

## Healthy Living Lab timeline – text version

2010 – Northumbria University and Kellogg’s host the ‘School and Community Breakfast Club: Breakfast on a Plate... Delivery to Impact Conference.

2015 – Research commissioned by Kellogg’s and led by Professor Greta Defeyter identifies that 6/10 parents with household incomes less than £25K are struggling to feed their children outside of term time.

2017 – Findings of the first census of holiday club distribution across England informs the All Party Parliamentary Group white paper on holiday hunger.

2018 – Evidence submitted to the APPG on Hunger by Professor Greta Defeyter lead to the DfE allocating £2m in funding for a series of HAF pilot schemes. Leading to over 280 clubs that reaches over 18,000 children.

2019 – The successful pilot scheme leads to an increase in DfE funding for HAF to £9.1m supporting 50,000 children for 2019 and again in 2020.

2020 – The Healthy Living Lab and Feeding Britain co-host an event to co-develop a HAF framework to support successful delivery, nationally.

2021 - £200 million of funding was awarded by the DfE to all upper tier local authorities in England.

2022 – Professor Defeyter co-authored the English School Food Case Study and the UK School Food Case Study. Northumbria University joins the School Meals Coalition.

2023 – The Healthy Living Lab lead a number of workshops on how the HAF programmes can be refined for 13-16 year olds, leading to a national sprint and a series of HAF Plus pilots.

2024- Northumbria University becomes actively involved in the delivery of the HAF Plus programme providing a schedule of free activities for three local authorities.