

Nutrient Assessment Chart

(Micronutrients for a Healthy Immune System in Red)

Nutrient	Signs of Imbalance	
Vitamin A	 Chicken skin on backs of arms Chronic acne Diarrhea Dry eyes Food allergies Loss of appetite 	 Poor night vision Recurrent infections and colds Reduced hair growth in children Ulcers Hair loss
B Vitamins	 Afternoon slump Cold hands and feet Chronic fatigue Focus issues Geographic tongue Moodiness Poor digestion Splitting nails 	 Vertical ridges on nails Flaky cuticles Splitting skin in corners of mouth Thin hair Tongue and mouth pain Hair loss Canker sores Cracks in corner of mouth
Vitamin B1	 Anxiety Depression Hysteria Loss of appetite; in extreme cases beriberi (mostly in alcoholics). Muscle cramps 	
Vitamin B2	 Cracks and sores around the mouth and nose Visual problems. Low energy Eyes sensitive to light and tire easily Sore lips Sensitive tongue Insomnia Trembling Itching of skin around eyes, ears, mount, scrotum, forehead and scalp 	



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Vitamin B3 - Niacin	 Bad breath Canker sores Confusion Depression Dermatitis Diarrhea Emotional instability Fatigue 	 Irritability Loss of appetite Memory impairment Muscle weakness Nausea Skin eruptions and inflammation Puffy gums
Vitamin B5 - Pantothenic Acid	 Abdominal pains Burning feet Chronic gas or constipation Depression Eczema Fatigue Hair loss Immune impairment 	 Insomnia Irritability Low blood pressure Muscle spasms Nausea Poor coordination Seasonal allergies Beefy tongue
Vitamin B6	 Anemia Breast cysts Carpal tunnel Convulsions Dandruff Excess ear wax Irritability Patches of itchy, scaling skin PMS Poor dream recall Stiff fingers in AM Water retention in AM Scalloped tongue Tooth decay Breaking nails Essential Fatty Acid deficiency that doesn't respond to taking fats Magnesium deficiency that doesn't respond to magnesium 	LABS: AST - Alt - GGT - Iron + MCV - MCH - MCHC - RDW + RBC - Hematocrit - Hemoglobin - Alkaline Phosphatase -



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Biotin (Vitamin B7)	 Dermatitis Eye inflammation Hair loss Insomnia Loss of muscle control Dry lips Breaking nails 	
Folic Acid (Vitamin B9)	 Anemia Apathy Diarrhea Fatigue Gastrointestinal upsets Headaches Impaired cell division Insomnia Loss of appetite 	 Neural tube defects in fetus Paranoia Shortness of breath Weakness Puffy gums Tender tongue Canker sores Geographic tongue
Vitamin B12	 Tender tongue Geographic tongue Pale skin Shortness of breath Fatigue Dizziness Headache Cold hands and feet Heart palpitations Chest pain Nausea Vomiting Heartburn Abdominal gas Constipation Diarrhea Loss of appetite Weight loss without trying Numbness and tingling in the hands and feet Unsteadiness Difficulty walking Confusion Depression Hallucinations Wemory loss Vertical ridges on nails Bloating 	LABS: Methylmalonic Acid Serum Vitamin B12 MCV + MCH + MCHC + Iron + RDW + WBC - RBC - Hematocrit - Hemoglobin - Homocysteine + Uric Acid -

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Vitamin C	 Bruise easily Hemorrhoids Joint injuries Muscle weakness Puffy, bleeding, red gums Varicose veins Weakened immune system Mucus membranes raw and bleeding Spongy and bleeding gums are spongy 	LABS: Hematocrit – Alkaline Phosphatase + RBC + Hemoglobin – Hematocrit – MCV + MCH + MCHC +
Vitamin D	 Joint Pain High Blood Pressure Osteoarthritis Diabetes Depression Note: Vitamin D deficiency can result in many imbalances in various systems. The best way to assess is lab testing.	LABS: 25 (OH) Vitamin D
Vitamin E	 Impaired balance and coordination Peripheral neuropathy Muscle weakness (Myopathy) Pigmented retinopathy 	
Calcium	 Anxiety Brittle nails Cramps Delusions Depression Insomnia Irritability Nervousness 	 Osteoporosis Palpitations Periodontal disease Rickets Tendency towards headaches Tooth decay Twitches LAB: Serum Calcium

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Chromium	 Adult-onset diabetes Anxiety Fatigue Glucose intolerance 	
Copper	 Anemia Arterial damage Depression Diarrhea Fatigue 	 Fragile bones Hair loss Hyperthyroidism Weakness
lodine	 Cretinism Fatigue Hypothyroidism Weight gain 	
Iron	 Anemia Brittle nails Confusion Constipation Depression Dizziness Fatigue Headaches 	 Inflamed tongue Mouth lesions Spooning nails Pale blue nails LABS: Low serum iron Low ferritin
Magnesium	 Anxiety Breast cysts Confusion Constipation Chronic stress Cramps Dandruff Depression Excess ear wax Heart attack Hyperactivity Insomnia 	 Irregular heartbeats Irritability Irritable Bowel Syndrome Muscle weakness Nausea Nervousness Noise sensitivity PMS Restlessness Spasms Twitching Sores around mouth Breaking nails



Nutrient	Signs of Imbalance	
Manganese	 Atherosclerosis Dizziness Elevated cholesterol Glucose intolerance Hearing loss Loss of muscle control Ringing in ears 	
Molybdenum	LABS: □ Increased Serum Iron □ Decreased Uric Acid	
Phosphorus	 Anorexia Bone pain Weakness 	
Potassium	 Anorexia Irritability Muscle cramps Muscle weakness Nausea 	
Zinc	 Acne Decreased sense of taste Form scars easily History of Crohn's disease Overconsumption of sweets Poor perception of sweet Rashes Retarded growth and delayed sexual development in children Slow wound healing Smelly feet Tendency towards infections White spots on fingernails Puffy gums Cracked finger tips LAB: Alkaline Phosphatase low 	
Selenium	 Hair Loss Skin and Finger Nail Discoloration Fatigue Hypothyroidism Mental Fog 	

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Amino Acids	 ADHD Depression Difficulty building muscle mass Inability to concentrate 	 Insomnia Lack of motivation Learning disabilities Mood swings
Essential Fatty Acids	 Acne Breast cysts Dandruff Diarrhea Dry skin and hair Eczema Excess ear wax Gall stones Hair loss Immune impairment 	 Infertility Liver degeneration Poor wound healing Premenstrual syndrome Sores around mouth Dry lips Split cuticles Splitting nails