

## HEALTHY AG WELLNESS CHALLENGE

## **Challenge Details:**

- What steps are you taking to age well? It is never too late to make healthy habit changes so that you can live a longer, healthier life & reduce your risk for the most common, costly, and preventable health problems – such as heart disease, stroke, depression, cancer, type 2 diabetes, and obesity.
- Circle, "X," highlight, or add your initials for awareness of how many days you've participated in the Healthy Aging Challenge.





## "Prevention is better than cure."

Desiderius Erasmus						
Stay hydrated - aim for 8 glasses of water a day	Get 7-9 hours of sleep tonight	Exercise for 30 minutes - cardio, strength, stretching	Switch to whole grains	Take the stairs instead of the elevator	Say hello to an old friend	Try a new vegetable
No alcohol	Stretch before bed	Eat a meal with all 5 main nutrients (fruits, veggies, protein, grains, dairy	Make a lean fish for lunch or dinner	Read a book	Get your dose of iron! Try spinach, dried beans, apricots, and more	Go to lunch or dinner with a friend or family member
Take a hot bath, shower, or foot soak 90 minutes before bed	Make all meals and snacks at home today	Laughing can reduce inflammation in arteries. Watch a funny video!	Make a sleep diary!	Connect with relatives and determine your family's health history	Get our of bed and try a relaxation method if cannot fall asleep in 20 min	Pick a healthy alternative for a regular snack or
Do 30 minutes of healthy activity	Keep bedroom cool and dark when going to bed	Schedule an annual wellness visit	Try a sleep- inducing snack: banana, turkey, almonds, whole wheat bread, milk	Try to avoid processed/ added sugars	Receive the flu shot this year	meal Practice Meditation or Yoga
		Substitute for	Namelania			



Substitute for Walk in leaner meats place while (turkey, watching tv chicken)

Number of Challenges **Completed:** 



Great job on tracking healthy aging habits! Thank you for your participation!

Set a goal for a

healthy lifestyle

change