Are You Ready For Surgery?

Optimizing your nutrition can help you achieve the best surgical outcome



Food sources of **important nutrients** for surgery



Rebuild & Repair

Proteins Chicken, Fish, Eggs, Tofu, Legumes

Calcium Dairy, Canned Fish, Cooked Leafy Greens, Tofu, Almonds

Iron Fish, Chicken, Beans, Nuts, Leafy Greens

Immune Health

Vitamin D Fortified Dairy, Fatty Fish

Vitamin E Avocado, Nuts, Plant Oils

Vitamin C Raw Fruits, Raw Vegetables

Zinc Meat, Nuts, Shellfish, Legumes



Anti-Inflammatory

Omega-3 Fatty Fish, Omega-3 Eggs, Nuts & Seeds

Polyphenols

Fruits, Colorful Vegetables, Nuts & Seeds, Herbs & Spices

Foods to limit when recovering from surgery





Processed Foods

May increase the inflammation and stress in your body, which can delay healing.

Limit



Sugary Foods

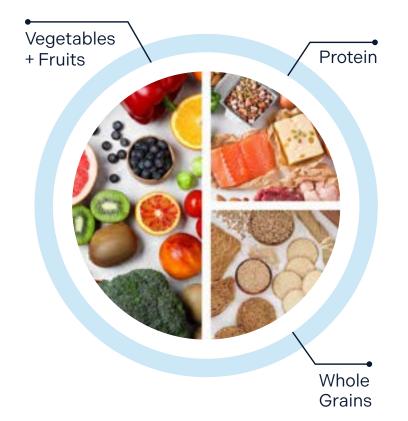
Can increase your blood sugar and impair the healing of your surgical wound.

Limit

Alcoholic Drinks

Puts stress on your body, causes inflammation and can damage your cells.

The Healthy Plate



How to eat to have an optimal recovery from Orthopaedic Surgery

By filling <u>1/2 of your plate</u> <u>with vegetables and fruits</u>, <u>1/4 with protein</u> and <u>1/4</u> <u>with whole grains</u>, you can have a balanced diet high in essential nutrients for recovery.

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