

Healthy Campus Case Study





FISU (International University Sports Federation) Healthy Campus Platinum Accreditation

Culture & Communications; Personal &

Professional Development

Name of Institution and Initiative Lead

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Date, timeframe and reach

2023 - 2025

Aims and Objectives

The aim of this project was to achieve FISU Healthy Campus Platinum Accreditation for TU Dublin across all 5 campuses.

Aligned Frameworks, Polices, or Strategies

This project required evidence of meeting 7 criterion to be submitted including

- 1. Physical Activity & Sport
- 2. Nutrition
- 3. Disease Prevention
- 4. Mental & Social Health
- 5. Risk Behaviour
- 6. Environment Sustainability & Social Responsibility
- 7. Healthy Campus Management

As an international accreditation process it provided a good fit with the HEA Healthy Campus Charter and Framework, other national policies and University policy development and practices.

Tobacco Free Campus; Physical Activity/ Active

Transport; Wellbeing on the Curriculum

Project Collaborators

Internal stakeholders included Healthy Campus, Sustainability, Sport, Chaplains, Campus Planning & Estates, Employee Engagement, Student Success & Engagement, Students Union, Staff Unions, Professional Services Staff and Faculty Members, Clubs & Societies, People Development, Student Health Centres, Counsellors, Green Campus, Volunteering & People Organisation & Culture. External stakeholders included the HSE, Slaintecare, Empower, Tallaght and Clondalkin Anti-Drugs & Alcohol Taskforce, Tobacco Free Ireland, Irish Heart Foundation, Sport Ireland, Healthy Ireland, HEA Healthy Campus, Department of Health.

Key Learning Points

Financial and staff resources are critical to making projects like this happen, along with planning and collaboration, which take time, but are key to engagement and success.

Healthy Campus ProcessWhole Campus ApproachTopicPopulation GroupCommit; Coordinate; Consult;
Create; Celebrate & ContinueLeadership, Strategy & Governance; Campus
Environment (Facilities & Services); CampusSubstance Misuse; Healthy Eating /Food; Mental
Health & Wellbeing; Sexual Health and Wellbeing;Staff; Students

