

At Work



Kickstart the new year with ParticipACTION and get your team moving for their mood!

Winter can put a damper on our moods, but there's a way to lift our spirits: get moving!

This January, learn how getting active can reduce stress and promote happier feelings. To encourage your organization to move for their mood at work, we have created a calendar of events, email template and poster to keep your team moving through to the end of January.

Looking for extra motivation?

Join our app challenge from January 15 – 31, hosted on Optimity, for a chance to win some great prizes! Pre-enrollment starts January 3.

Early Bird Opt-In Prizes

Four \$100

Walmart e-gift cards



Daily Prizes



Ten \$10

Amazon e-gift cards per day for the length of the challenge Grand Prizes



Three \$500

WaySpa e-gift cards

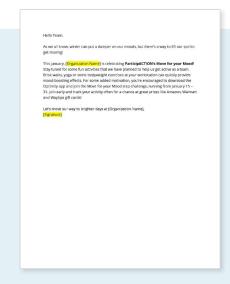
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Move for your Mood with these activities



Week of January 8, use this **email template** to announce your workplace's participation in the Move for your Mood Challenge.



Print and post the Move for your Mood and Recess Ideas posters.



Share this <u>Calendar of Events</u> with your team and encourage everyone to be active throughout the month of January.



Move for your Mood at Work

Keys to Success



Spread the word

Print and/or share the resources in this toolkit to encourage participation within your workplace.



Be inclusive

Be sure to consider both employees working from home and those in office when organizing and planning activities.



Make it social

Being active as a workplace is a great way to build and nurture bonds.



Make it sunny

Natural light has many mood boosting benefits as well. Despite colder temperatures, it's important to include some daytime outdoor physical activity for your team.



Make it long-term

These activities are just a start. Consider adding mental health and physical activity initiatives to your workplace calendar.





Want to know more?

Visit the Move for your Mood page on the ParticipACTION website for more information.











