

### WHAT THIS IS

### WHAT THIS ISN'T

A generalized nutrition approach.

A series of blocks to determine where to start and what to do.

Simple.

A personalized plan.

A book of recipes and meal plans.

One-on-one guidance.

Complex.



BecomeMore Nutrition is a series of 3 blocks, each one of them 4 weeks long where the goal is 80% adherence before moving on to the next block.





# WHAT

### A Whole Foods Approach

In this eBook, you will be provided a series of starting points based on your current nutrition habits. Regardless of where you start, the BecomeMore Nutrition approach revolves around the principle of consuming 80% of your meals homemade, with whole foods, on a consistent schedule. It avoids junk food, processed food, and added sugar as often as possible.

BecomeMore Nutrition aims to achieve the following objectives, in order.

HEALTH Proper nutrition helps prevent chronic disease, enhances, and extends your lifespan.

## PERFORMANCE

Your fitness is fueled by what you fuel your body. Better input yields higher output.

PHYSIQUE Your body only changes when the food you put into it does.



# WHY

### Fitness Alone is Insufficient

Committing to a fitness plan without a food plan would be like trying to win a triathlon with a slowly deflating tire, and attempting to overcome that by working harder.

Many people have this idea in their head about what getting in "shape "looks like. Showing up to the gym for an hour every day, going hard, and expecting the weight to melt off. Initially, for novices, this strategy may work. Your body reacts strongly because it's a new stimulus (think of alcohol after you drink for the first time in a long while). However, once your body adapts, it no longer responds in the same manner.

You have to provide your body with a stronger stimulus that will force it to change.

### A Flexible Approach

We believe the best plan is the one to which you'll adhere *long term*.

We strive for 80% adherence so the other 20% of your life can be flexible and entirely up to you. We don't want you feeling boxed into something you can't sustain. more info:

The Science is In: Exercise Won't Help You Lose Much Weight

More than one third of the American adult population is obese, and nearly ten percent are diabetic. These terrifying numbers are only expected to get worse, and the road to societal reversal begins with what's on our plate.



# HIW

It's now time to get into the meat and potatoes a little bit; the "how to."

First, we build habit. Then, we establish quality. Finally, we determine quantity.

BLOCK 1

First, prepare 80% of your meals at home.

[habit]

**BLOCK 2** 

Second, prepare 80% of your meals with whole foods.

[quality]

BLOCK 3

Third, establish a total amount of calories and macros.

[quanity]

If you are brand new to focusing on nutrition, it would be a terrible strategy to have you immediately hop into counting calories before you have established habit and consistency, like taking a first time hiker and placing them at Everest Base Camp. It is recommended that all beginners start on BLOCK 1 and spend as much time as needed.

On the flip side, those of you with nutrition knowledge and experience may not need a complete overhaul, just a nudge in the right direction. Those in this category might find it more helpful to start on BLOCK 2 or 3.

Examine the three blocks on the following pages to figure out where to begin.

# BI.OGK 1



### BASIC FOOD HABITS

GOAL: Make 80% of your meals at home for 4 weeks.

# ASSESSMENT

Do you eat out for the majority of your meals? Is most of the food you eat processed, or prepared by someone else? Do you regularly consume high-sugar drinks and/or alcohol?

# ACTION

#### **Remove:**

- 1 meal out per day and replace it with a meal prepared at home.
- 1 sugary drink per day.
- Cut alcohol consumption in half.

# ADAL.

When you are making 80% of your meals at home and consuming 80% of your beverages without added sugar for 4 straight weeks, you are ready for **BLOCK 2: Basic Food Quality.** 

### example SUCCESSFUL UNSUCCESSFUL MEAL: HOMEMADE DINE OUT MEAL I MEAL 2 MEAL 3 MEAL 4 MON MEAL I MEAL 2 MEAL 3 MEAL 4 TUE. MEAL I MEAL 2 MEAL 4 WED. MEAL 3 MEAL I MEAL 2 MEAL 4 THU. MEAL I MEAL 2 MEAL 3 MEAL 4 FRI. MEAL 2 MEAL I MEAL 3 SAT MEAL 2 MEAL 4 MEAL I MEAL 3 SUN.

23 / 28 MEALS =

REPEAT 80%+ FOR 4

WEEKS

# BLOCK 2



# BASIC FOOD QUALITY

GOAL: Make 80% of your meals with whole foods for 4 weeks.

# ASSESSIIIENT

Are you making 80% of your meals at home? Are 80% of your beverages free of added sugar? If not, develop homebased nutrition with **BLOCK 1**: **Basic Food Habits.** 

Regularly consume homemade meals prepared with the whole foods found on the following page.

When you are making 80% of your meals at home and preparing them with the recommended ingredients for 4 straight weeks, you may proceed to BLOCK 3: Basic Food Quantity.

# example

USE THE SAME CONCEPT TO GRADE YOUR 4 WEEKS THAT YOU USED IN BLOCK 1.

### SUCCESSFUL MEAL EXAMPLES



SALMON FILET SALTED BAKED POTATO SIDE SALAD



SLICED FLANK STEAK WILD RICE SAUTEED ONIONS & PEPPERS



BBQ CHICKEN BREAST CANNED SWEET POTATOES SAUTEED SPINACH & GARLIC



2 EGGS 1/2 CUP OF EGG WHITES CHICKEN SAUSAGE APPLE



GREEK YOGURT OATS BERRIES

### A SUCCESSFUL MEAL IS ANY THAT INCLUDES THE 3 MAIN COMPONENTS:

1. A LEAN PROTEIN
2. A WHOLE FOOD CARBOHYDRATE
3. A VEGETABLE/FRUIT

#### UNSUCCESSFUL MEAL EXAMPLES

ANY MEAL DINING OUT.

ANY MEAL PREPARED AT HOME NOT CENTERED AROUND THOSE 3 COMPONENTS.

# PROTEINS



Poultry Lean Beef and Pork Salmon, Fish, Shrimp, Scallops, Seafood Eggs and Egg Whties 2% Greek Yogurt (no added sugar)

Protein is essential to preserving lean body mass, a crucial aspect of healthy metabolism and strength.

1g = 4 calories

# GARBS

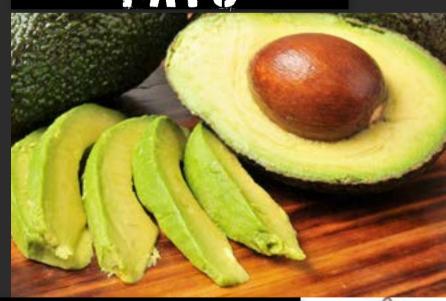


All Potatoes
All Rices
Oats
Beans & Legumes
Whole Grain Bread
Fruits, Leafy Greens, Veggies

Our primary form of energy in exercise. Our main way of getting required glucose.

 $\mathbf{1g} = 4$  calories





Almonds
Aged Cheeses
Avocados
High Quality Olive Oil
Nuts, Nut Butters, Nut Milks
Grass-Fed Butter, Ghee

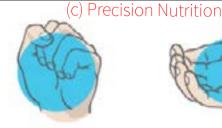
Fat improves satiety, cell function, vitamin absorption, and hormone balance.

1g = 9 calories

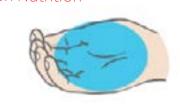
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A serving of protein = 1 palm



A serving of vegetables = 1 fist

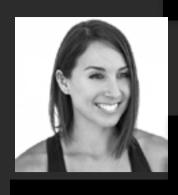


A serving of carbs = 1 cupped hand

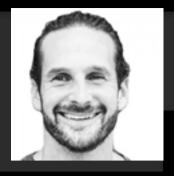


A serving of 6 fats = 1 thumb

# SAMPLE GOAGH DIETS



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### **BREAKFAST:**

1 egg 6 oz. egg whites asparagus arugula english muffin salt & pepper

### **LUNCH:**

tuna chopped peppers & onions purple tomatoes green tobasco

### **DINNER:**

salmon filet green beans avocado dressing tomatoes

### **OTHER MEALS:**

Snack Pack Nutter Butter Bites

Wine

#### **SHAKE:**

1 tbsp powdered peanut butter
1 tbsp collagen protein
1 scoop whey protein

### **BREAKFAST:**

1c unflavored oats 1 scoop chocolate protein 1 tbsp honey cinnamon

### **LUNCH:**

5 oz. chicken breast 1 medium apple few slices avocado mixed greens

### **DINNER:**

1c brown rice pasta 5 oz. 96/4 ground beef 1/2 c marinara sauce

### **OTHER MEALS:**

### **SHAKE:**

2 scoops vanilla protein 8 oz. Naked Berry smoothie mix

8 oz. chocoloate ripple peak milk 1.5 scoops chocolate protein 1 tbsp almond butter handful of spinach

### **BREAKFAST:**

1 egg
1c egg whites
handful of spinach
small pinch of cheese
frozen hashed browns

### **LUNCH:**

6 oz. grilled chicken 1 1/2c white rice hummus handful of arugula sriracha

### **DINNER:**

6 oz. 93/7 ground beef sauteed onions & garlic baked sweet potato brussels sprouts salsa

### **OTHER MEALS:**

### SHAKE:

2 scoops Gnarly Whey 1c almond milk handful of spinach frozen blueberries

#### **SNACK:**

1 pack low sugar flavored oats 1 pack unflavored oats 1 tbsp almond butter raspberries

# BI.OCK 3



### BASIC FOOD QUANTITY

GOAL: 80% of days with correct calorie intake for 4 weeks.

# ASSESSILENT

Once you are eating 80% of your meals at home with quality ingredients, it is appropriate to begin tracking calories.

### **EXAMPLE: 175 POUND MALE**

CARBS: 259 G PER DAY x 4 Calories/Gram = 1,024 Cal PROTEIN: 173 G PER DAY x 4 Calories/Gram = 692 Cal FATS: 64 G PER DAY x 9 Calories/Gram = 576 Cal

= 2,292 Calories per Day

1. Calculate your daily macro needs: **Macro Calculator** 

2. Calculate your daily calorie needs: Use the marcros prescribed above to calculate total daily calories.

Simply multiply your total carb and protein grams per day x4, and your total fat grams per day x9 (top right).

First, 80% adherence over 4 weeks to your total daily calorie presecription (this page).

Then, 80% adherence for 4 weeks to your prescribed macros (next page).

calonies **STAY WITHIN 100 CALORIES OF YOUR DAILY** PRESCRIPTION GOAL. MON. 2,292 SUGGESTED RULE TUE. 2,340

### OF THUMB:

If you are new to tracking calories, your first weeks should be focused on hitting your CALORIE needs, NOT your exact macros.

Once you are consistent eating at your prescribed daily calories needs for weeks, then you may begin focusing on your breakdown macro (next page).

WED. 2,200 2,255 THU. FRI. 2,315

SAT. 2,253

SUN.



WHEN YOU AVERAGE 80% DAILY CALORIC SUCCESS OVER 4 WEEKS, YOU MAY BEGIN TO FOCUS ON TRACKING PRECISE MACRO INTAKE.

# GUIDE TO TRACKING

STEP 1: ESTABLISH A
TRACKING METHOD
Download MyMacros+
app

Log every meal with as much accuracy as possible to keep caloric accuracy.

# STEP 2: CONSIDER A FOOD SCALE Browse Food Scales

Eyeballing food can lead to over or under eating and your goals suffering when you begin getting serious with calories and macro tracking.

TIP: Try to consume an equal number of your calories and/or macros across each meal, but always remember your daily total calorie count is King. Don't eat more carbs to get to 259 grams if it means you go over your total calories.

259 C / 173 P / 64 F

TUE. 265C / 177 P / 58 F

**WED.** 259 C / 173 P / 64 F

THU. 247 C / 182 P / 69 F

FRI. 320 C / 110 P / 97 F

259 C / 173 P / 64 F

SUN. 251 C / 168 P / 68 F

**35%** 

TARGET FROM PREVIOUS PAGE EXAMPLE:

macros

CARB: 259G PROTEIN: 173G FAT: 64G

DIVIDE YOUR
MACROS BY
YOUR TOTAL
EXPECTED
MEALS.

259G CARBS / 4 MEALS = 64G PER MEAL

STAY WITHIN
10G OF
PROTEN &
CARBS, 5G OF
FAT FOR THE
DAY.





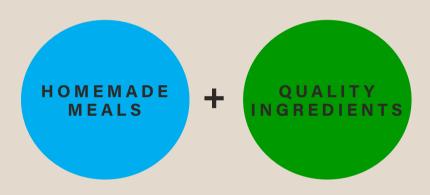
### **BLOCK 1: FOOD HABITS**



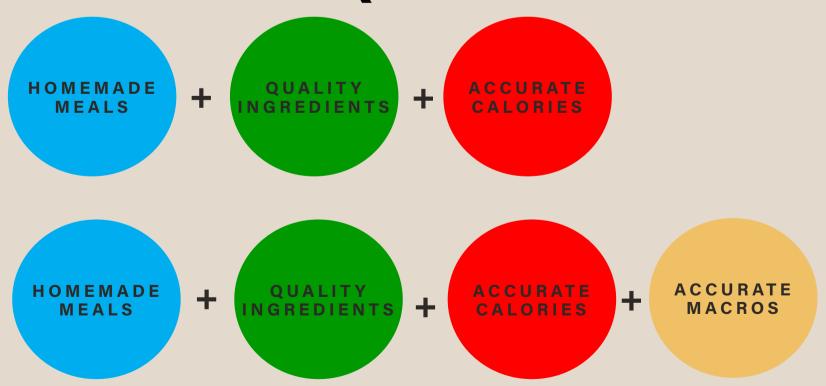
### GUIDE:

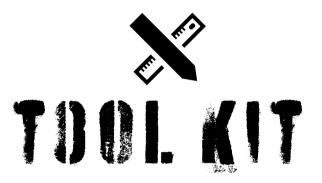
Spend a minimum of 4 weeks in every step to ensure habit formation and highest level of success.

### **BLOCK 2: FOOD QUALITY**



### **BLOCK 3: FOOD QUANTITY**





Helpful information, guidance, and and adherence charts.





### THE BASICS

### **PORTION CONTROL**

Counting claories is rarely necessary for successful, long term healthy nutrition. The better strategy is to get comfortable with general concepts surrending portion control. Page 8 provides you a helpful guide.

#### WATER

It's best to consume 1 oz of water per kg of body weight. To calculate your weight in kg, simply divide your body weight in pounds by 2.2.

ie. 180 pound person / 2.2 kg = 81 kg 81 kg = 81 daily ounces of water

### **SLEEP**

Studies suggest that people who sleep fewer than 6 hours per night gain almost 2x as much weight over a 6-year period as people who sleep 7 to 8 hours per night. Bad sleep can decrease caloric burn 5-20%.

### **WHY CARBS MATTER**

Cutting carbs can be an effective tool for fast fat loss, IF one's metabolism is healthy, but it rarely lasts and comes at a severe cost to your body.

- Decreased thyroid ouput
- Increased cortisol output
- Decresed testosterone and strength
- Decreased brain function and mood
- Increased muscle catobolism
- Decreased immune function.

From Dr. John Berardi: "In other words, your metabolism might slow, your stress hormones go up and your muscle-building hormones go down. You feel lousy, spaced-out, sluggish, cranky and maybe even sick.

Most vexing of all: You probably don't even lose that much weight in the long term."

### **MICRONUTRIENTS**

Vitamins and minerals are involved in almost every biological process that we have. Without them, we break down.

To simply focus on macros is unhealthy and an injustice to nutrition. Food quality must be at the cornerstone of every program before food quantity is addressed.

### **MACRONUTRIENTS**

Protein, fat, and carbohydrates make up the three macronutrients. Each of them plays a vital role in our health and metabolism.

**Protein** is essential to preserving lean body mass, strength, and a healthy metabolism.

**Carbs** are our primary form of energy in exercise, and our main way of providing the brain required glucose.

**Fat** improves cell function, vitamin absorption, and hormone balance.

### **CALORIES IN VS. CALORIES OUT?**

This is a flawed and antiquated method due to the margin of error that occurs in both.

#### **Calories In**

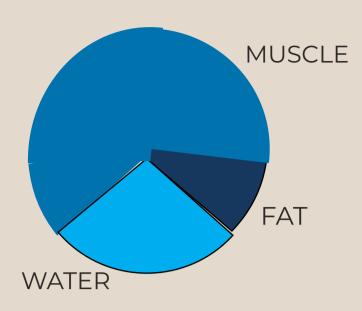
- \*\*Food labeling can be 25-50% inaccurate.
- \*\*Due to our unique gut bacteria, we all process calories differently.
- \*\*Differnent foods are absorbed at different rates (nuts and seeds only 68-95% abosrbed).
- \*\*Cooking alters caloric profile.

#### **Calories Out**

- \*\*Consumer fitness tracking products have a margin of error of up to 30%.
- \*\*Daily variance in sleep, hormones, and stress effect caloric burn that day.

Calories are a helpful guide, not the bible.

### BODY SCAN



# SCALE ? TOTAL BODY WEIGHT ?

### BEWARE OF THE SCALE

Understand that the scale provides only partial truths: your total weight at any given time of day. Where the scale greatly fails is in delivering your body composition, aka how much of your total weight is comprised of fat, muscle, and water.

For example, it is very common for a member to burn 7 pounds of body fat in their first three months while adding 4 pounds of muscle. If one were to base their progress off the scale, they might see a net decrease of "just" 3 pounds and be disappointed.

However, in reality the results are much more profound, dropping 7 pounds of unhealthy tissue (fat) and replacingit with 4 pounds of healthly tissue (muscle). This is a tremendous initial success!

For this reason, we strongly encourage you to only judge your progress using the body scanner at the gym.



Over 9 months, Kelly lost a total of 10 pounds according to the scale. However, when looking at the whole picture of the body scan, we found that she in fact lost **20 pounds** of fat, and added 10 pounds of muscle, resulting in a net total decrease of "only" 10 pounds. The scale would have failed to show Kelly's amazing postpartum success.



### Why is Muscle Important?

Muscle helps determine our body's Resting Metabolic Rate. The more muscle that we have, the more calories we burn and "healthier" our metabolism.

### IN PRACTICAL TERMS

140 Pound Woman (Week 1)

75% MUSCLE

25% FAT

140 Pound Woman (Week 12)

80% MUSCLE

20% FAT

Adding muscle doesn't always mean gaining weight. Sometimes, it's simply a "re-composition" of the same weight that leads to a more active metabolism, higher health, and favorable body composition.

- 1. Start somewhere, anywhere. We believe in the KISS principle. Keep It Simple Stupid. Adhere 80% or above and you will see results regardless where you start.
- 2. Develop the correct expectations. The goal here is to completely transform your nutritional habits over 12 weeks, not deliver temporary short-term results. This is not a cleanse or "14 Day Fat Loss."
- 3. Don't overthink your fitness. Nutrition will drive the majority of changes you see in your body, but fitness must support it. Any P360 class formula you choose will support your goals. However, we recommend that you not miss days where there is a barbell lift, as those drive adaptation better than anything else that we offer.

4. What happens if I go off the rails at some point?

A bad day or week will not derail your progress. It happens to us all. Nutrition is not an all or nothing endeavor. It's about positive habits and consistency, not absolutism!

# 4-WEEK ADHERENCE CHART

### **GOAL: 80% ADHERENCE AFTER 4 WEEKS**

These adherence charts can be used for all three system blocks.

You may also use a separate chart to track your drinks, as well.

	MEAL 1	MEAL 2	MEAL 3	MEAL 4	MEAL 5	MEAL 6	SCORE
EXAMPLE	Y	Y	Y	N	X	X	3/4
MON							
TUES							
WED							
THUR							
FRI							
SAT							
SUN							
SCORE							
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Interested in a more hands-on experience with guidance, education, and accountability?

Our 11-Week Group Coaching Blocks may be for you.

# **BECOMEMORE** NUTRITION COACHING

BLOCK 1 STARTS: Thursday, January 10th

COMMUNITY // SUPPORT // EDUCATION

FOCUS: GROUP COACHING

TIMELINE: 11 WEEKS

**COST:** \$79/**MO\*** + Membership

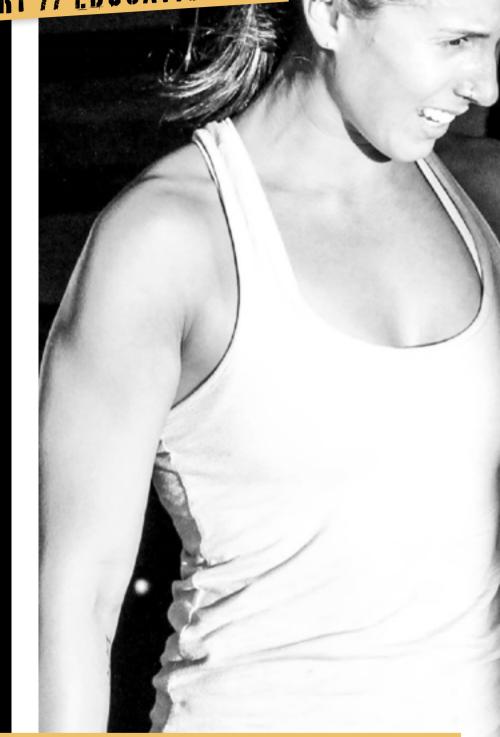
HOW IT WORKS:

Open Enrollment period will occur Jan. 2nd - 6th.

BLOCK 1 will begin with an introductory meeting Thursday, Jan. 10th at 7 pm.

From there, we will meet every Thursday at 7 pm to learn one of 11 BecomeMore Nutritional Courses, a coached Q&A session, and a group workout towards goals.

\*\$79 is the inaugural price only. The next 11-week group will be \$99/mo. in April.



### WHAT IT INCLUDES:



WEEKLY NUTRITION CLASS



WEEKLY **BODY SCANS** 



GROUP



**FACEBOOK** ACCOUNTABILITY PAGE SUPPORT



PERFORMANCE BASELINES



BLOCK AWARDS



POSITIVE COMMUNITY

### SAMPLE PROGRAM DVERVIEW

## 1/10, COURSE 1: INTRO & OBJECTIVES

program goals, expecations, strategy

### 1/17, COURSE 2: THE BASICS

portion size, water, sleep, fitness

### 1/24 COURSE 3: ENERGY BALANCE

resting metabolic rate, thermic effect of eating, physical activity.

### 1/31, COURSE 4: MICRONUTRIENTS

vitamins and minerals

### 2/7, COURSE 5: MACRONUTRIENTS

protein, fat, carbohydrates

### 2/14, COURSE 6: SUPPLEMENTS

who, what, when

### 2/21, COURSE 7:

**CALÓRIES IN VS. CALORIES OUT** modern problems and solutions

### 2/28, COURSE 8: MACRO GENERAL APPROACH

accuracy & mindset

### 3/7, COURSE 9: DINING OUT

re-introduction and how to do it properly

### 3/14, COURSE 10: MEAL TIMING

who is it for, training vs. non-training days

# 3/21, COURSE 11: CLOSING CEREMONIES

recognition, awards, progress

\*Not an accurate schedule. Meant to illustrate our general approach and content.

### meeting format:

THURSDAYS, 7 PM @ CROWN POINT

Group Work Weekly 101 Course Group Workout Q&A Weekly Assignment

# reasons to enroll:

- 1. Learn about nutrition.
- 2. You want help with goals.
- 3. Help with commitment.
- 4. Develop lifelong habits.
- 5. Step-by-step guidance.
- 6. Accountability & community.

### reasons not to enroll:

- 1. Expecting one-on-one coaching.
- 2. Expecting meal plan prescriptions.
- 3. Expecting fast results.
- 4. You prefer not to be part of a group or aren't ready to change.

# NETRITION TEAM



### ASHLEY PRITZ

Coach Ashley's undergraduate education in Nutritional Studies, past experience training for physique competitions, 6 years experience as a P360 member, and current coaching role at Performance360 all influence and drive her passion to see other's succeed with food habits.

Ashley is currently enrolled in the prestigious Precision Nutrition Coaching program, and has worked with many new members on their nutrition approach over the past 12 months.











### DAVE THOMAS

A past Certified Nutritional Consultant, and currently enrolled in the Precision Nutrition Coaching program, Dave has coached many clients and members to success over the past 8 years using simple methodologies and easy ahderence.



### **TENNA MEINEB**

A Precision Nutrition Level 1 Coach, Lenny comes from a bodybuilding educational background and founded our first formal nutrition coaching program. Lenny delivered outstanding results for men and women across many different levels of experience and goals, and acts as an indirect advisor to the nutrition program.

# QUESTIONS?

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