Show your love.

You're ready to get pregnant, and you're thinking about the future. This is the time to nurture and love yourself by planning and preparing your body for pregnancy and following some simple steps to improve your preconception health.

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What can you do?

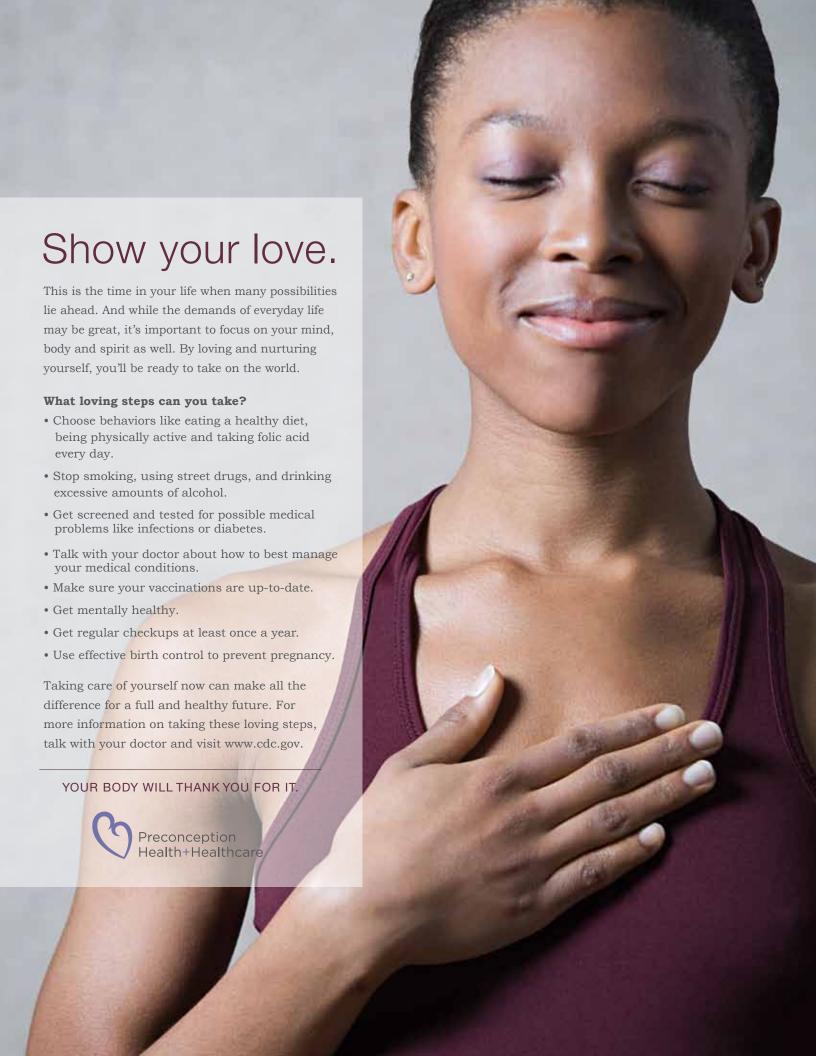
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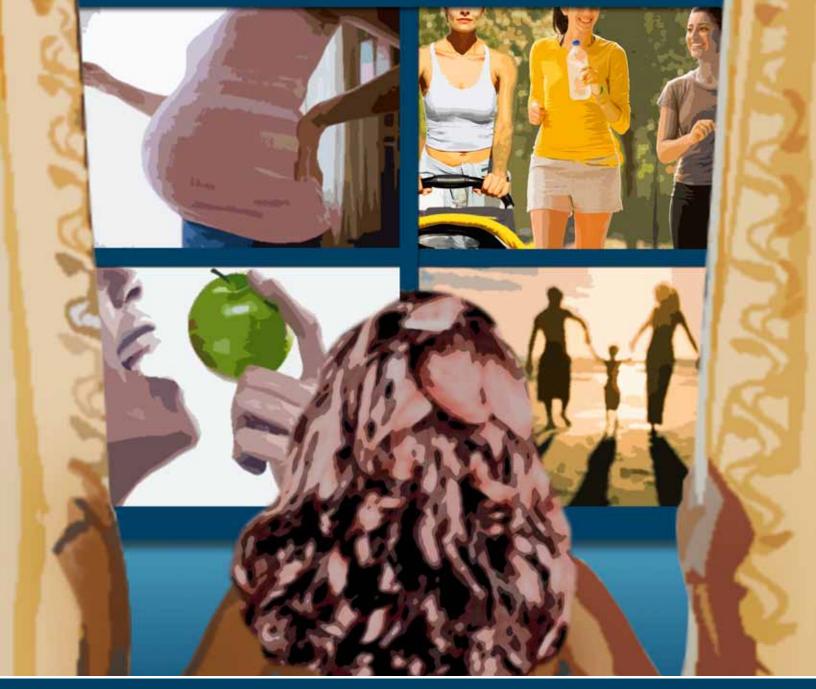
Taking good care of yourself now can make all the difference for you and your baby. Because healthy women make healthy mothers and healthy mothers make healthy babies. For more information on improving your preconception health and getting your body ready for pregnancy, talk with your doctor and visit www.cdc.gov.

YOUR BABY WILL THANK YOU FOR IT.









Your window of opportunity improves with good health.

There's a window in your life when you can see so many possibilities ... What you want to be, where you wish to go, and the people you hope will be with you when you get there. And if you want to get pregnant in the next year or two, the time to think about your preconception health and start planning your pregnancy is now.

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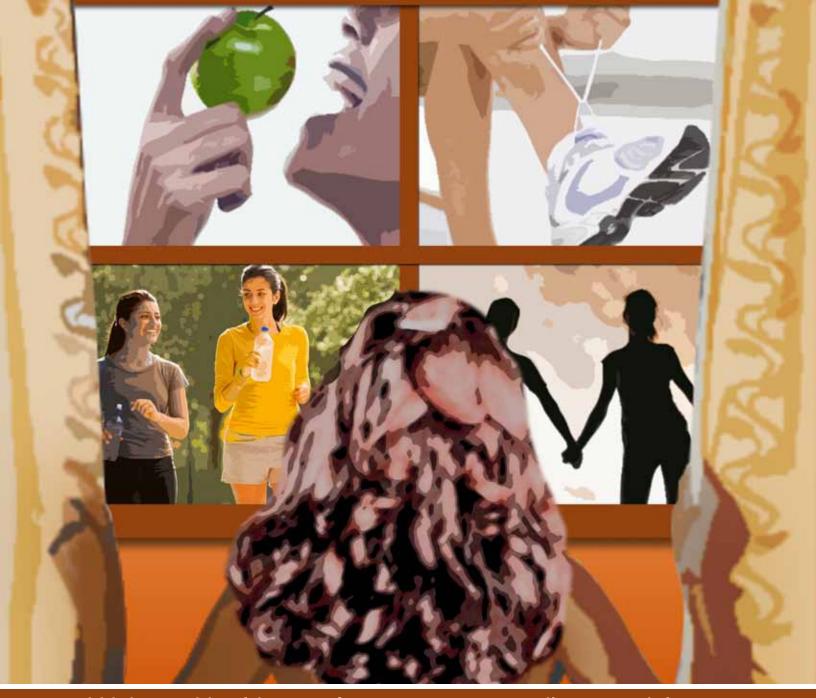
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With good health, your future is open to endless possibilities.

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What steps can you take to be at your best?

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- Get mentally healthy.
- Get regular checkups at least once a year.
- Use effective birth control to prevent pregnancy.

Your health now can affect the woman you become. For more information on how to be your best, talk with your doctor and visit **www.cdc.gov**.





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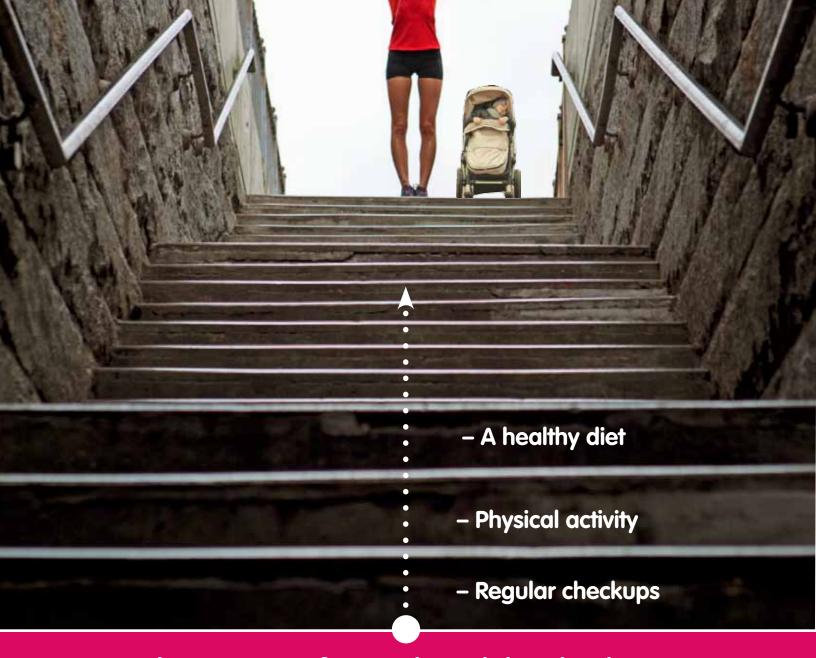
This is the time in your life when many opportunities lie ahead. To take full advantage of these opportunities, there are positive steps that can help you become the best you can be. With attention and care to both the physical and emotional aspects of your health, you'll be better prepared to achieve your goals. There's no better time than now to take these steps to a healthy lifestyle.

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By taking these healthy steps now you'll be ready for just about anything. For more information on taking steps to a healthier you, talk with your doctor and visit www.cdc.gov.





Baby steps for a healthy baby.

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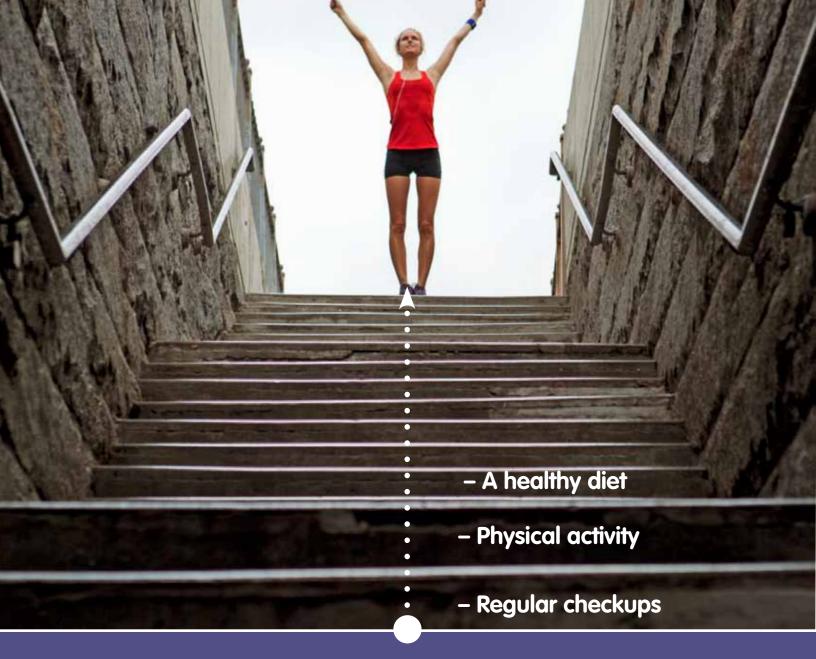
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Take steps.

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