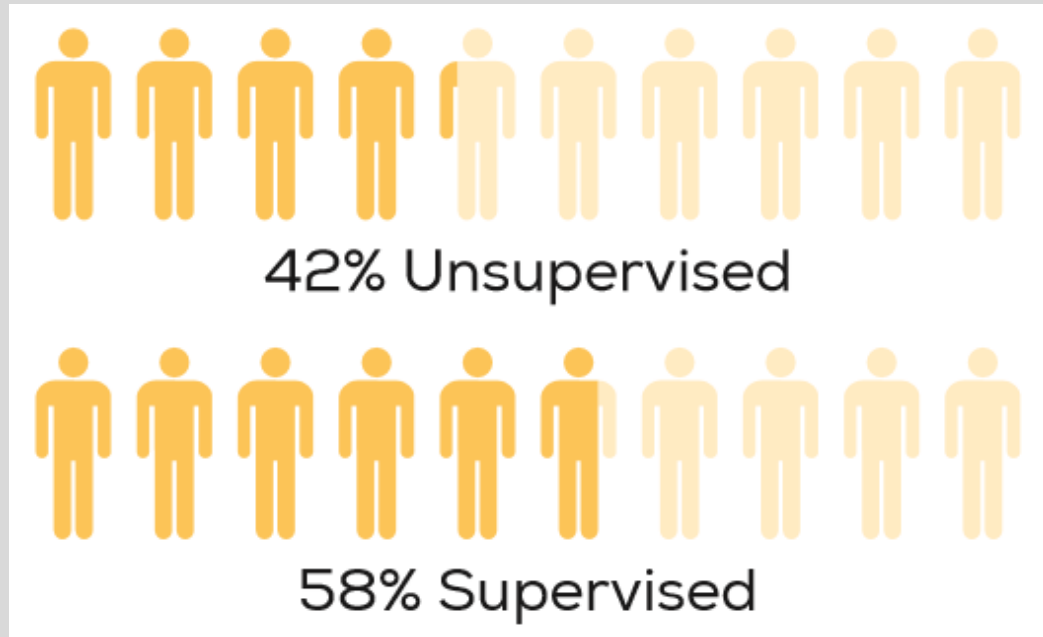


Prochild Onlus NPO – Data from Susy Safe



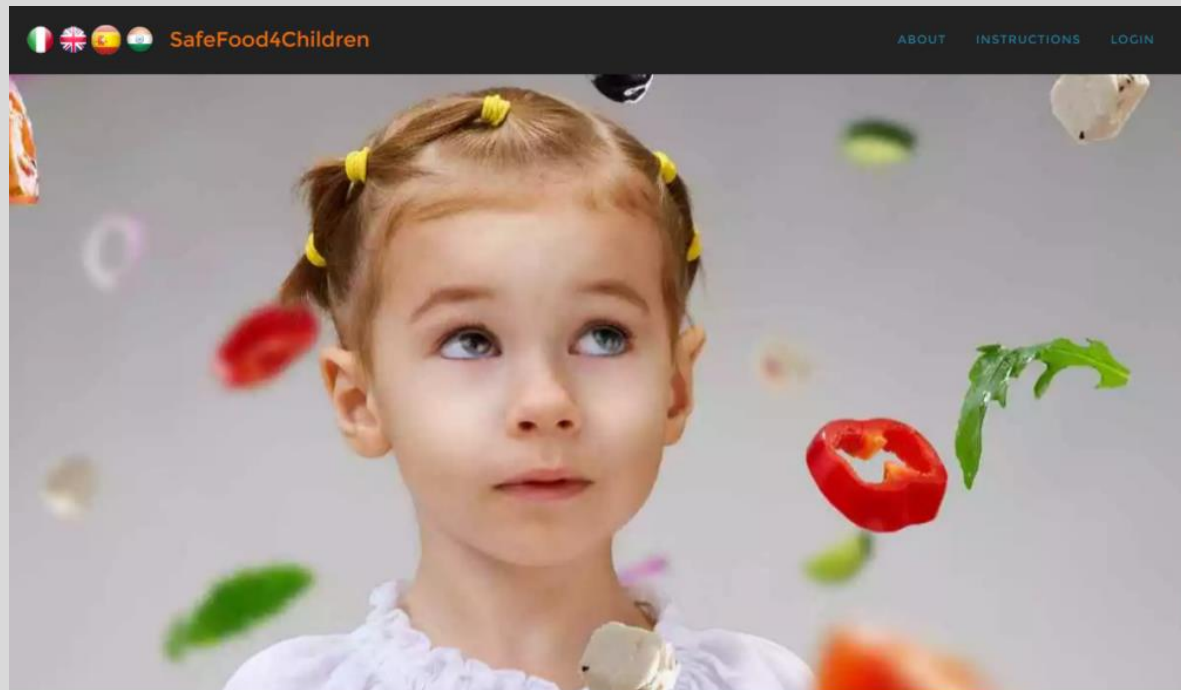
Data provided by the Susy Safe Registry

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- Lack of information
- Need to implement specific educational campaigns
- Need to reach people from diverse ethnic, social and cultural backgrounds

MOOC: a Massive Open Online Course for spreading information



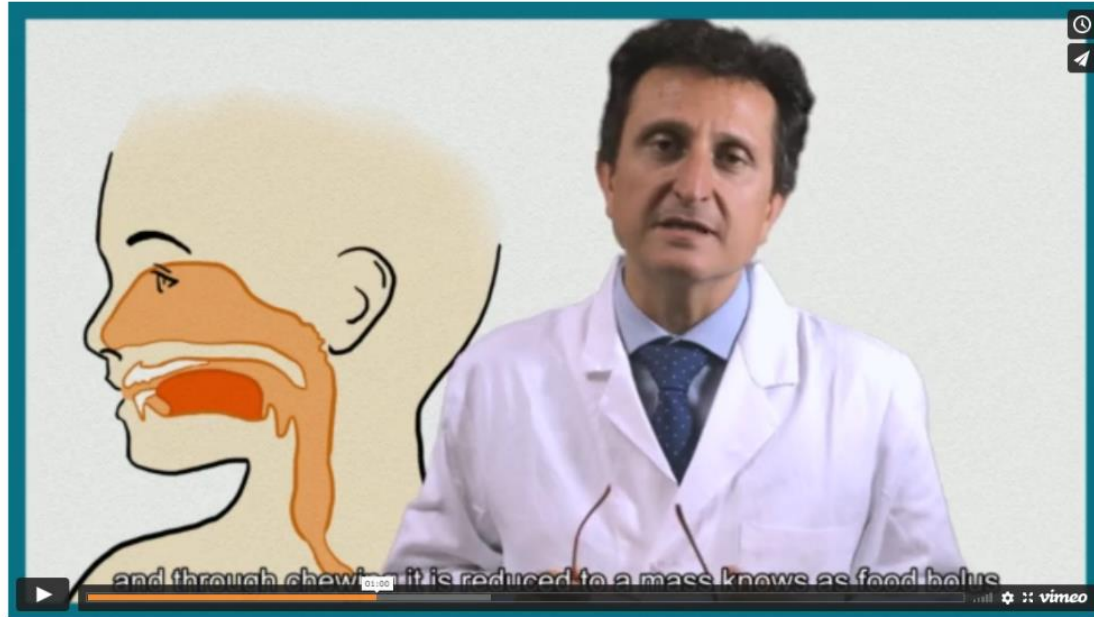
- Accessible: www.safefood4children.org
- Free
- Addressed to all people in contact with children
- Available in many languages and dedicated versions for different countries



MOOC: SafeFood4Children

Lesson 2

With Dr. Norbedo, Pediatrician at the Emergency Room of the Pediatric Hospital "Burlo Garofalo" in Trieste, we learn the mechanism of choking; Dr. Grasso describes the anatomy of the child.



Instructions 1 2 3 4 5

- 5 short informative videos
- Topics: epidemiology, children anatomy, obstruction mechanism (partial and total), child's behavior at the table, food preparation

www.safefood4children.org

MOOC: SafeFood4Children

Lesson 4

How to prepare a safe meal

With Chef Paolo Zoppolatti, we see how to prepare a safe meal



- Recommendations provided by U.S. and Canada International guidelines

- Foods that pose risks: Smooth, round and oval foods; Nuts and similar; Meat and bones; Sausages; Vegetables and Fruit

Instructions

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MOOC: SafeFood4Children

Lesson 5

Final summary

A quick recap to finish this training course for the prevention of choking food



TABLE MANNERS

Stefania Norbedo
Medical Director,
Department of Pediatrics,
Pediatric Emergency,
Hospital Burlo Garofolo in Trieste,
Italy

During the meal the child should not do any other activity but it, neither speak, laugh or run

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- Massive participation could lead to a reduction of the number of injuries
- Easy guidelines and applicable by everyone
- Suitable to be applied to public health campaigns

Info



WEBINAR: "FOREIGN BODY INJURIES IN CHILDREN: ITALIAN AND CHINESE EXPERIENCE"



THURSDAY 15 APRIL 2021 - ZOOM PLATFORM
9.30 - 11 (ITALIAN TIME)
15.30 - 17.00 (BEIJING TIME)



Slides and webinar recording available on:

https://prochild.eu/FB_ch-it.php

Webinar recording :

<https://www.facebook.com/ubesppadova>

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