

## LIVING WELL

## TEN MOST COMMON HEALTH MISTAKES

- 1. Not having a plan not preparing for age-related health issues
- 2. Not knowing your or your family's health history
- 3. Not having swift access to key medical records
- 4. Being passive or withholding questions during doctor visits
- 5. Ignoring lifestyle factors proven to affect health, vitality and longevity (e.g., smoking, weight, exercise)
- 6. Ignoring symptoms, therefore preventing early detection
- 7. Allowing a busy professional life to prevent you from vital screenings (e.g., mammograms, colonoscopy)
- 8. Getting only one opinion in the case of a serious diagnosis
- 9. Traveling without medical preparation
- 10. Being unaware of rapidly changing medical advances

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