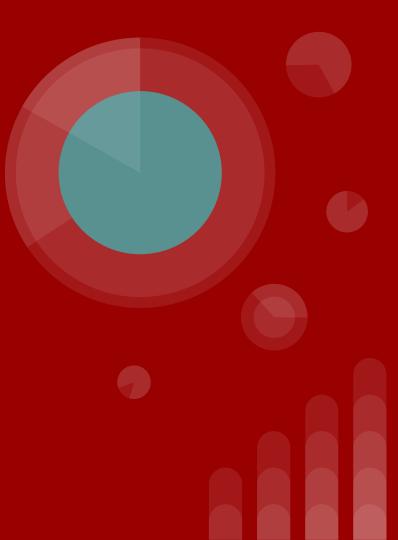
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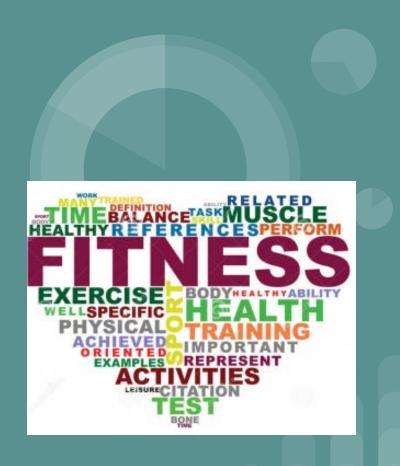
Health

Why is health important?

Challenges

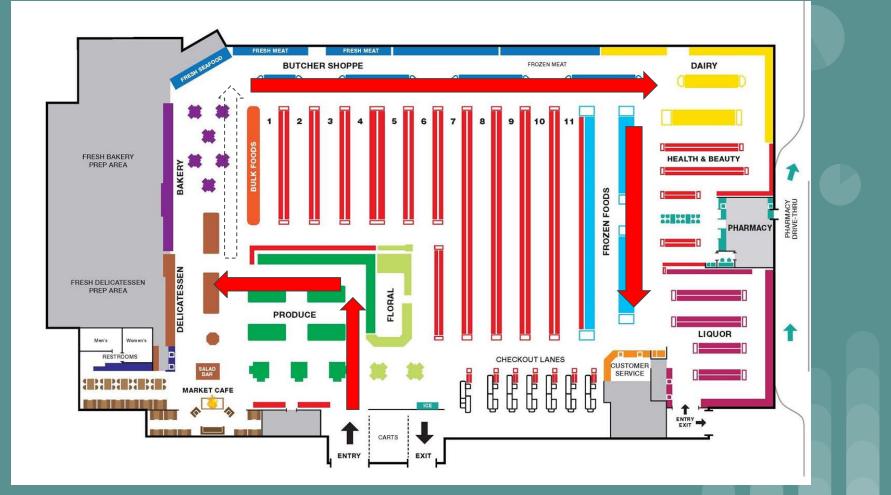
Motivation

Consistency



Nutrition What to buy and why

- 1. Navigating the grocery store
 - Navigate the periphery
 - Don't shop when you're hungry
- 2. Fruit: fresh or frozen are best
- 3. Vegetables: fresh or frozen are best
- 4. Protein: lean, bake don't fry
- 5. Grains: least processed, frozen
- 6. Dairy: no skim
- 7. Others: add spices



Specific Recommendations

- Try 1 new healthy food each week or every few days.
- Plan and prepare meals/snacks ahead of time
 Chop and store veggies for later
- Remove temptations from your home, desk, car, purse, etc.
- Coconut water instead of commercial hydration drinks
- Reduce overall sugar intake

Physical Activity Things to do at home

 Safety and precautions • Workout with a partner • Do not overexert yourself • Consistency Special equipment not always required



Cardio Improves:

- Blood flow to muscles
- Mental clarity
- Heart health

Recommendations:

- 3-5 times per week
 - At least 30 minutes per session
 - Challenging effort, yet still able to hold a conversation
- Examples brisk walking, jogging, cycling, swimming, playing basketball or soccer











Strength Training

- Pain tolerance
- Brain function and mood
- Sleep
- Muscle tone

Recommendations:

- 2-3 times per week
 - Functional exercises
 - No bearing down





Equipment:

• Bodyweight, therabands, weights, kettlebells









Core Strength Improves:

- Balance and coordination
- Breathing
- Stability

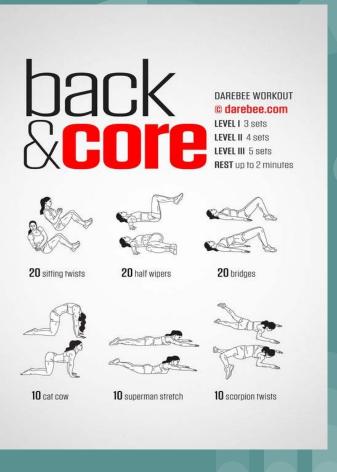
Recommendations:

- 4-5 times per week
 - At least 5 minutes per session
 - Variety of exercises
 - Do not strain the neck









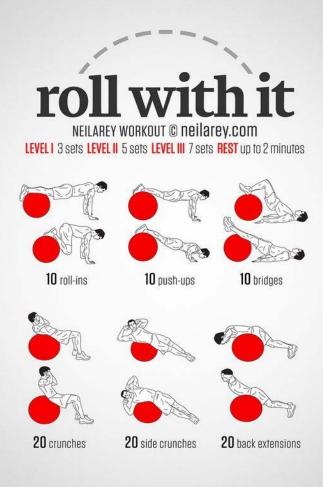
Flexibility and Stability

Considerations:

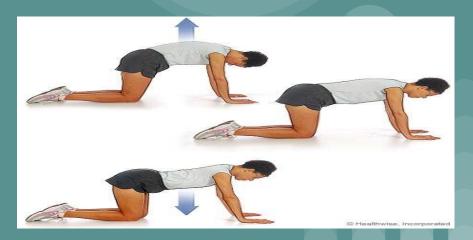
• For those who have hyperflexible joints, focus on stability

Recommendations:

• Incorporate these exercises into your daily routine







Thank You!

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