

Self-Care Assessment

Self-care activities are the things you do to maintain good health and improve well-being. You'll find that many of these activities are things you already do as part of your normal routine.

In this assessment you will think about how frequently, or how well, you are performing different self-care activities. The goal of this assessment is to help you learn about your self-care needs by spotting patterns and recognizing areas of your life that need more attention.

There are no right or wrong answers on this assessment. There may be activities that you have no interest in, and other activities may not be included. This list is not comprehensive, but serves as a starting point for thinking about your self-care needs.

1	I do this poorly	I do this rarely or not at all
2	I do this OK	I do this sometimes
3	I do this well	I do this often
★	I would like to improve at this	I would like to do this more frequently

1 2 3 ★ **Physical Self-Care**

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Eat healthy foods
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Take care of personal hygiene
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Exercise
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wear clothes that help me feel good about myself
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Eat regularly
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Participate in fun activities (e.g. walking, swimming, dancing, sports)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Get enough sleep
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to preventative medical appointments (e.g. checkups, teeth cleanings)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rest when sick
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Overall physical self-care

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1 2 3 ★ Psychological / Emotional Self-Care

- Take time off from work, school, and other obligations
- Participate in hobbies
- Get away from distractions (e.g. phone, email)
- Learn new things, unrelated to work or school
- Express my feelings in a healthy way (e.g. talking, creating art, journaling)
- Recognize my own strengths and achievements
- Go on vacations or day-trips
- Do something comforting (e.g. re-watch a favorite movie, take a long bath)
- Find reasons to laugh
- Talk about my problems
- Overall psychological and emotional self-care

1 2 3 ★ Social Self-Care

- Spend time with people who I like
- Call or write to friends and family who are far away
- Have stimulating conversations
- Meet new people
- Spend time alone with my romantic partner
- Ask others for help, when needed
- Do enjoyable activities with other people
- Have intimate time with my romantic partner
- Keep in touch with old friends

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Overall social self-care

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1 2 3 ★ **Spiritual Self-Care**

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Spend time in nature
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Meditate
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pray
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recognize the things that give meaning to my life
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Act in accordance with my morals and values
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Set aside time for thought and reflection
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Participate in a cause that is important to me
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Appreciate art that is impactful to me (e.g. music, film, literature)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Overall spiritual self-care

1 2 3 ★ **Professional Self-Care**

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Improve my professional skills
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Say “no” to excessive new responsibilities
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Take on projects that are interesting or rewarding
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Learn new things related to my profession
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Make time to talk and build relationships with colleagues
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Take breaks during work
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Maintain balance between my professional and personal life
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Keep a comfortable workspace that allows me to be successful
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Advocate for fair pay, benefits, and other needs
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Overall professional self-care