

Health Insurance Organization: 22% of elementary school students suffer from anemia, 7% from stunting and 15% from obesity

The Health Insurance Organization has carried out medical tests for 40,000 students from 81 elementary schools. About 22% of the screened students have been diagnosed with anemia and 7% with stunting, while 15% of the students are obese, according to the organization. Prevalence rates were significantly higher among male students than females.