

Staying Active as a Family

It's not always easy to prioritize physical activity. We all have busy schedules, and it can feel like there is never enough time. Here are a few simple ways to get the whole family active while still making the most of your time together.

- Go to the park. Make their play time your workout time. While your child is playing basketball, find a spot to sit and stretch. Other parents may even join you.
- Make chores fun. Assign tasks, turn on music, and set a timer. Who says cleaning up needs to be boring?
- Celebrate spring weather by planning outdoor activities, like a family hike to a local park.
- Turn screen time into gym time. For example, do a set of 10 crunches, 5 push-ups, and 20 jumping jacks during every commercial break.

Taking small steps like these can make sure that your family gets the recommended amount of daily physical activity needed to stay healthy.



Love the Body You're In: An Exercise in Body Positivity

It's important to train your mind to think more positively about your body. Try this mental exercise to help you reach your health and wellness goals!

Preparation: Take the time to prepare your mind for a positive change. This will set the tone for your success.

Ask yourself: What do I like about my body? Am I listening to my body? What is it saying?

Reflect on your answers, and then set goals based on them.

Practice: Depending on your goals, develop new habits for healthy thinking. This can include complimenting or rewarding yourself for taking care of your body. For example: *The outfit I have on today is flattering. The smoothie I had for lunch gave me a lot of energy.* Repeat this practice of highlighting what is good about your body, and your mind will naturally adjust.

Patience: Strengthening your mind takes time and discipline. Take note of every success, big or small, to keep you motivated.

Learning to appreciate your body and what it can do will help you reach and maintain your health goals.

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