

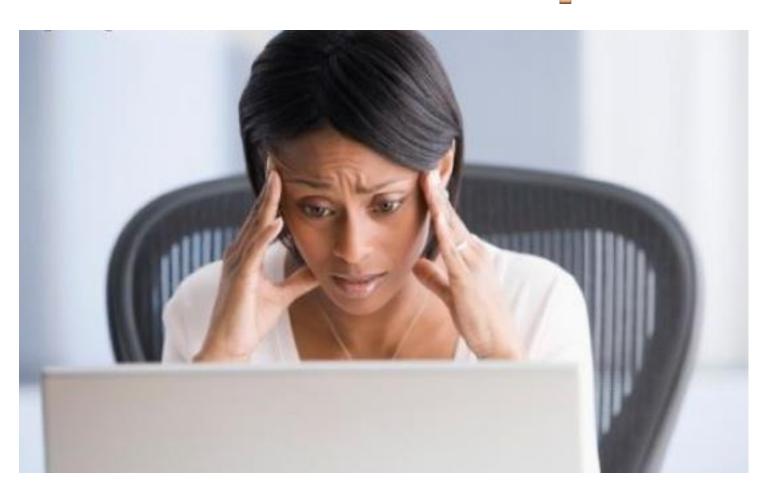
## Identify & Recognize warning signs of excessive stress at work.

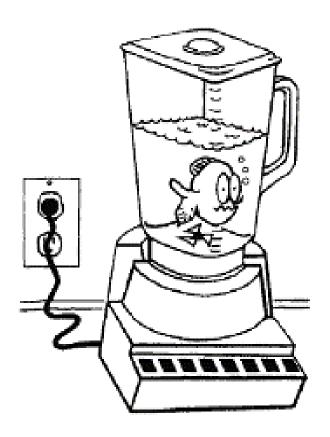


#### Learn ways to reduce job stress in the workplace.

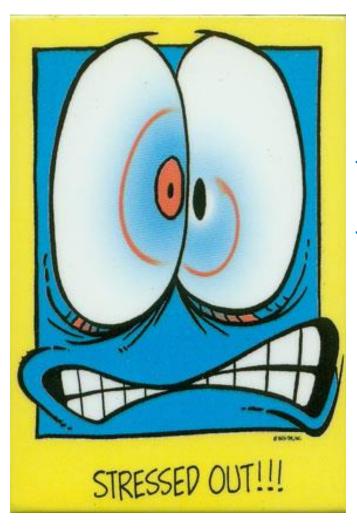


### Learn ways to cope with stress in the workplace.





And you thought there was stress in your life!

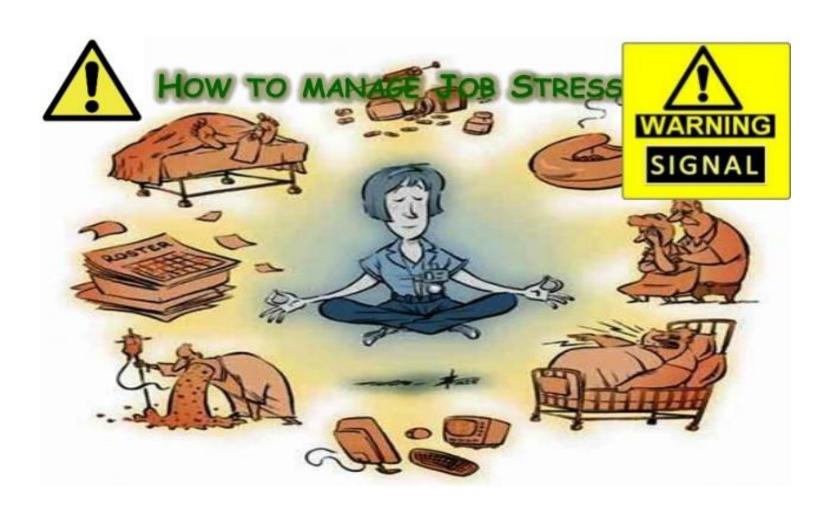


Whirlwind of change? Want better control? Signs of overload?

#### Are YOU stressed?



#### **Recognize Warning Signs!**



## Poor attention, concentration and memory? Increasing irritability and frustration? Anxiety and worry?



# Physical symptoms like: headaches, neck pain, backaches, dizziness, chest pain, heart palpitations, belly pain, or GI problems?



If the answer to these questions is YES then,



#### Are YOU really stressed?



#### Are you stressed? Find out by taking the test

DISCLAIMER: (This test is not meant to replace a clinical assessment but to help you judge how you are doing.)



1 D	
1. Do yo	u frequently neglect your diet?
0	Yes No
0	No
2. Do you	a frequently try to do everything yourself?
0	Yes
0	Yes No
3. Do you	frequently blow up easily?
0	Yes
0	Yes No

4. Do you frequently seek unrealistic goals?		
° Yes		
<sup>©</sup> No		
5. Do you freq find funny?	uently fail to see the humor in situations others	
° Yes		
° No		
6. Do you free	quently get easily irritated?	
° Yes		
° Yes		

7. Do you frequently make a "big deal" of everything?			
0	Yes		
0	Yes No		
8. Do you	frequently complain that you are disorganized?		
0	Yes No		
0	No		
9. Do you	a frequently keep everything inside?		
0	Yes		
0	Yes No		

10. Do you frequently neglect exercise?			
0	Yes		
0	No		
11. Do y	ou frequently have few supportive relationships?		
0	Yes No		
0	No		
12. Do y	ou frequently get too little rest?		
0	Yes		
0	Yes No		

13.	Do you frequently get angry when you are kept waiting?	
	° Yes ° No	
14.	Do you frequently ignore stress symptoms?	
	° Yes ° No	
15. Do you frequently put things off until later?		
	O Yes O No	
	<sup>©</sup> No	

16.	•	Do you frequently think there is only one right way to do something?		
	0	Yes		
	0	No		
17.	Do y	you fre	quently fail to build relaxation into every day?	
	0	Yes No		
	0	No		
18.	·	you free past?	quently spend a lot of time complaining about	
	0	Yes		
	0	Yes No		

19. Do you frequently race through the day?

YesNo

20. Do you frequently feel unable to cope with all you have to do?

° Yes

 $^{\circ}$  No

#### Diagnosis







#### Your Score ????

Scores of 1-6 Few Hassles

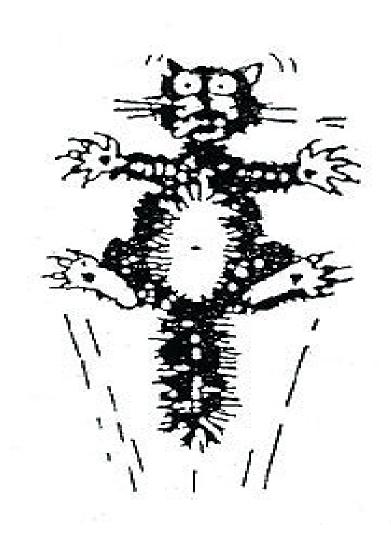
Scores of 7-12 Pretty Good Control

Scores of 13-17 Danger Zone. Watch out!

Scores of 18+ Stressed Out!!

You may need help with stress.

### If you feel like this cat looks, you are TOO stressed!



#### **HUMOR AND STRESS**







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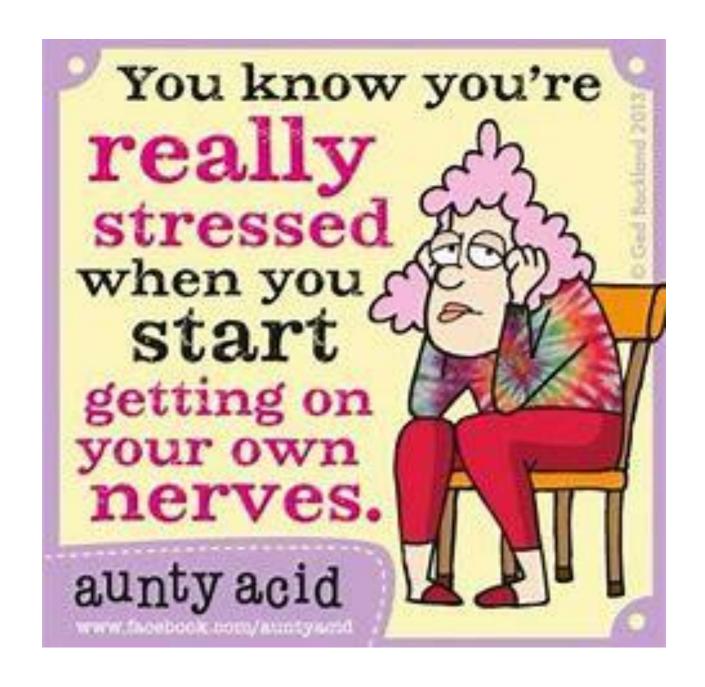




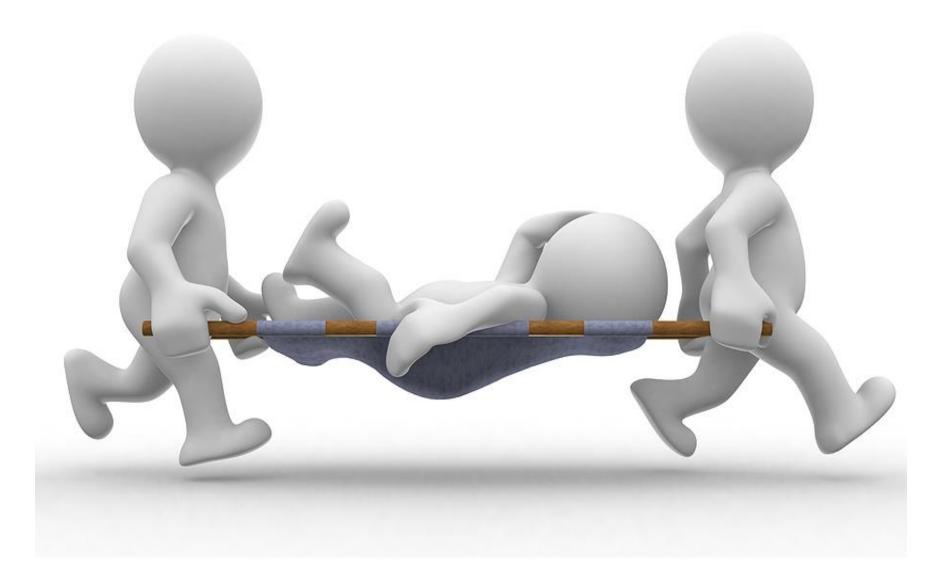












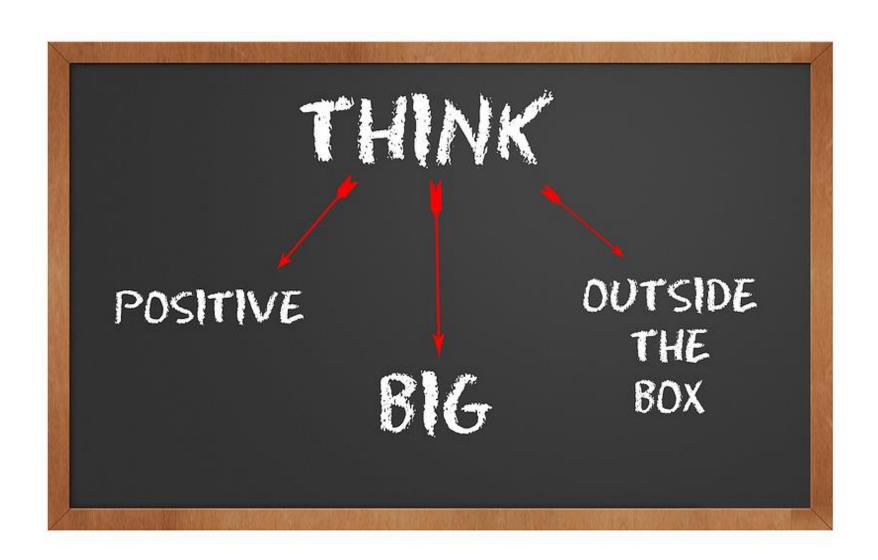
### **DESTRESSING**



### Manage your time effectively



### Think positive, learn to control worry



## Know when you need help and get it



#### Be kind to yourself



Learn to say NO!!

#### Don't Forget to Laugh out Loud!!



## Avoid negative people

## Don't let

negative & toxic people rent space in your head.

Raise the rent & kick them out.

### **Get Enough Sleep**



# PRAY KV

### A Prayer for the Stressed



Grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I cannot accept, and the wisdom to hide the bodies of those I had to kill today, because they got on my nerves.

Also help me to be careful of the toes I step on today, as they may be connected to the feet I may have to kiss tomorrow.

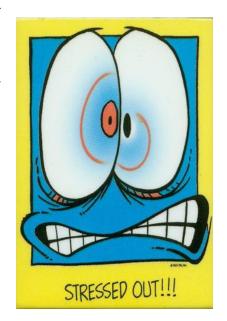
Help me to do my work 100%:

12% on Monday
22% on Tuesday
38 % on Wednesday
23% on Thursday
5% on Friday



#### And help me to remember....

When I'm having a bad day and it seems that people are trying to wind me up, that it takes 42 muscles to frown, 28 muscles to smile, and only 10 to extend my arm and smack you in the mouth.



### LAST, BUT NOT LEAST

Remember, "stressed" spelled backwards is "desserts." This was just stress relief humor, folks!

