

GOOD NUTRITION WILL BENEFIT YOUR LIFE

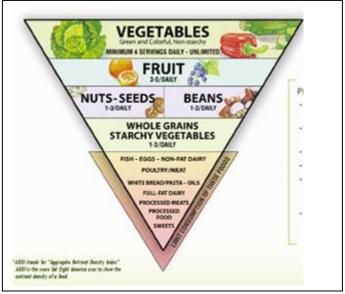
Rate Your Plate

Take a closer look at yourself your current food decisions and your lifestyle. Think about your typical eating pattern and food decisions.

Answer each question SCORING YOURSELF WITH THE FOLLOWING GUIDE:

Always = (3points)

Usually = (2 points), Sometimes =(1 point), Never=(0 points).



<u>Do you...</u>

Eat at least 2- 4 cups of vegetables daily?
Eat at least 2 - 4 pieces of fruit daily?
Eat a maximum of 4 ounces of chicken or beef protein daily?
Eat fish at least 3x/ week or more
Choose nutritious snacks like hummus and veggies, low sugar yogurts, or fruit and nuts?
Get 64 fluid ounces or more of water each day?
Consume 1- 2 servings of skim milk, sugar free yogurt, or low fat cheese daily?
Include daily vitamin supplements, i.e. multiple vitamin/mineral, calcium, B-12, folate?
Get physical activity at least 3 times a week for 30 minutes or more?
Avoid eating fried foods and/ or chips more than 1x/week?
Avoid eating or drinking sugar added beverages and sweets more than 1x/week?
TOTAL

If you scored... 24 or more points... Healthful eating seems to be your fitness habit already. Still, look for ways to stick to a healthful eating plan – and to make a "good thing" even better.

16 to 23 points... You are on track. A few easy changes could help you make your overalleating plan healthier.

9 to 15 points... Sometimes you eat smart- but not often enough to be your "fitness best."

0 to 8 points... For good health, you are wise to rethink your overall eating style! Take it gradually –step by step! You will reduce inflammation in your body with a diet over-haul!

Whatever your score, gradually turn your "nevers" into "sometimes" and your "sometimes" into "usually."