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Toileting position





Pelvic health resources

* Aim for type 3 or 4, 3 times/day to once every 3 days by balancing fibre & fluid.
* Aim for 1.5-2L of water & 3 regular meals a day.
* Type 1-2: Add fibre/water.
* Type 5-7: Try a lower fibre diet.
* No ‘one diet fits all’ and it often takes time to find the right balance.

*Image: GoodRx.com*

* Complete for 3 consecutive days.
* Write down everything you eat & drink, including medication and the approx. time.
* When you pee, note the time it takes or amount small, medium or large.
* Write down any leaks and what happened i.e. ‘jumping’, ’on the way to the toilet’.
* Note amount: small (few drops), medium (wet underwear), large (wet through outer clothes).
* ‘Was urge present?’ - did you feel like your bladder was full when the leak occurred?
* At night, write down any time you wake to pee/poo & whether you wake up wet or dry.
* Record bowel movements.
* Pick your stool type 1-7 from the Bristol stool chart or whether it was difficult to pass/hold on to or clean yourself after.
* \*Everyone has different stool habits that can occasionally change. If your stools are too hard or loose for a while talk to a dietitian or doctor.





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