# **ADHD and Sleep**

Improve ADHD symptoms by getting better sleep



# People with ADHD frequently have difficulty sleeping.

The most common problems are:

## To get better sleep:

- 1 Make a bedtime routine and stick to it.
- 2 Avoid caffeinated drinks in the evening.
- Find a quiet, relaxing place to sit for an hour or two before going to bed.
- 4 Try to avoid napping during the day.
- 5 Use the bed for sleeping only.

### **Falling Asleep**

Problems getting enough sleep at night Lying awake with mind racing

Poor Sleep Quality

Insomnia and unrefreshing sleep Tossing and turning all night Waking in the morning feeling tired

#### Waking up

Getting up in the morning is a daily struggle

Sleeping through the sound of the alarm clock

Feeling light-headed and irritable after waking

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