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## GET AT LEAST HOUR OF PHYSICAL ACTIVITY EVERY DAY

### Move an hour every day!

#### Physical Activity Can Be Free and Fun!

- Take a walk with your family
- Play with your pet
- Play tag
- Take a bike ride  
(remember to wear your helmet)
- Turn on music and dance
- Jump rope
- Play Frisbee
- Take the stairs
- Park the car at the end of the parking lot
- Make snow angels

#### Make Physical Activity Easier.

- Make gradual changes to increase your level of physical activity.
- Track the level of your physical activity using a pedometer, fitness band, or online tracker.
- Choose toys and games that promote physical activity (e.g. balls, hula hoops, jump ropes, scarves).
- Do physical activities together with friends or family.
- Turn off the TV and computer and keep them out of the bedroom.
- Limit recreational screen time (e.g. TVs, computers, video games, etc.).
- Encourage lifelong physical activity by incorporating it into your routine.
- Keep physical activity fun! You'll be more likely to do it.



#### Did you know?

One hour of moderate physical activity means:

- Doing activities where you breathe hard, like fast walking, hiking, or dancing.

20 minutes of vigorous physical activity means:

- Doing activities where you sweat, like running, aerobics, or basketball.

Physical activity...

- Makes you feel good.
- Makes your heart happy.
- Makes you stronger.
- Makes you flexible.
- **Helps keep you healthy!**

#### Be a Role Model.

- Schedule active family play time daily.

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**LET'S GO!**

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