

## HOW TO SLEEP BETTER SELF-HELP CHECKLIST

SLEEP-FRIENDLY CHOICES I MADE TODAY:	MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN	NOTES
Went to sleep at my regular bed time			     				     	
Increased light exposure during the day by spending time outside (or using a light therapy box)			1 1 1 1 1 1				1 1 1 1 1 1	
Boosted melatonin by turning off all screens at least 30 mins before bed time and avoiding bright lights			- 1 1 1 1 1				- 1 1 1 1 1	
Made my bedroom as dark, cool, and quiet as possible			     				     	
Did one activity from my toolbox of relaxing bed time rituals			•     				•     	- 
Exercised for 30 mins or more during the day			1 1 1 1 1				1 1 1 1 1	
Avoided alcohol and a late, heavy meal			1 1 1				1 1 1	
Cut back on caffeine, especially after lunch								
Practiced a relaxation technique prior to bed time or when waking up in the night, such as deep breathing or meditation								

**Reference:** How to Sleep Better Tips for Getting a Good Night's Sleep http://helpguide.org/articles/sleep/how-to-sleep-better.htm