



**Listening Learning Leading** 

# Being active is important for your health and wellbeing

What ways can I stay well whilst I am at home?











Exercise

Talk to someone

Manage work time

Eat well

Create a routine

### Where can I find free exercises online?

Age UK home exercises

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This Girl Can

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NHS 10 minute workout

Click here

Family Disney workout

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BHF exercises

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### How will being active benefit me?

Being active will improve my overall wellbeing



Less fatigue

Improve fitness Stronger muscles

Improve mood Family fitness

Weight loss

Being active can improve your physical health, help manage stress and anxiety and just generally make you feel better.

Some things to consider when keeping active at home	Your wellbeing matters!
The benefits outweigh the risks	During this difficult time a huge emphasis is on how we are required to look after our
Start slow and progress gradually	physical health and managing symptoms.
Make it enjoyable and safe	It is important to keep yourself well by encouraging focus on your mental health. This can be done in a variety of ways, with a little help from Mind. <b>Click here</b> for more
Build up your confidence	information on how you can manage your wellbeing.
Wear appropriate clothing	Working from home
Encourage your family to take part	Stay connected with colleagues
Keep hydrated	Take breaks from the computer
Take regular breaks	Find a routine that works for you
Get some fresh air	Eat a balanced diet
Keep yourself well	Find a dedicated workspace

## National guidelines and advice for those that are self isolating

#### How to do social distancing?

- Work from home whenever possible
- Avoid all unnecessary travel
- Stay away from crowded places
- Avoid gatherings with friends and families wherever possible

#### What am I allowed to do when social distancing?

- You can see family and friends if it's essential
- You can walk your dog
- You can provide essential care for elderly relatives and neighbours if you have no symptoms
- You can go to the shops to buy food and groceries
- You can exercise at a safe distance from others

#### Who should self-isolate?

Everyone who shows coronavirus symptoms - a fever of above 37.8C, a persistent cough or breathing problem - and everyone who lives in the same house or flat as someone with symptoms.

#### Who shouldn't go out at all?

People with very serious health conditions will be contacted by the NHS and urged not go out at all for at least 12 weeks. This is being referred to as shielding.

Others in the same household, and carers, can go out as long they observe proper social distancing.

#### The most vulnerable group includes:

- Organ transplant patients
- People with certain genetic diseases
- People with serious respiratory conditions like cystic fibrosis and severe chronic bronchitis
- People receiving certain drug treatments which suppress the immune system
- Pregnant women with heart disease

For up to date information please visit: https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus