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**Nutrition and relevant Health Apps**



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# Experiential Training Session: Content

1. Specific Examples of Nutrition App

2. Real life integrations – Implementation of SMART goals





### Objectives

- ✓ To comprehend in depth the theory and implement it on relevant nutrition apps.
- ✓ To comprehend in depth the usefulness of SMART goals and to be familiar with their utilization.
- ✓ To comprehend, through real-life scenarios and situations, how nutrition apps may enable following healthier dietary habits and may help individuals' health in general.



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## 6 Nutrition and relevant Health Apps

### Competences

- ✓ To equip participants with the skills required to leverage nutrition apps for achieving nutrition-related goals.
- ✓ To enhance the skills needed to make informed decisions about app selection, utilization, and integration into participants' everyday-nutrition, if they wish so.



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## 6.2.1 Specific examples of Nutrition Apps

### Objectives

- To be familiar with the most common types of Nutrition Apps.
- To identify and categorize app's type, main features and sections.
- To be familiar with using an app for the first time.



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## Example 1:

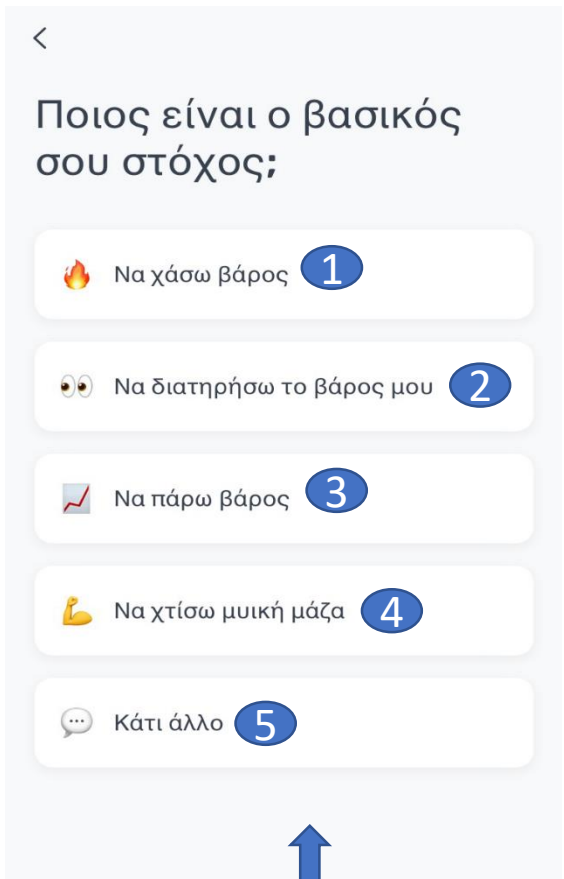
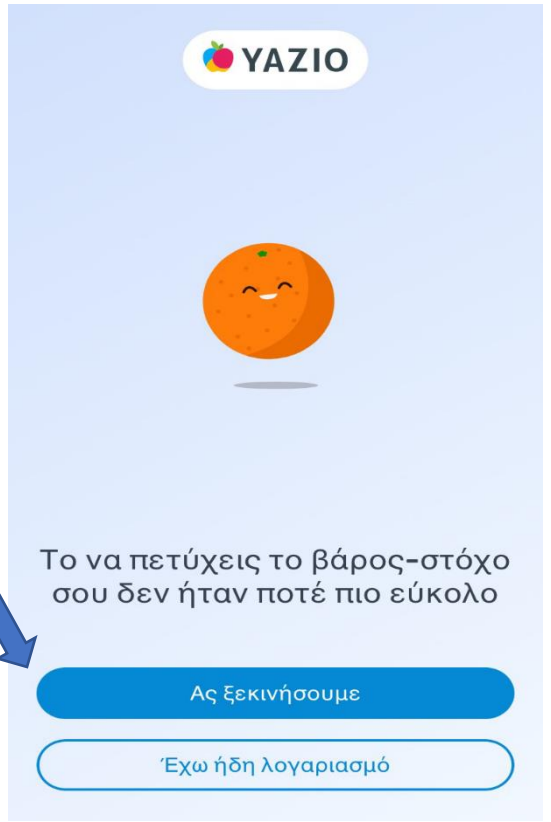
### YAZIO Fasting & Food Trucker (*greek: YAZIO - θερμιδομετρητής*)

Calorie counter and intermittent fasting app that consists of 3 main sections:

- 1. Calorie Counter:** food diary with calorie goals, track of nutritional values & macronutrients, food database, built-in barcode scanner, create meals/meal plans, track steps/activities/ symptoms, water tracker with reminders etc.
- 2. Intermittent Fasting:** fasting timer, fasting & eating reminders, intermittent fasting plans etc.
- 3. Recipes:** new recipes every week, diet-specific recipes (e.g. vegan), grocery list feature, cooking mode to follow recipe instruction etc.



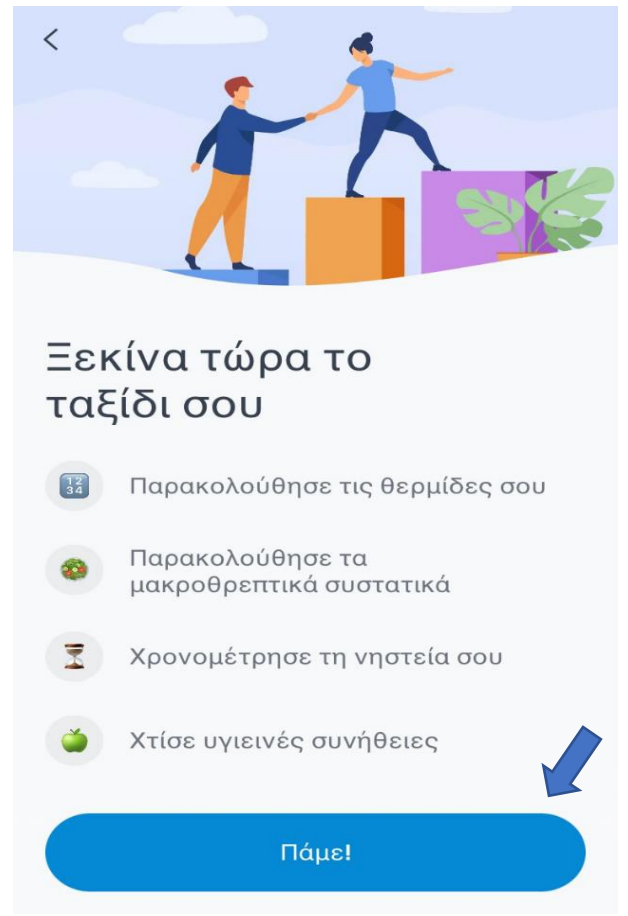
The image popping up when you open the app for the 1<sup>st</sup> time, saying achieving your goal-weight had never been easier.



Choose your main goal

- 1 for weight loss
- 2 for weight maintenance
- 3 for weight gain
- 4 for muscle-mass build up
- 5 for anything else.

Click on the blue button to start your journey by tracking calorie & macronutrients, timing your fasting and building healthy habits.









Decide on what else you want to achieve by clicking on one or more

- 1 for eating healthy
- 2 for having more energy & better mood
- 3 for having motivation
- 4 for feeling better for your body.

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Τι άλλο θα ήθελες να πετύχεις;

- 1  Να τρώω και να ζω πιο υγιεινά
- 2  Να έχω περισσότερη ενέργεια και καλύτερη διάθεση
- 3  Να έχω κίνητρο και συνέπεια
- 4  Να νιώθω καλύτερα για το σώμα μου

Επομενο

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Πώς μπορεί να βοηθήσει το YAZIO;

- 1  **Μέτρηση θερμίδων**  
Διαχειρίσου καλύτερα την καθημερινή διατροφή σου.
- 2  **Παρακολούθηση δραστηριότητας**  
Μείνε υγιής και σε φόρμα όσο μεγαλώνεις.
- 3  **Υγιεινή διατροφή**  
Ανακάλυψε εύκολες και νόστιμες συνταγές.
- 4  **Αναλύσεις και στατιστικά**  
Κατανόησε τις διατροφικές σου συνήθειες.




Επομενο

Select how you want the app to help you by clicking on one or more

- 1 for calorie counting
- 2 for physical activity monitoring
- 3 for healthy recipes
- 4 for providing analytics & stats.

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Πόσα ξέρεις για την υγιεινή διατροφή;

- 1  **Αρχάριος**  
Δεν ξέρω τίποτα για τη διατροφή και χρειάζομαι βοήθεια για να ξεκινήσω.
- 2  **Μέσου επιπέδου**  
Ξέρω λίγα πράγματα για τη διατροφή, αλλά η διαίτά μου χρειάζεται μεγαλύτερη οργάνωση και έλεγχο.
- 3  **Προχωρημένος**  
Ξέρω πολλά για τη διατροφή και απλώς θέλω να βελτιστοποιήσω τις διατροφικές μου συνήθειες.

Choose your knowledge level on healthy nutrition

- 1 for beginner
- 2 for intermediate
- 3 for advanced.



## 6 Σε ποιές συνήθειες θά ήθελες να εστιάσουμε;

- Έλεγχος μερίδων**  
Θέλω να καταναλώνω υγιεινές ποσότητες φαγητού.
- Τσιμπολόγημα**  
Θέλω να τρώω λιγότερο ανάμεσα στα γεύματα.
- Ισορροπία**  
Θέλω να ακολουθώ πιο ισορροπημένη διατροφή.
- Ενυδάτωση**  
Θέλω να πίνω περισσότερο νερό.
- Άσκηση**  
Θέλω να είμαι πιο δραστήριος/α.

Επόμενο

Select on which habits you want to focus on by clicking on one or more:

- 1 for portion size control
- 2 for avoidance of snacking
- 3 for balanced nutrition
- 4 for hydration
- 5 for working out & exercise.

Select on factors holding you from achieving your goals:

- 1 for lack of consistency
- 2 for unhealthy eating habits
- 3 for lack of support
- 4 for a busy schedule
- 5 for lack of inspiration for meal preparation.

### Τι σε εμποδίζει να πετύχεις τους στόχους σου;

- Έλλειψη συνέπειας**
- Ανθυγιεινές διατροφικές συνήθειες**
- Έλλειψη υποστήριξης**
- Φορτωμένο πρόγραμμα**
- Έλλειψη έμπνευσης για τα γεύματα**

Επόμενο

### Ποιο είναι το φύλο σου;

Πρέπει να ξέρουμε το φύλο σου για να υπολογίσουμε με ακρίβεια τον ημερήσιο θερμιδικό σου στόχο.

Γυναίκα  Άντρας

Ποιο φύλο να επιλέξω;

Enter your date of birth, height and gender.

### Πότε είναι τα γενέθλιά σου;

27	Μαΐου	1990
28	Ιουνίου	1991
29	Ιουλίου	1992
30	Αυγούστου	1993
31	Σεπτεμβρίου	1994
1	Οκτωβρίου	1995
2	Νοεμβρίου	1996

Επόμενο

### Πόσο ύψος έχεις;

175

cm  πόδια/ίντσες

Επόμενο





1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	9
	0	✕

## Define your physical activity level:

- 1 for light
- 2 for moderate intensity
- 3 for intense
- 4 for highly intense.

## Πόσο δραστήριος/α είσαι;

Το καθημερινό επίπεδο δραστηριότητάς σου θα μας βοηθήσει να υπολογίσουμε με ακρίβεια τις θερμιδικές σου ανάγκες.

- 1  **Ελαφριά δραστηριότητα**  
Κυρίως κάθομαι, π.χ. υπάλληλος γραφείου
- 2  **Μέτρια δραστηριότητα**  
Κυρίως στέκομαι, π.χ. δάσκαλος
- 3  **Έντονη δραστηριότητα**  
Κυρίως περπατάω, π.χ. σερβιτόρος
- 4  **Πολύ έντονη δραστηριότητα**  
Σωματικά επίπονη εργασία, π.χ. χτίστης

## Ποιο είναι το τωρινό σου βάρος;

Δεν πειράζει αν το μαντέψεις. Μπορείς πάντα να διορθώσεις το αρχικό σου βάρος.

70

κιλά λίμπρες

Επόμενο

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 9 |
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Enter your current weight.

## Ας θέσουμε τον στόχο που σίγουρα θα πετύχεις!

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κιλά λίμπρες

Επόμενο

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Enter your weight-goal.

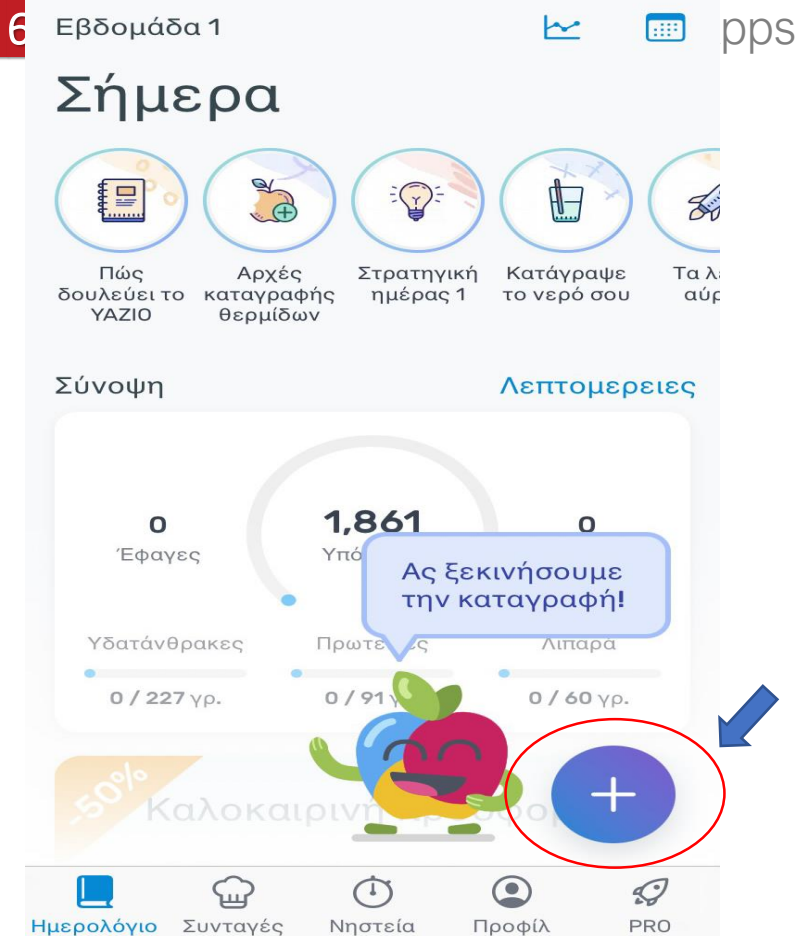
## Specify whether you follow a specific diet by clicking on:

- 1 for eating all group foods
- 2 for being pescatarian (i.e. eating fish but no meat)
- 3 for vegetarian
- 4 for being vegan.

## Ακολουθείς συγκεκριμένη διατροφή;

Θα προσαρμόσουμε τις προτάσεις μας στις προτιμήσεις σου.

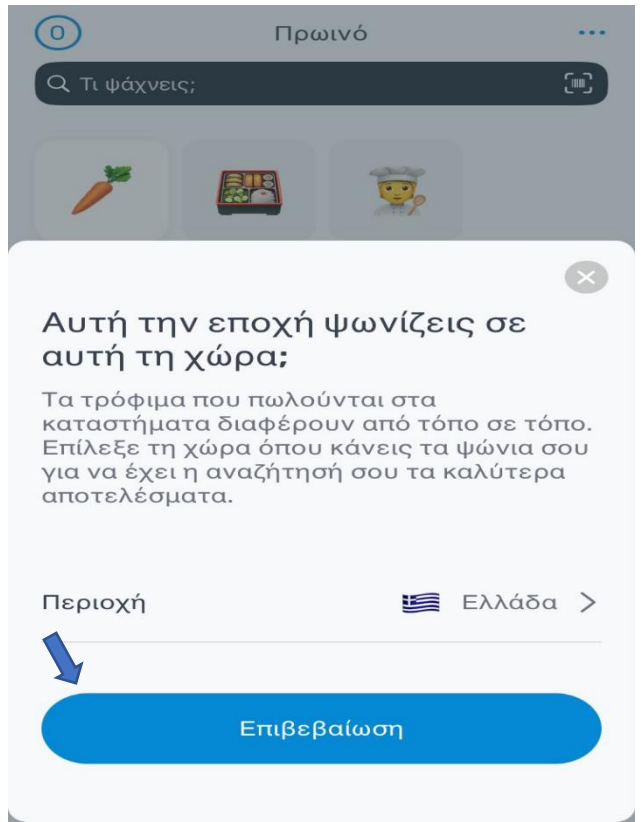
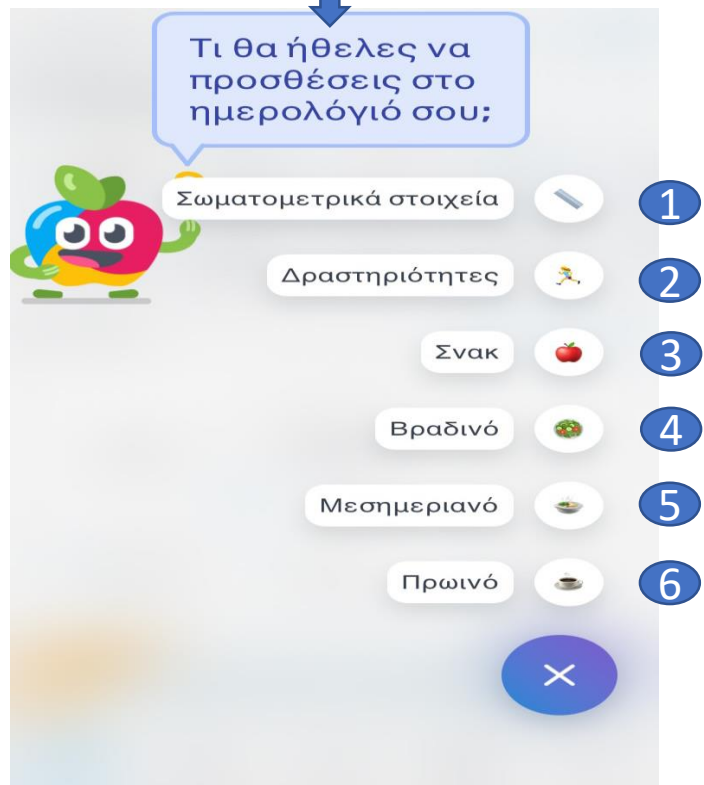
- 1  Κλασική
- 2  Ιχθυοχορτοφαγική
- 3  Χορτοφαγική
- 4  Vegan



The home screen image showing once you complete all previous necessary data entry. The 'apple mascot' is inviting you to start recording by clicking on the + sign.

Select what kind of recording you wish to start entering:

- 1 for height, weight, circumferences
- 2 physical activities
- 3 for snack
- 4 for dinner
- 5 for lunch
- 6 for breakfast.



In case of entering food records, select the country from which you are currently shopping in to 'access' the right food database of the app.

## Example 2:

### Water Reminder - Remind Drink (*greek: Υπενθύμιση νερού – Υπενθυμίστε*)



- A free application with main function to help keep water tracker.
- Main features:
  - Based on gender and weight → let users know how much water should they drink a day.
  - Diverse menu of about 20 different drinks.
  - Choose the amount of water drunk each time.
  - Smart reminder: time mode of going to bed so users do not get drink water reminder.
  - Water tracker by week, month and year in the chart.
  - Achievements to encourage users to accomplish their daily goal set.
  - Allows integration of data into health application.





## 6.2 Nutrition and relevant Health Ap



Το φύλο σας



Αρσενικό



Θηλυκό



Το βάρος σας



60 kg

61 lbs



Ώρα αφύπνισης



03 57  
04 58  
05 59  
06 00  
07 01  
08 02  
09 03

The image popping up when you open the app for the 1<sup>st</sup> time, saying that this app is your personal hydration-companion.

Γεια σου, είμαι ο προσωπικός σου σύντροφος ενυδάτωσης

Προκειμένου να παρέχουμε συμβουλές ενυδάτωσης, πρέπει να λάβω ορισμένα βασικά στοιχεία. Και θα το κρατήσω μυστικό.

ΠΑΜΕ

ΕΠ'ΟΜΕΝΟ

ΕΠ'ΟΜΕΝΟ

ΕΠ'ΟΜΕΝΟ

Enter your gender, weight and time of waking up. Click on the blue button on your right to move on each time.





♀️ 47 kg 06:20 22:00

# Health Apps

Παραλείπτω

Προσωπικό σχέδιο ενυδάτωσης

### Ώρα για ύπνο



19	57
20	58
21	59
22	00
23	01
00	02
01	03



ΕΠΟΜΕΝΟ

Your personal hydration-plan shows your adequate daily water intake



Παραλείπτω

Προσωπικό σχέδιο ενυδάτωσης

Η κατάλληλη ημερήσια λήψη νερού για σας

**2000 ml**

ΕΠΟΜΕΝΟ >

1/4

Enter the time you are going to bed at night.



### Πόσο πρέπει να πίνετε

12 φορές την ημέρα  
167 ml κάθε φορά



ΕΠΟΜΕΝΟ >

2/4

It explains how many glasses of water are required and the quantity needed to meet your adequate daily water intake

The app provides a 'hydration-report' to effectively monitor water intake



Παραλείπτω

Προσωπικό σχέδιο ενυδάτωσης



### Πώς να το παρακολουθείτε αποτελεσματικά

Ελέγξτε την αναφορά ενυδάτωσης και δείτε την αναλογία σας



ΞΕΚΙΝΗΣΤΕ



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The home screen image showing once you complete all previous necessary data entry.



Your water history page. Click on each option to check the stats and diagrams:

- 1 for weekly average intake (ml/day)
- 2 for monthly average intake (ml/day)
- 3 for mean % completion
- 4 for frequency of drinking times

Ιστορικό						
Κυρ	Δευ	Τρί	Τετ	Πέμ	Παρ	Σάβ

- Αναφορά ποτών στο νερό
- Εβδομαδιαίος μέσος όρος 0 ml / ημέρα **1**
  - Μηνιαίος μέσος όρος 0 ml / ημέρα **2**
  - Μέση ολοκλήρωση 0% **3**
  - Συχνότητα ποτού 0 φορές / ημέρα **4**

Ένα υγιές μυαλό και σώμα είναι ενυδατωμένο. Ελάτε και δοκιμάστε!

Click on the 'clock' sign to access your water history.





## 6.2.2

# Real life integrations – Implementation of SMART goals

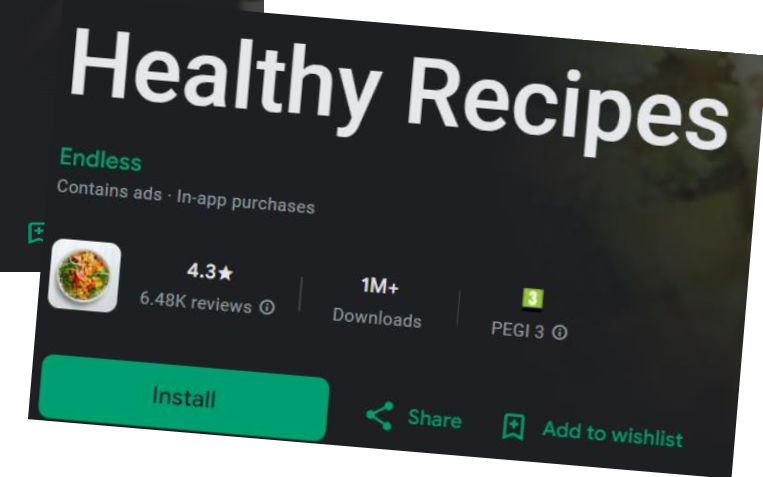
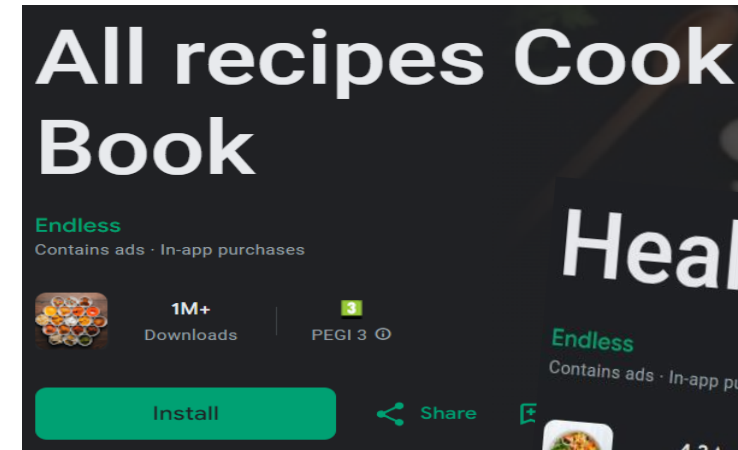
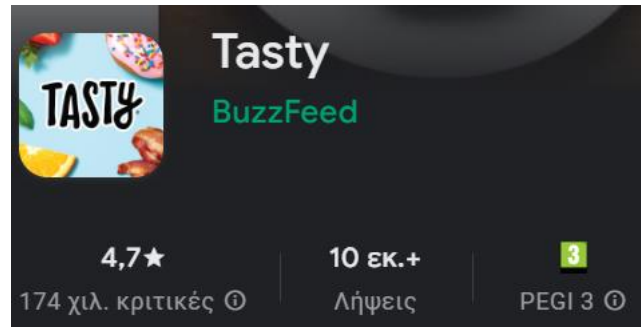
## Objectives

- To provide real-life scenarios of how nutrition apps may enable following healthier dietary habits and may help individuals' health in general.
- To present different real-life scenarios where nutrition apps could be beneficial.
- Learners to set their own nutrition-related SMART goals and intergrade them in nutrition apps.



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### Scenario 1



### Looking for inspiration

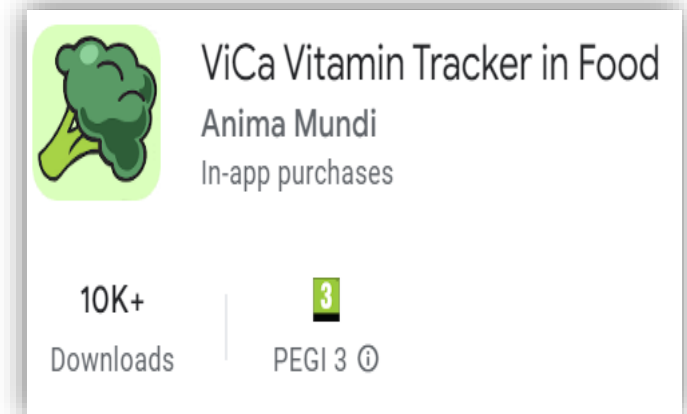
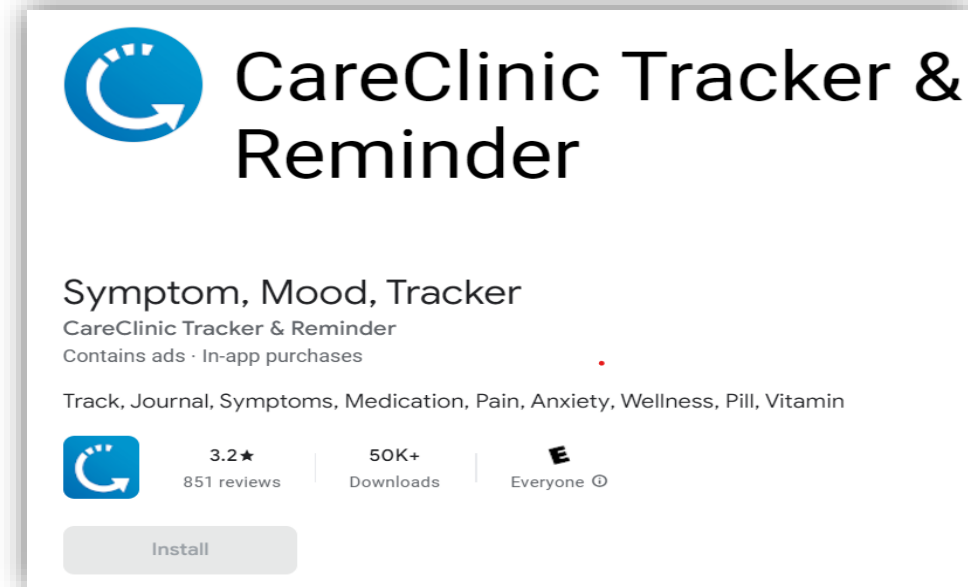
- M.: age 40, working a full-time job, mother of 2 children.
- M. has run out of inspiration for preparing a nice and healthy meal for herself and her children. She is bored of cooking the same options every week and she wants to find new cooking recipes that will be easy to make and will appeal attractive for her children to try.
- M. decides to download a Nutrition App containing healthy delicious recipes from which she gets ideas.



## Scenario 2

### Managing & monitoring a micronutrient deficiency

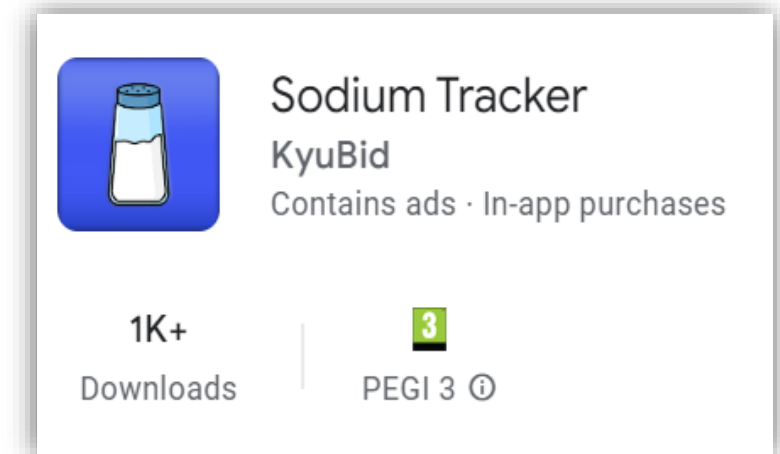
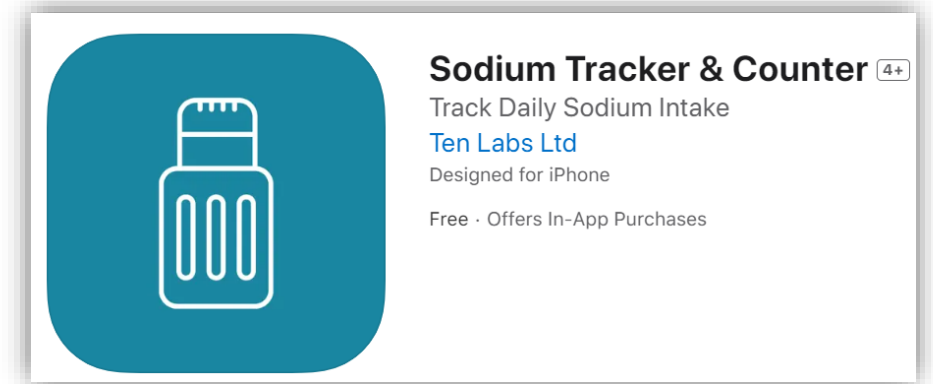
- N.: age 22, student, iron deficiency anaemia diagnosed by her doctor.
- The doctor recommended her starting a daily iron supplement and receiving adequate amount of iron through her dietary intake.
- N. decides to download an app to remind her to take the daily iron supplement and to track her intake of iron (mg) through inserting the foods and drinks she consumes.



## Scenario 3

### Managing Hypertension

- T.: male, age 65, retired, one previous heart attack incidence, diagnosed with hypertension.
- The doctor advised him to decrease the consumption of salty foods and not to exceed the intake of 3g of salt (sodium) daily.
- T. decides to download an app to monitor and calculate his daily sodium intake by entering all the foods he consumes and to discover low-salt options.

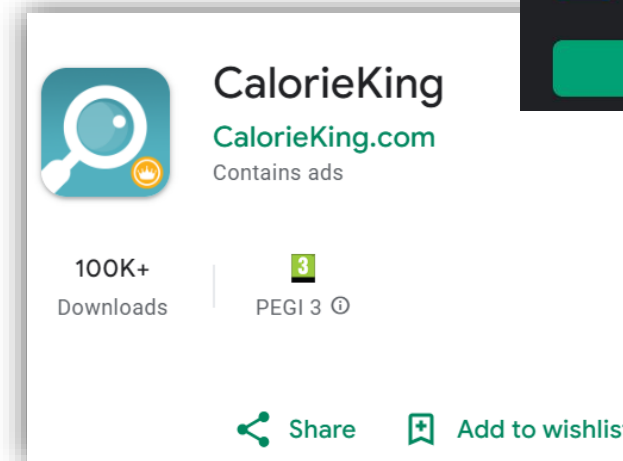
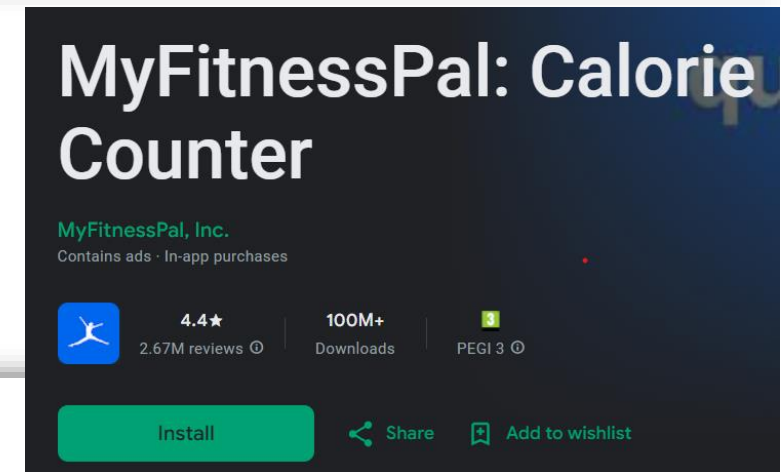
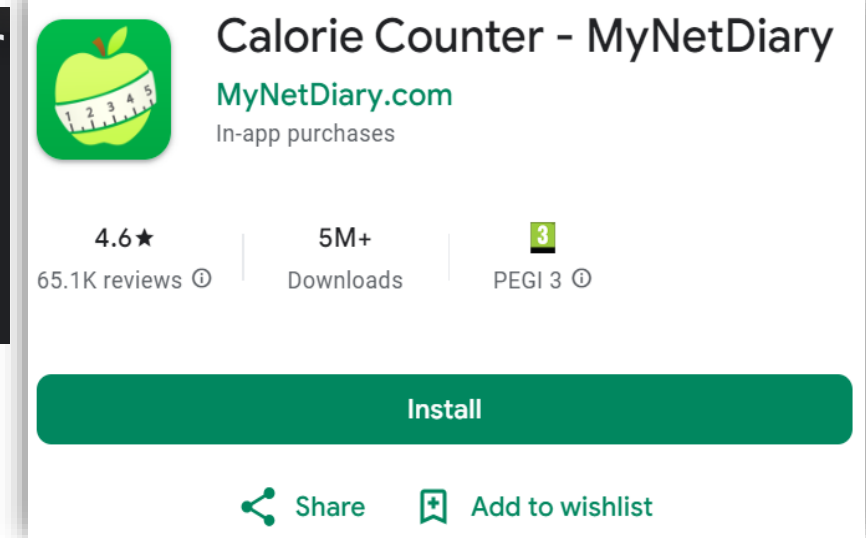
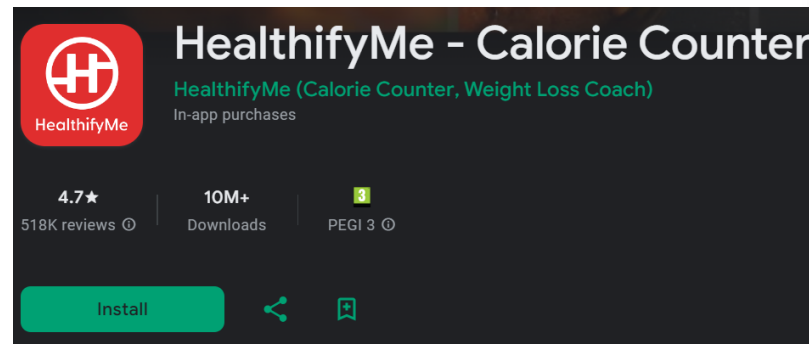




## Scenario 4

### Monitoring calorie to control body weight

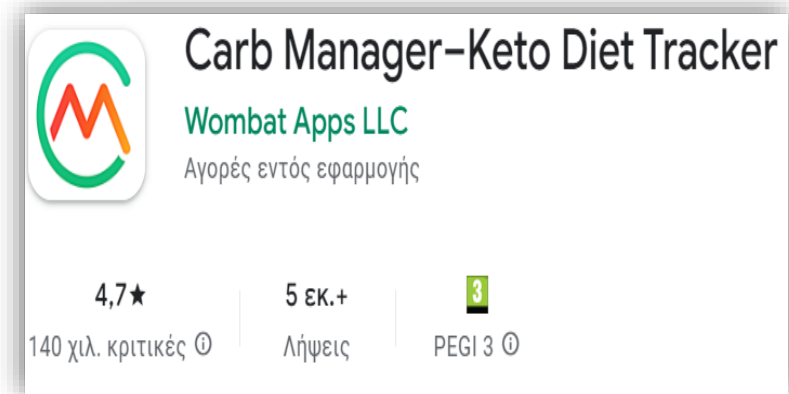
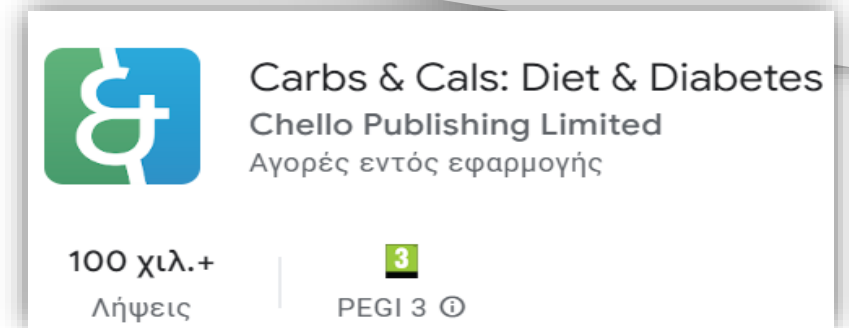
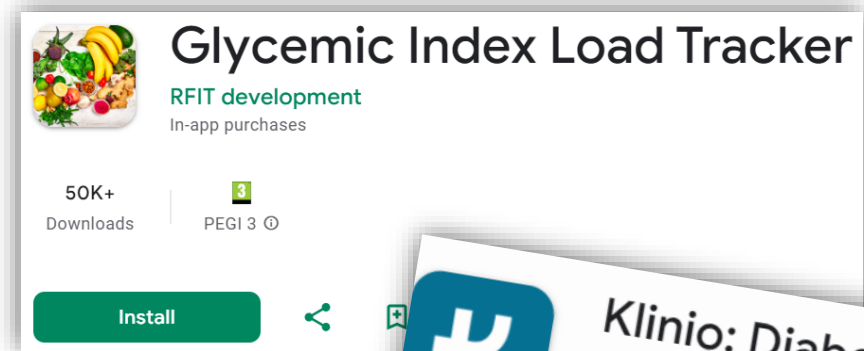
- J.: male, age 35, working part-time.
- He wants to lose weight and his dietitian friend advised him to eat about 2,500 kcals/day in order to start losing 0,5kg/week.
- J. decides to download an app to monitor and calculate his calorie intake by entering each consumed food and beverage.



## Scenario 5

### Managing Diabetes

- K.: female, age 30, diabetes type 1 patient since she was 8 years old.
- Her last blood results show her sugar level is a little off course. Her doctor advised her to pay more attention to the carbohydrates she consumes in each meal in combination to the amount of insulin she injects.
- K. decides to download a nutrition app to track carbohydrate intake of each meal and to find low-carb recipes.



## Scenario X?

## Suggestions?

- Any other scenario that a Nutrition App could be useful?



## Activity: Setting & implementing nutrition-related SMART goals

### Set your own nutrition-related SMART goal

- Share your goal with the rest of the group.
- Check whether it is actually a SMART goal (fulfill prerequisites?).
- Is it related to a specific food group (e.g. fruits), is it related to body weight or a health condition?
- Why did you choose this goal?



## Activity: Setting & implementing nutrition-related SMART goals

### Brainstorm and discuss:

How could you integrate these goals in a nutrition app?

What kind of app will you use to track the progress of your goal?

Is there a difficulty you might face?





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Mobile Health Apps for Migrants

Congratulations!  
You have completed the experiential  
training session of this module!

