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Empl called for more appreciation of healthy food and its producers, the farmers: "As a representative of agriculture and as a representative of health insurance, I say: people, buy from the producers! Buy unprocessed products! Then you will live healthier, you will be better off and so will the farmers and horticulturists." He suggested that all children should be taught how to cook. This would serve to promote independence, life skills and, last but not least, health. On top of that, it is communicative. In addition, children should be shown much more about how food is produced.

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This also promotes judgement and connects people. It literally creates a nurturing connection to the land and the people who cultivate it.

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