

Ultra-Processed Food Consumption, Nutritional and Food Insecurity in Brazilian Amazonian Children and Their Mothers

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The investigation of early determinants for the promotion of adequate growth and development remains a major challenge. This webinar will discuss some findings from the ongoing MINA-Brazil study (Maternal-Infant health in Acre).

To our knowledge, among the existing birth cohorts in Brazil and around the world, MINA-Brazil is a unique population-based cohort study in Amazonia with food intake data and nutritional indicators collected in the first 2 years of life for about 1,000 participants. The role of feeding and eating practices in the establishment of a healthy or potentially adverse health profiles will be discussed, with emphasis on the consumption of ultra-processed foods and food insecurity.



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