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 A long-term goal can be broken down into a number of short-term goals that lead you, step-by-step, to the final result. It requires planning and time. A short-term goal takes less planning and less time.
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 - Stress Management Tips
 - 1. Balance work with enjoyable non-work activities.
 - 2. Schedule "play" time as a routine part of your activities, not as an "add-on".
 - 3. Schedule time for regular exercise.
 - 4. Eat nutritious meals and avoid junk food.
 - 5. Take time for relaxation.
 - 6. Breathing exercises.
 - 7. Time management.
 - 8. Thinking pleasant thoughts.

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Stress is the body's and mind's reaction to everyday demands or threats. Whether real or imagined, these demands produce measurable changes in both the body and the brain.

When you perceive a situation or event to be a threat, your body begins a stress response. A series of events is put into action as your body prepares itself for "danger." The combination of the stressor and your stress response adds up to your stress.

Physiological Effects: headaches, trembling or twitching, upset stomach, migraines, sweating, rash, constipation, diarrhea, pounding heart, muscle aches and tightness, trouble sleeping, grinding teeth, dry mouth, nervous twitches or tics, dizziness, back pain, ringing in ears.

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