



Team stretch

How to take this break

Get your team members to contribute to a stretching "pot" by donating resistance bands, hands and ankle weights, and yoga mats. Find a place where you can stretch together in the office, a meeting room or possibly an outside green space.

Why this counts - **Relaxing**

Regular stretch breaks can help to reduce tension and energize you for the rest of the day.

Go to [Workplace Strategies for Mental Health](#) for more ideas, tools and resources to help with the prevention, intervention and management of workplace mental health issues.

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