

LEPTIN RESISTANCE

Nutritional Support Protocol

These supplements and dietary changes will improve Leptin Sensitivity and return Leptin levels to normal range. -From *The Rosedale Diet* by Ron Rosedale, M.D.

Lifestyle Recommendations:

- 1. Check Leptin Levels ideal levels are 4-9 ng/dl.
- 2. Avoid stress and extra obligations.
- 3. Avoid alcohol consumption and smoking.
- 4. Participate in a regular balanced exercise program that includes wearing a pedometer to ensure that you collect steps and move more. High intensity short bursts (20-60 seconds) of activity during the day is recommended to enhance growth hormone release. Also engage in resistance training that works all major muscle groups (work each group at least 2 times a week).

Dietary Recommendations:

- 1. Don't overdo protein. Eat 2 eggs for breakfast or 1 scoop of PaleoMeal whey protein with Omega Marine Liquid added, and 3 oz of protein for lunch and dinner.
- 2. Eat three meals don't graze.
- 3. Eat mostly chicken, fish, nuts, vegetables, avocado and olives (see recipes in book).
- 4. The ideal oils to consume are almond oil, avocado oil, macadamia nut oil and olive oil.
- 5. Avoid all sugars. Replace sugar with the polyol sugar xylitol.
- 6. Avoid white flour and all refined carbohydrates including cereals and pasta.
- 7. Get a balance of omega 3's (salmon, mackerel, herring, sardines) and omega 9 fats (olive oil, olives, almonds, hazelnuts, avocados).
- 8. Avoid hydrogenated vegetable oils and fried foods.
- 9. Carry PaleoBars with you to prevent missing snacks throughout the day.
- 10. PaleoFiber taking 1 tbsp in water with each meal will decrease the amount of glucose that ends up in the bloodstream after eating.

Supplement Recommendations:

In addition to the core nutrient program recommended by your Health Care Professional and/or from the results of your most recent Designs for Health Metabolic Profile:

Softgels or OmegAvail Liquid: 2 softgels or 2 teaspoons daily
CLA: 1 with each meal, 3 per day
Chromium Synergy: 1 capsule with each meal
Phosphatidylserine: 1 capsule with breakfast and lunch, 2 per day
Carnitine Synergy: 2 capsules with breakfast and lunch, 4 per day

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