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Physical Therapy for Improved Quality of Life

Follow your medical professional's advice and speak with them before changing diet, exercise, or supplements.

You may think of a physical therapist as one to go to for healing and strengthening after an injury. While physical therapists are great for that, they also do much more. Physical therapists can help people by diagnosing physical conditions, improving movement, managing pain, restoring function, and preventing disabilities, according to the American Physical Therapy Association.

Physical therapists help people through all stages of life with care, education, and treatment plans that aim to improve overall quality of life. They may approach issues with proper stretching techniques, strengthening and core-focused exercises, ice and heat, or ultrasound, to name a few approaches.

This Physical Therapy Month, we've delved into five ways physical therapy can help people, especially older adults.

5 Potential Physical Therapy Benefits

Improved Movement: Physical therapists can identify, diagnose, and treat movement challenges, and in some cases can help people Therapy, functional electrical stimulation, and to avoid having surgery.

Pain Relief or Prevention: Physical therapy can provide long-term pain solutions with exercises, joint and soft tissue mobilization, ice/heat therapy, ultrasound, and electrical stimulation for relief or restoring function.



Did you know? There are many physical therapy focus areas, including but not limited to: orthopedic, neurological, vestibular, and cardiovascular!

Management of Issues with Diabetes:

Physical therapists can help prescribe and teach exercise for lowering blood glucose levels, treat chronic pain, improve walking ability, treat sores, help with assistive devices, and restore normal movement and balance.

Management of Issues As We Age: Physical Therapists may be able to help with managing arthritis, managing pain, osteoporosis and/or recovering from procedures like joint replacements. They may also be able to help prevent or recover from falls with exercises.

Strengthening After a Stroke: Physical therapists can help improve function and balance with Constraint-Induced Movement motor imagery, among others.

For those who haven't tried physical therapy, but are interested, a great first step would be to reach out to a local physical therapist and see how they might be able to play a positive role in healthy living. Let us know if this information has been helpful to you on our facebook page!



Special Moments











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Regarding Covid-19: Resident and staff safety and comfort remains our number one priority during the Coronavirus cases that have happened nationwide. It is important to communicate our plans to mitigate risk in our community. We are following mandated health guidelines. All activities are subject to cancellation per those current guidelines. To read our measures taken, and our current visitor policy, please visit our website.

October 14 is Dessert Day!

Our residents and staff shared their favorites!

"Anything Chocolate" - Rosie

"Ice Cream" - MaryAnn, Brooks, Norma, & Yvonne

"I like them all" - Sara

"Milk shake, custard pie, brownies, etc." - Neil

"Fresh fruit pie" - Mike

"Chocolate cake with chocolate frosting" - Peggy

"Lemon Meringue pie" - Pam

"Boston Cream Pie" - Matthew

A Lifetime of Friendship: Joan & Elinor

Imagine, two lively young ladies, the year 1947, Palo Alto High School. Joan and Elinor meet, not knowing they were going to begin a life long friendship.

After high school graduation, they hugged and said their goodbyes, only to find out that fall, the friendship gods had other plans, they both went to college at San Jose State, and ended up in the same cooperative house together.

As time moved on, Elinor married her high school sweetheart, and they introduced Joan to her future husband. Life took them in different directions. Joan moved to Hawaii and Elinor stayed in Palo Alto, however they stayed in touch by letters and occasional visits.

As the years rolled by and it was time to enjoy the golden years, the friendship gods brought them together again, here at Pioneer Village. Joan has been living here for about 11 years, and with a little encouragement from Joan, Elinor moved in. They were both overjoyed to be reunited again. Joan has been introducing Elinor to retirement living, and catching up. Many afternoons are spent story telling from days gone by. What a perfect way to continue a 74-year friendship.

Peach Jam!

This is a recipe modified from a Martha Stewart version so you can make peach jam too!

Ingredients:

- 8 to 10 peaches cut into chunks (discard pits)
- 3 cups sugar
- 1 tbsp and 1 tsp lemon juice
- 1/2 tsp salt

Use food processor to pulse peaches. Move to pan and add sugar, lemon juice, and salt. Boil and stir continuously until bubbles slow down, fruit rises up, and jam sticks to a spoon if lifted (estimated 12 mins.) Cool and refrigerate. Enjoy!

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31 Halloween 9:00 Tai Chi with IN2L TF 9:45 Ruch Church Bus 10:15 Local Church Bus	All activities subject to change	Transportation Monday, 9am-3PM	Friday Night Movies 10/1 News of the World 10/8 Boys of '36 (Documentary)	Saturday Night Movies 10/2 The Shack 10/9 Leap Year	9:30 Morning Exercise TF 10:00 Hot Chocolate Social AL	2 Happy Birthday Dick C 8:45 One on One Visits 9:00 Tia Chi with IN2L TF 10:00 Shopping Bi Mart
12:30 Sunday Smoothies AL 1:00 Sunday Matinee CR 1:30 Co-Ed Poker TF 2:00 Church with Chaplin Clyde Hoffman 3:00 Scenic Drive	per mandated health guidelines.	Tuesday, 9AM-3PM Thursday, 9AM-3PM	10/15 Edward Scissorhands 10/22 The Help 10/29 Haunted Mansion	10/16 Avatar 10/23 The Client 10/30 Hocus Pocus	1:00 Cooking with Peggy AK Zuppa Toscana Soup 3:00 Wine Social B The Swing A Longs 4:15 IN2L Explore AL 6:00 Friday Night Movie CR	1:00 BINGO TF 2:00 IN2L Google Earth AL 3:00 Men's Poker TF 4:00 IN2L Classic TV AL 6:00 Saturday Night Movie
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