HEALTY HINTS

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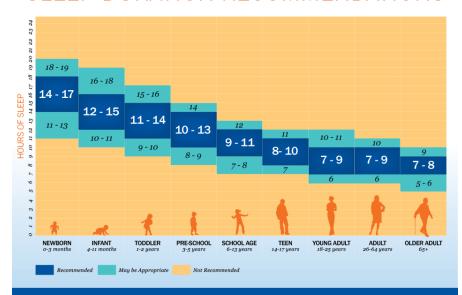
WEEK THREE-Personal Well-being Challenge: SLEEP

Your body and mind need time to RE-CHARGE!

It is important to pay attention to your own individual needs by assessing how you feel on different amounts of sleep.



SLEEP DURATION RECOMMENDATIONS



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Hirshkowitz M, The National Sleep Foundation's sleep time duration recommendations: methodology and results summary, Sleep Health (2015). http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.sleh.2014.12.010

- Are you productive, healthy and happy on seven hours of sleep? Or does it take you nine hours of quality ZZZs to get you into high gear?
- Do you have health issues such as being overweight? Are you at risk for any disease?
- Are you experiencing sleep problems?
- Do you depend on caffeine to get you through the day?
- Do you feel sleepy when driving?

These are questions that must be asked before you can find the number that works for you.

https://sleepfoundation.org/how-sleepworks/how-much-sleep-do-we-reallyneed/page/0/2

7 Tips for BETTER Sleep.

- 1. Stick to a sleep schedule.
- 2. Pay attention to what you eat or drink.
- 3. Create a bedtime ritual.
- 4. Get comfortable.
- 5. Limit daytime naps.
- 6. Include physical activity into your routine.
- 7. Manage Stress.

http://www.mayoclinic.org/healthy-lifestyle/adult-health/in-depth/sleep/art-20048379

