What's the difference between the Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee Report & the Dietary Guidelines for Americans?

COMMITTEE REPORT VS DIETARY GUIDELINES



An overview of the latest available science or a variety of nutrition topics

WHAT IS IT?



Recomendations on what the average American should eat and drink to promote health and prevent chronic disease



The Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee, a balanced group of nutrition science experts

WHO WRITES IT?



U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)



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WHO IS THE AUDIENCE?



Nutrition policymakers and health professionals

HOW IS IT USED?



Informs USDA and HHS as they develop



Used as the basis for federal nutrition policy; built on by medical professionals to meet specific needs; developed into nutrition resources for the general public; and much more