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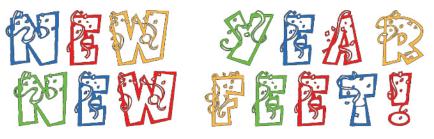
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FOOT TIPS, NEW LASER TREATMENTS & MORE!

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Years come and go, and so do our New Years Resolutions. Well we've got a list that will make sure the this year will be a happy and healthy one for you and vour feet!

- 1) Don't Ignore Foot Pain We all have the tendency to put things off until we have more time, but the extra time never seems to come. Ignoring simple foot pain can lead even more serious problems in the future.
- 2) Not All Back Pain is Just That It's common to attribute pains in the back to be just a back problem, but just as often these pains can be originating from an instability in the feet! The same goes for knee and hip pain as well. Always make sure to wear good fitting supportive shoes and for best results get a pair of custom orthotics too! Your back will thank you.
- 3) Wear Clean, Dry Socks While it seems the most simple, if socks are not clean and dry it can lead to a myriad of foot problems like toenail fungus, dry cracked heels, and just plain smelly feet. Try to wear socks made from materials other than cotton, as they tend to help wick moisture away from the feet. You can also use talc or Dr. Remedy's Spray on Foot Powder to keep feet dry.
- 4) Diabetics, Check Your Feet Often It is easy for us to ignore what we don't feel, but that is where the real danger lies. Because of neuropathy (a loss of sensation in the legs and feet), it is easy for most diabetics to never notice small injuries. But small injuries in the feet can quickly become a bigger problem, especially with the high risk of infection. Make sure to inspect feet daily. For diabetics with difficulty looking at the bottom of the foot, simply place a small hand mirror on the ground to help
- 5) Visit Your Podiatrist regular foot exams can help prevent many foot problems, and just one visit to a podiatrist can usually make sure you walk away pain free!

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and more!

Diabetic Recipe of the Month

Mojito Recipe from AllRecipes.com Fruit Salad

Directions

- 1. Mix the watermelon, grapes, cantaloupe, strawberries, and kiwi in a bowl with a tight-fitting lid; top with the blueberries.
- 2. Stir the mint, sugar, and lime juice together in a bowl, crushing the mint with the back of a spoon while mixing to extract flavors; pour over the fruit mixture. Seal the bowl with lid and refrigerate at least 1 hour.
- 3. Just before serving, gently flip the sealed bowl several times to coat the fruit with the dressing.

Serves 6

Nutritional Information (Per Serving)

Calories: 83 Protein: 1.3 g Sodium: 7 mg

Cholesterol: 0 mg Fat: 0.6 g

Carbohydrates: 20.7 g Sugars: 15.8 g Dietary Fiber: 2.6 g



Ingredients

1 cup cubed seeded
watermelon
1 cup seedless grapes
1 cup cubed cantaloupe
1 cup hulled and
quartered strawberries
1 cup peeled and
quartered kiwi
1 cup fresh blueberries

3 sprigs fresh mint 2 teaspoons white sugar 3 tablespoons fresh lime juice



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