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**New Year, New You**

**Tips to Keep Your Healthy New Year's Resolutions**

* Pick one thing that you want to change or set one goal that you want to accomplish.
* Take small steps, or make small changes every day to incorporate change into your life.
* Be sure to congratulate yourself for making these small changes.
* Learn to take setbacks in stride and recommit to your goal.

**Let Your “Why” Be Your Guide**

Many of us exercise, but *why* do you do it? Lots of people try to eat a balanced diet, but *why* do you choose to do so?

Your why is:

* **Personal.** You do what matters most to you. Whatever your goal is, your *why* is as unique as you are.
* **Purposeful.** Whether it’s to look good for your high school reunion or be strong enough to keep up with your kids, your *why* has meaning. It can motivate you to stick to your goal. In fact, studies show that simply having a goal or making a resolution greatly increases your odds for success.
* **Valuable.** Your *why* adds something good to your life and is worth the effort.

It’s never too early   
or too late to   
work towards   
being the   
healthiest YOU.

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