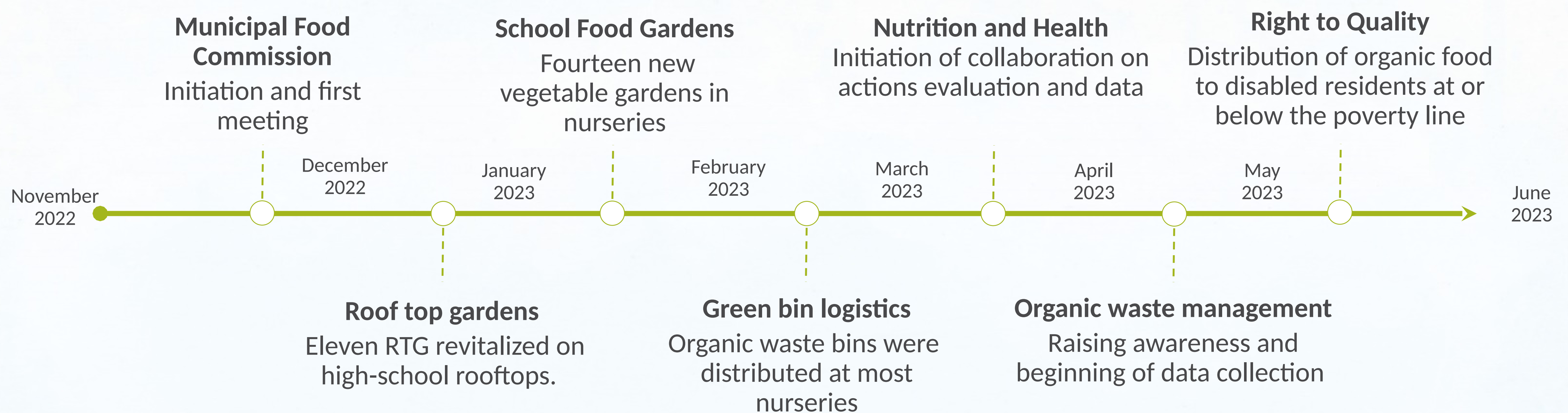


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Athens



CIA



Nutrition and Health Program

The Municipal Clinics and Public Health Directorate operate the Nutrition and Health Program. Citizens meet with nutritionists on a regular basis to improve their dietary habits to tackle diet related non-communicable diseases. Collaboration with the directorate is being initiated to collect data in order to obtain useful conclusions on the results of the action, and explore complementary actions.

PIA



Nursery Vegetable Gardens

The "Seed to fork" programme continues in Municipal Nurseries with great success. Fourteen (14) new gardens have been developed, reaching a total of 21 (30% of nurseries now have a food garden).

GIA



Municipal Food Commission

The Municipal Food Commission was launched on December 2022, introduced sustainable food policy and established linkages among municipal directorates, departments and organisations. Collaborations were initiated since then on a one to one or one to many basis. Members of the MFC met in March 2023 to discuss related issues and the evolution of the action plan for the next six months.

DIA



Quality food distribution channels

Right to Quality – A distribution scheme of organic food to 150 disabled citizens at, or below, the poverty line was introduced in 2022 and is being implemented again by Athens Development and Destination Management Agency as of the beginning of May 2023.

In parallel the mapping of open-air markets, sustainable food outlets and regional producers is carried out, in order to be incorporated in Athens Food Portal.

WIA



Organic waste management

The Cleaning-Recycling Directorate has performed more than 100 raising awareness events-visits to hotels, restaurants, supermarkets, hospitals, army camps, state buildings, schools, municipal nurseries and food festivals on organic waste management and collection.

Organic waste bins have been placed at Municipal Nurseries and nursery staff, educators and children have been educated on organic waste collection and composting.

