

Agenda

- Check-in
- The Why of Physical Vitality
- A holistic view of Physical Vitality
- Every little bit counts
- The Nudge habit change strategy
- Fitness (VO2Max)
- Q&A











ACCOUNTABILITY PARTNERSHIPS



If your partner is physically active

you are 5 times more likely to become physically active as well!

Goal achievement probability:

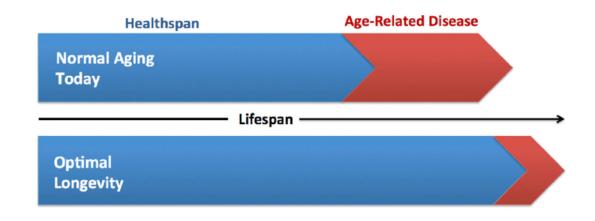
- Having an idea or goal: 10%
- Consciously deciding that you will do it: 25%
- Deciding when you will do it: 40%
- Planning how to do it: 50%
- Committing to someone that you will do it: 65%
- Having a specific accountability appointment with someone you've committed to: 95%

Homework for next two weeks:

- Read the <u>Activate and accountability partnership</u> <u>lesson</u>
- Find one or more accountability partner(s)
- Have your first accountability get-together and agree on how you will work together
- Prepare to share you experience in Webinar 3

Why invest in physical vitality?

Physical vitality is considered one of the core pillars of health, mental wellbeing, healthspan & longevity.





Why invest in physical vitality?

- Prevent or treat chronic health conditions (diabetes, CVD, obesity, cancer)
- Boost mood through the release of feel good hormones, endorphins, helps to combat depression and anxiety and provides a stress relief.
- Improve sleep, recovery, energy
- Higher heart rate variability = better resilience
- Quality time to connect with whānau, friends, workmates
- Reduce the risk of injuries
- Weight management, lean muscle mass, bone strength
- Enhance performance & productivity





What is physical vitality?



Cardiovascular fitness



Strength



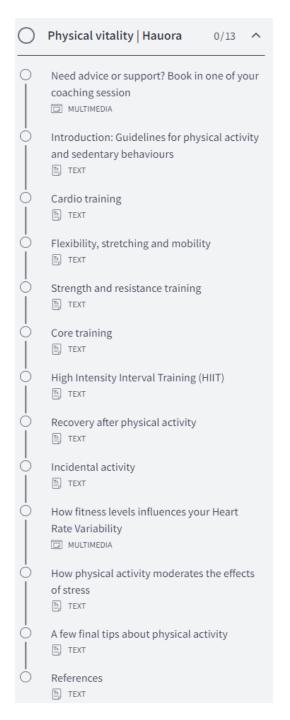
Mobility





WHO guidelines

WHO GUIDELINES ON PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND **SEDENTARY BEHAVIOUR** World Health Organization



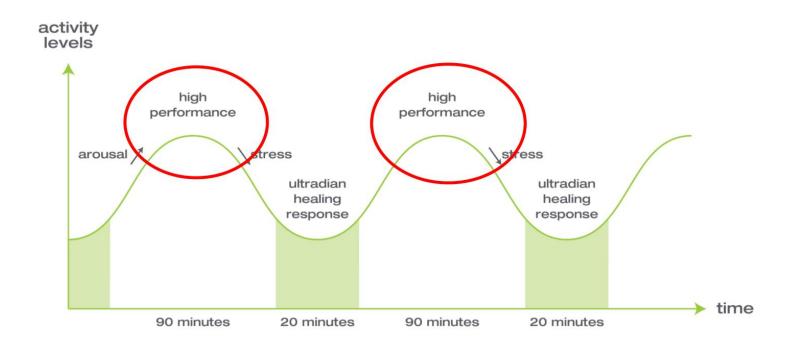


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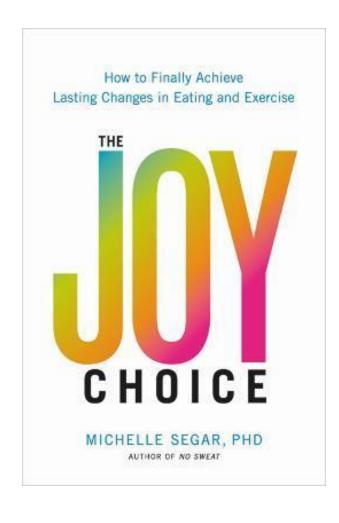
If nothing else...







What you enjoy, you sustain







Key points



Start building more movement into your day, one step at a time.

The focus here is on "direction" not "destination"

Pick activities you enjoy!

Every incremental change is a win, use these wins as energy for further boosting your physical vitality

Small changes form a wonderful nudge for other healthy behaviours to follow

Sign up for an event with others so you have another powerful reason to get more active



LEVERAGE THE POWER OF NUDGE

A nudge is any aspect of a choice architecture that alters people's behaviour in a predictable way without forbidding any options or significantly changing their economic incentives. To count as a nudge, the intervention must be easy and cheap to avoid. Nudges are not mandates. Mandates we fight and resist, a gentle nudge with freedom of choice we welcome.



NUDGE ACTIVITY

Work through these four steps

- A new physical vitality practice (or experiment / trial)
- 2. When you will start this practice
- 3. One (or a few) creative nudges that will make doing the new practice a breeze
- 4. How you will hold yourself accountable to start when you say you will start the practice

Be prepared to share your new practice and creative nudge(s)

Cardiovascular fitness

Well-being, health, life quality

10% increase in VO2max -> Mortality risk down by 15% and 10 more years of good quality life

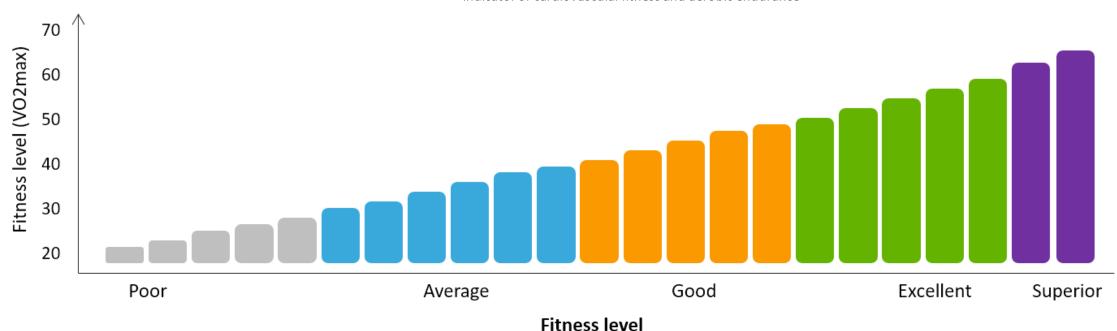
Recreational performance

Increase VO2max by 5% -> run 10km 5min faster

Top performance

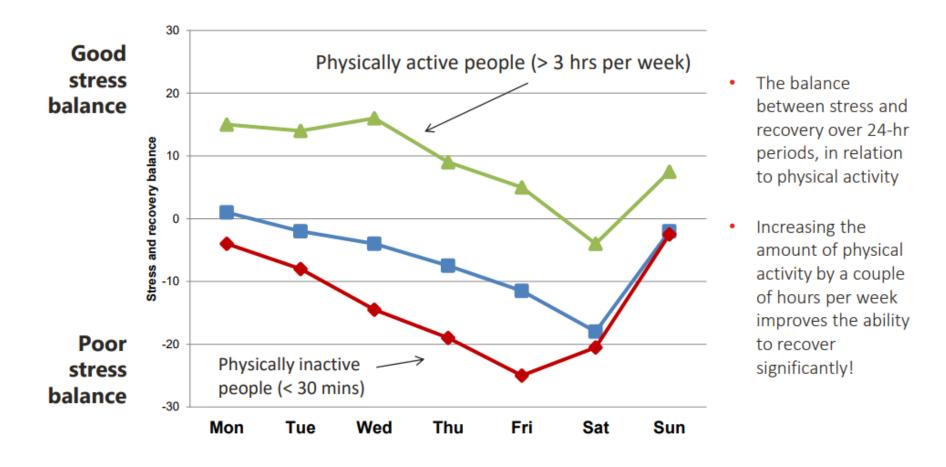
Increase VO2max by 2% -> Win instead of 10th place

VO2 max, or maximal oxygen consumption, refers to the maximum amount of oxygen that an individual can utilize during intense or maximal exercise. This measurement is generally considered the best indicator of cardiovascular fitness and aerobic endurance





Better fitness = improved capacity for recovery



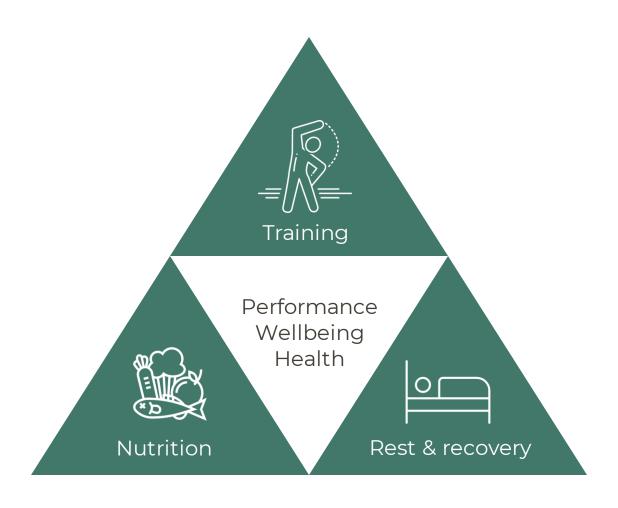


Fitness development for different fitness levels

Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	Superior
Even a small increase	Your fitness will	To improve your	Improving your fitness	Improving your fitness	To further improve
in daily activity will	improve with light	fitness, sometimes you	requires some physical	requires diverse	your fitness, you need
improve your fitness.	physical activity.	need to change the	activity almost daily	training, alternating	to train hard and
		intensity from light to	and will need to	between easier and	systematically
Aim for some daily	Try to do some light	moderate.	include strenuous	harder workouts and	alternate between
physical activity, you	physical activity every		exercise regularly.	good management of	hard and easy
can start with 10-	day, for example in 10-	Do some physical		the overall load.	workouts. Pay
minute segments.	to-15-minute	activity most days of	Exercise on most days	Exercise on most days	attention to heart rate,
	segments.	the week for approx.	of the week for approx.	of the week for approx.	HRV, sleep, recovery,
For short trips, choose		30 minutes a time.	30 to 60 minutes at a	45 to 75 minutes at a	and nutrition.
to walk or bike (e.g., to	Walking, swimming,	- Aerobic exercise 3-4	time.	time. Include a variety	Exercise almost daily,
the dairy, local shops).	biking, stretching for	times a week.	- Aerobic exercise 4	of workouts to develop	for approx. 45 to 90
Choose the stairs.	15 to 30 minutes,	- Strength training 2	times a week.	endurance, strength,	minutes at a time.
	several times a week	times a week.	- Strength training 2	speed, and mobility.	Include a variety of
House cleaning and	are safe ways to start		times a week.	Pay attention to	workouts to develop
gardening are great	getting more active.		-Flexibility 1 a week	sufficient recovery.	endurance, strength,
forms of daily activity					power etc. Pay
					attention to a smart
					training rhythm and
					sufficient recovery.
Good activities:	Good activities:	Good activities:	Good activities:	Good activities:	Good activities:
Walking	Walking	Hiking	Jogging	Running	Running
Swimming	Swimming	Biking, Cross-trainer	Biking (some hills)	Biking (hills)	Biking (hills)
Biking	Aqua jogging	Swimming, Aqua	Ball sports	Ball sports	Ball sports
Gardening	Biking	jogging	Group exercise classes	HIIT/ Cross Fit/ Interval	Strength training
Poi	Kapa Haka	Dancing	Strength training	training	HIIT/ Cross Fit/ Interval
	Yoga	Strength training	Pilates	Pilates	training
		Pilates	Waka Ama	Stairs	Pilates
		Running around with	Tramping	Strength training	Stairs
		Tamariki, Kilikiti			
		Hunting and gathering			



Exercise triangle & the "double whammy"















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