



### Sleep is essential for your health and well-being.

Stop waking up on the wrong side of the bed and start sleeping better and deeper with tips from the experts at NorthShore University HealthSystem.





### Heavy meals and alcohol \*

might make you drowsy, but they can disrupt sleep later.

TIP: Avoid eating and drinking at least two hours before bed.

## **Stay Cool**



### Lowering your core temperature can help you fall asleep faster and sleep deeper.

TIP: For optimal sleep, keep the bedroom between 60-67 °F.

# Sleep Training



### Train your body

to recognize bedtime by implementing a nightly ritual.

TIP: Get in bed 30 minutes before bedtime so you have time to wind down.

### Power Down



# The light from electronic devices—like phones and tablets—activates the brain.

TIP: Keep electronic devices out of the bedroom and read a real book instead.

