## **Mini-Medical School**



# Hypertension 高血壓(英文)

## WHAT IS HYPERTENSION?

For most adults, when their blood pressure level reaches or excesses 140/90 mmHg, they are considered hypertension.

### WHAT ARE THE SYMPTOMS?

There are no explicit symptoms for high blood pressure and for years, a person may live without recognizing this health condition; only through health check-up can a person discover such a disease. Here are some symptoms to notice: (minor or severe or migraine?) headache, dizziness, fatigue, and vision changes...etc.

### SUGGESTIONS FOR HYPERTENSION?

To prevent long-term problems triggered by high blood pressure, we would like to recommend you to:

- 1. Keep a diary of your blood pressure level.
- 2. Take medication regularly once diagnosed with hypertension.

3. Maintain a healthy lifestyle via adequate physical activities. A minimum of 30 minutes work-out on a daily basis, like brisk walking, dancing, bike riding, garden maintaining, or house cleaning is highly recommended.

4. Keep a healthy dietary plan and intake limited amount of sodium, fat, and caffeine; sausage, cheese, canned food, egg yolk, coffee, tea, and coke are under those categories.

- 5. Stop smoking.
- 6. Sustain an appropriate weight for your height.

7. Release your stress when necessary and manage to ask for help when problems occur.

- 8. Sleep soundly with enough hours.
- 9. Stay warm during winter time.

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