YOUR NUTRITION RECOMMENDATION TO GET YOU BACK ON YOUR FEET



HMB: ß-hydroxy-ß-methylbutyrate.

* Speak to your pharmacist or health care professional about drug-nutrient interactions.

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Start strong to stay strong

Enhance your recovery by making nutrition a priority before and after surgery



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SURGERY CAN TAKE A LOT OUT OF YOU EAT WELL AND STAY ACTIVE BEFORE AND AFTER YOUR SURGERY



GET A HEAD START FOR A QUICKER RECOVERY

- People waiting for surgery often have higher protein and calorie needs than usual, and those needs are also higher during recovery.^{1,5,6}
- When protein and calorie needs are not met, recovery can take longer and there is a higher risk of complications, like infection, after surgery.¹³



EAT WELL

Meet your nutrition needs before and after surgery to help you get back on your feet! Getting enough protein and calories will help you:¹⁴

- Heal and recover faster
- Leave the hospital sooner
- Reduce your risk of complications after surgery
- Keep up your strength and energy

- **STAY ACTIVE**
- Exercise to help maintain your muscles and strength before and after surgery.^{16.7}
- Your doctor or certified exercise specialist, like a physiotherapist or kinesiologist, can recommend a program that suits you.



DRINK HIGH-ENERGY, HIGH-PROTEIN DRINKS

along with your meals and snacks, before and after surgery to:⁵

- Prepare and protect your muscles and body tissues
- Give you the strength and energy you need for a faster recovery

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Remember that your body needs

ENSURE[®] ADVANCE

235 mL (1 bottle)

Studies show that after surgery, patients rarely meet their energy and protein needs from regular food. ⁵⁸		more nutrients, so it is important to eat even if your appetite is lower than usual.	
YOUR PROTEIN GOAL FOR THE DAY IS			
20-25 g protein CHICKEN, FISH, MEAT 75 g (2 ½ oz)	9g protein BEANS AND LENTILS 125 mL (½ cup)	8 g protein MILK 250 mL (1 cup)	20 g protein ENSURE [®] ADV. 235 mL (1 bol
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