Exercise & Aging

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Overview

Risks of Exercise & Aging Review Benefits of Exercise

Goals of Exercise & ADLs

Recommended Guidelines

Examples of Exercises

Review

| Stress | | Physical Activity |
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| Overtraining | ADLs | Fitness |
| Rest | | Exercise |

FITT-VP (Frequency, Intensity, Type, Time, Volume, Progression)

Risks of Exercise & Aging

- Risks of Exercising
- Choose the appropriate workloads
- The Risks of Aging
- Increased chances of a cardiac event
- Decrease in Muscle Mass
- Decrease in Bone Density
- Increased risk of falling and fall related injuries
- Sedentary Lifestyle
- Inactive life

Benefits of Exercise

- Reduce chances of unhealthy weight gain
- Improves bone health
- Improves muscle health
- Reduces risk of chronic diseases; heart disease, cancer, type 2 diabetes, & metabolic disease
- Reduces risk of falling and fall related injuries
- Improves sleep quality
- Reduces feelings of anxiety
- Improves cognitive ability and reduces risk of dementia
- Increases ability to perform ADLs

Goals of Exercise & ADLs

- Set your own goals
- SMART Goal Setting
- Activities of Daily Living
- Improving your quality of life

Recommended Guidelines

- Minimum Recommendations
- Moderate Intensity Cardio Exercise
- Strength, Balance, & Flexibility Training
- Multicomponent Physical Activity (Cardio, Strength, & Balance)
- Assist in reducing the rate of falls among older adults

Marches

Standing Marches

High

Cardio Exercise Progression Example

Squais

Body

Squats with

Strength Exercise Progression Example

Balance Exercise Progression Example

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