

## BENEFITS OF PHYSICAL ACTIVITY



It reduces your risk of being overweight, diabetes and, heart disease





It helps to build better bone strength





It helps you sleep better





It helps you maintain a healthy body weight





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Did you know?
Lack of physical activity can
be just as harmful to your
health as smoking?

Canada Physical Activity Guidelines recommends **150** minutes of exercise weekly for adults combining aerobic and strengthening exercises.

Aerobic exercises increase heart rate such as walking, jogging, biking, swimming etc.

Muscle strengthening exercises build strength and involve using free weights, weight machines, resistance bands etc.