## Preventive Care for ages 18 to 24 years **Greig Health Record for Young Adults**

Selected Guidelines and Resources - Page 1

Strength of Recommendations **Bold = Good** *Italics = Fair*Plain Text = consensus or inconclusive evidence

Daily Nutritional Recommendations				
Age (years)	14-18 ♀	14-18 ්	19-50 ♀	19-50 ♂
Vegetables & Fruit (servings)	7	8	7-8	8-10
Grain products (servings) Whole grains for at least half	6	7	6-7	8
Milk & alternatives (servings)	3-4	3-4	2	2
Meat & alternatives (servings)	2	3	2	3
Include a small amount - 30 to 45 mL - of unsaturated fat each day				
Calcium (mg)	1300	1300	1000	1000
Upper limit (maximum)	3000	3000	2500	2500
	No adjust lactation	tment for p	pregnancy	or
Vitamin D (IU) Health Canada	600	600	600	600
Upper limit (maximum)	3000	4000	4000	4000
	No adjus or lactati	tment for l	atitude, pr	egnancy

http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fn-an/index-eng.php

Canada's Food Guide	
www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fn-an/food-guide-aliment/ord	er-commander/index-eng.php
English	
www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fn-an/food-guide-aliment/ord	er-commander/guide_trans-
trad-eng.php other languages	-

BMI Calculation and Health Risk Classification				
BMI = mass in kg/(height in metres) <sup>2</sup>				
$BMI = [weight in pounds/ (height in inches)^2]*703$				
Classification	BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	Risk of developing health problems		
Under weight	less than 18.5	Increased		
Normal weight	18.5 to 24.9	Least		
Overweight	25 to 29.9	Increased		
Obese Class I	30 to 34.9	High		
Obese Class II	35 to 39.9	Very high		
Obese Class III	40 and above	Extremely high		

www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fn-an/nutrition/weights-poids/index-eng.php

## **Restrictive Diets**

Ask about special diets such as vegetarian, gluten-free, dairy or lactose free

Strategies for Good Sleep Habits
Have a consistent bedtime routine
Try to keep sleep and wake times the same for weekdays and weekends
Avoid daytime napping
Have a relaxed setting at bedtime (dim lights, comfortable cool temperature, calm environment)
Get exercise every day, but avoid high-intensity exercise within 3 hrs of bedtime
Fall asleep in your bedroom, not on the couch. Use your bed only for sleep and sex.
Avoid caffeine after mid-afternoon and later
Don't smoke, and don't use alcohol, herbal products or over-the-counter sleep aids to help you sleep
Avoid media/electronics in the bedroom. Avoid light emitting devices in the bedroom. Eg clocks that glow in the dark.
Limit screen time and bright lights before bedtime (avoid at least 1-2 hrs before bedtime)
Consult with a primary care practitioner about snoring or other sleep concerns

 $Adapted\ from\ \underline{www.cdc.gov},\ \underline{www.cps.ca},\ \underline{sleep foundation.org},\ \underline{healthysleep.med.harvard.edu}$ 

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Record is meant to be used as a guide only. Preventive care is delivered both episodically and at dedicated visits. This tool may be used in part or as a whole.



Physical Activity Recommendations			
150 minutes or more per week of Moderate to Vigorous Physical Activity			
	Hints		
Focus on moderate to vigorous aerobic activity broken into sessions of 10 minutes or more.	Choose a variety of physical activities you enjoy. Try joining a team or do activities in groups.		
Add activities to target muscles and bones at least 2 days per wk.	Get into a routine.		
	Limit the time you spend in front of a screen – TV, computer video game etc.		
	Reduce passive transportation – try walking, running or biking.		

 $\underline{www.csep.ca} \quad \underline{http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/hp-ps/hl-mvs/pa-ap/03paap-eng.php}$ 

Internet Resources for Patients		
General Young	www.cyh.com/	
Adult Info.	www.canada.ca/en/services/health/youth-health.html	
Aboriginal Health	www.canada.ca/en/services/health/aboriginal-	
	<u>health.html</u>	
Bullying	www.stopbullying.gov/what-is-bullying/related-	
	topics/young-adults/	
	www.prevnet.ca	
	www.cyh.com/HealthTopics/HealthTopicDetails.aspx?p	
C1	=240&np=296&id=2069 nccih.nih.gov/	
Complementary and Alternative	www.naturaldatabase.com	
Medicine (CAM)	<u>www.naturaidatabase.com</u>	
Dating Safety &	www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/cycp-cpcj/violence/dv-vf/index-	
Healthy	eng.htm www.redcross.ca	
Relationships	www.sexualhealthandrights.ca/	
Hearing Loss/	www.hc-sc.gc.ca/hl-vs/iyh-vsv/environ/hearing_loss-	
Personal Music	perte_audition-eng.php	
Players	www.hc-sc.gc.ca/hl-vs/iyh-vsv/life-vie/stereo-baladeur-	
,	eng.php www.soundsense.ca	
HPV vaccine	www.cdc.gov/std/hpv/stdfact-hpv-vaccine-young-	
	women.htm	
LGBT Youth	www.cdc.gov/lgbthealth/youth-resources.htm	
	www.prevnet.ca/bullying/parents/parents-of-lgbtq-youth	
Low Income	www.canadabenefits.gc.ca benefits finder	
Mental Health	www.porticonetwork.ca/	
	mindyourmind.ca/	
	teenmentalhealth.org/	
Nutrition, Fitness	www.healthycanadians.ca	
	www.evanshealthlab.com/make-your-day-harder-2/	
Physical Activity	www.csep.ca/guidelines	
	www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/hp-ps/hl-mvs/pa-ap/04paap-	
	eng.php	
Sexuality &	www.sexandu.ca includes emergency contraception	
Relationships	www.sexualhealthandrights.ca/	
Sleep Issues	www.sleepfoundation.org	
Substances and	www.camh.ca/en/hospital/health_information (alcohol,	
Addictions	marijuana, tobacco, cocaine, gambling)	
	www.nationalantidrugstrategy.gc.ca/prevention/youth-	
	jeunes/ (drugs) betobaccofree.hhs.gov/dont-start/index.html (tobacco)	
	www.quitnow.ca/tools-and-resources/e-cigarettes.php	
	(e-cigarettes)	
	www.heartandstroke.ca/-/media/pdf-	
	files/canada/position-statement/e-cigarettes-in-canada-	
	factsheet-eng (e-cigarettes)	
	www.vch.ca/media/TakeCarewithCannabis.pdf	
	(marijuana)	
	www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fn-an/prodnatur/caf-drink-boissons-	
	eng.php (caffeinated energy drinks)	
	www.problemgambling.ca (gambling)	
Sun Safety,	www.hc-sc.gc.ca/hl-vs/sun-sol/index-eng.php	
Tanning & Skin	www.dermatology.ca/sun-safety	
Health	www.cancer.ca/prevention	
Vaccinations,	phm.utoronto.ca/helpinkids/	
Fears and Pain	www.canada.ca/en/public-health/topics/immunization-	
	<u>vaccines.html</u>	