

# **Sleep Hygiene Tips**

Sleep hygiene means having good sleep habits. Follow these tips for better sleep.



## **Create a Healthy Sleep environment**

Make sure your bedroom is quiet, relaxing, dim lit, or dark, and set at a comfortable cool temperature.



# Establish a nightly relaxing routine

Be consistent. Go to bed at the same time, and get up at the same time every day even on weekends or during vacations. Aim for 7 to 8 hours of sleep.



#### Turn off all electronic devices before bedtime

Remove electronic devices, such as TVs, computers, and smart phones, from the bedroom. If you must have a smart phone, make sure it is on "no-disturb" mode.



## Avoid large meals, caffeine, and alcohol before bedtime

Don't eat a large meal or fried food before bedtime. If you are hungry at night, eat a light, and healthy snack.



## **Exercise regularly**

Focus on getting at least 30 minutes of physical activity per day in a way that makes you feel good, It can help you fall asleep more easily.



## Reduce stress and anxiety

Reading, listening to music, relaxing, mindful meditation or deep breathing before bed can help get you to relax and sleep better.