

## **NEUROPATHY**

# **Nutritional Support Protocol**

#### Lifestyle Recommendations:

- 1. Avoid stress and extra obligations.
- 2. Avoid alcohol consumption and smoking
- 3. 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).
- 4. Practice good sleep habits and get between 8-9 hours of sleep a night. Take the "Are You Getting Enough Sleep?" questionnaire and follow the Insomnia Nutritional Support Protocol if needed.

# **Dietary Recommendations:**

- 1. Avoid all sugars. Replace sugar with the polyol sugar xylitol.
- 2. Avoid white flour and all refined carbohydrates including cereals and pasta.
- 3. Get a balance of omega 3's (salmon, mackerel, herring, sardines) and omega 9 fats (olive oil, olives, almonds, hazelnuts, avocados).
- 4. Eat protein at every meal including fish, chicken and lean meat.
- 5. Avoid hydrogenated vegetable oils and fried foods.
- 6. Cook with olive oil, coconut oil, or macadamia nut oil at low heat.
- 7. Snack on vegetables and small amounts of nuts, olives or avocado and PaleoBars are acceptable snacks for Diabetics.
- 8. Incorporate fiber into the diet. Add 1 tsp PaleoFiber with each meal.

### **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:

Stabilized R-Lipoic Acid Supreme:

Carnosine Supreme:

B Supreme:

GLA 240:

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