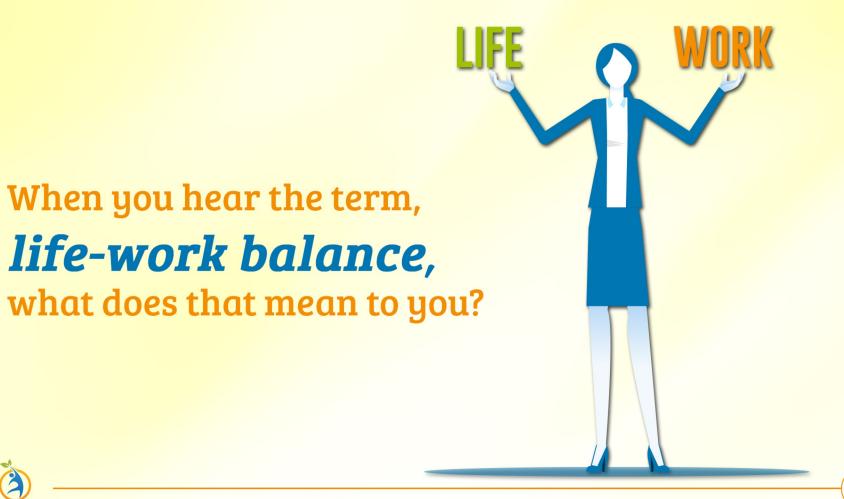




THE IMPORTANCE OF LIFE/WORK BALANCE FOR HEALTH, JOB SATISFACTION AND PRODUCTIVITY





By definition:

Life-work balance is a state of equilibrium where an individual's career and personal life are in alignment.

Both are equally important.



REASONS FOR AN OUT-OF-BALANCE LIFE:

Unrealistic work expectations

Inability to prioritize and manage work responsibilities

Learning curve due to a promotion or new position within an organization

Illness

Caring for aging parents

Having children



SIDE EFFECTS OF AN OUT-OF-BALANCE LIFE:

- Decline in physical health
- Difficulty sleeping
- Experiencing anxiety, depression, or feeling overwhelmed
- Over-committed schedule
- Communication and relationship challenges
- Spending less time with family and friends
- Poor decision making due to lack of mental clarity
- Chronic stress
- BURNOUT





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IMPACTS TO THE EMPLOYER WHEN EMPLOYEES ARE STRUGGLING WITH LIFE-WORK BALANCE?

Increased employee absenteeism due to illness and job dissatisfaction

Higher healthcare costs

Unhappy employees

Poor productivity

Increased turnover





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Download a copy of the accomplishment list worksheet here.



3. Disconnect

- Take a social media / virtual break
- Go on vacation

4. Find ways to move throughout the day (preferably every hour)







5. Do something for yourself each day that brings you joy

- Go for a walk
- Listen to music
- Read a chapter in your favorite book
- Play with your pets
- Play with your kids
- Reach out to a loved one
- Meditate

- Devotions
- Light your favorite candle
- Enjoy a cup of coffee or tea
- Watch an episode of your favorite show
- Look at a favorite photo or inspirational saying
- Practice gratitude



"Your greatest contribution in life is not your work.
Your greatest contribution is showing up and being fully
present in the lives of the people you are surrounded with."



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