



Mizzou Advantage
University of Missouri

Food Production

- Ranked in the top 10 nationally and top 15 internationally in Plant and Animal Sciences impact
- Home to some of the world's top scientists in wheat, corn and soybean research
 - Growing emphasis in genomics
- MU has 21 research farms, centers and forests that cover more than 14,500 acres



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Food Systems

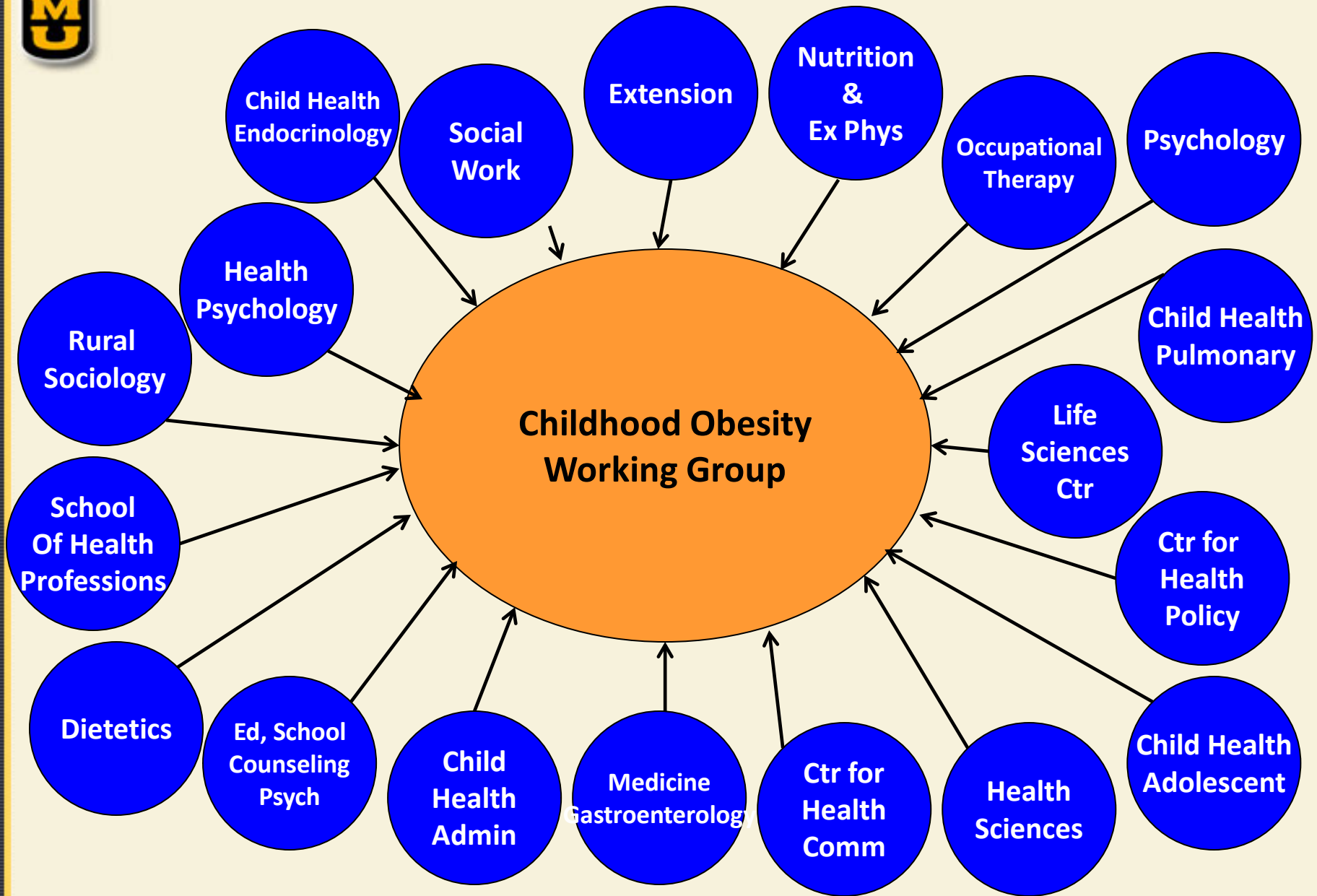
- Food Systems Network
 - Lead by Donna Mehrle and Mary Hendrickson
 - 35-plus member units
 - Green Food Panels
 - 4 panels held here on campus
 - USDA AFRI Food Security Conference Grant
 - In review
- Globalizing GICL (Graduate Institute of Cooperative Leadership)



Food & Health

- Childhood Obesity Network
 - Lead by Janet Farmer
 - 24-plus member units
 - Childhood Obesity Symposium
 - October 10, 2013
 - Dr. David Williams, Harvard University
 - November 17-18
 - “Making America Healthier: What Can Each of Us Do?”





Food & Health



Food & Society

- Food, Fuel & Society
- Food & Society
- Nutrition 101
Interactive Theatre
- Corp of Discovery opera



Food for the Future Faculty Hires

- Christine Elsik
 - Computational Biologist & Bioinformatics, genome sequencing and annotation
 - Plant & Animal Sciences
- Elizabeth Parks
 - Nutrition & Exercise Physiology, Child Health & Internal Medicine
 - Food intake, lipid absorption, obesity-related disorders



Thank You

Any Questions?

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