

Incorporating Nutrition into Basic Cooking Camps for Prevention of Diabetes

## Practice Points for Youth Practitioners



## Incorporate fun physical activity into each day of the workshop.

It is important to show participants a variety of new activities which they can use outside and inside to reduce sedentary habits.

## Youth need to be engaged, preparing and tasting dishes they create.

It shows them that healthy food can taste good. When they are engaged, they are more likely to make the dishes they practiced in class for their families.





## Create resources the participants can take home.

These resources will help reinforce the healthy behaviors they learned about in class. Recipes, handouts, magnets, tools to cook and exercise videos/equipment like Dynabands to encourage the adoption of practices learned in class.