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# DETOX

AN EXCERPT FROM THE DANIEL PLAN

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THE DANIEL PLAN DETOX includes the fundamentals laid out in The Daniel Plan. The only difference is that you stop eating anything that could *potentially* trigger health issues. Even if you think you don't have a problem, you might see a big difference. If a horse had been standing on your foot your whole life, then you may not know how bad it feels until he gets off your foot. Most of Dr. Hyman's patients say, "Dr. Hyman, I didn't know I was feeling so bad until I started feeling so good!" That is our wish for all of you.

#### What you will eat:

- Eat real fresh, whole food.
- Follow The Daniel Plan Detox meal plan chart, or create your own from the real food ingredients.

#### What you will let go of:

- Stimulants and sedatives: alcohol, caffeine, etc.
- Processed or fast food (get rid of any additives or chemicals)
- Artificial sweeteners of all kinds
- All sugar in any form (see page 108)
- All dairy (milk, yogurt, butter, cheese) 100%, not even a drop
- All gluten (wheat, rye, barley, oats, spelt, kamut) 100%, not even a crumb

# HOW DO I DO THE DANIEL PLAN DETOX?

The Daniel Plan Detox is easier to do in a group or with friends. Find a friend or small group and do it together. You will be enjoying a delicious variety of whole fresh foods and stopping inflammatory or toxic foods. Your body will have a chance to heal, reboot, and reset, allowing you to notice for the first time how good you can really feel. It may seem like a sacrifice, but if you have never done it, you owe it to yourself to learn firsthand how profound healing can come from a few simple dietary changes.

If you are on caffeine, you can slowly cut down by half over the course of a week before you do the detox. That will minimize any caffeine withdrawal headaches. Be sure to drink at least 8 glasses of water a day. Get plenty of sleep, rest, and even naps while your body is healing. Do gentle exercise such as a 30-minute walk a day. Try to cut down on any unnecessary activities or overscheduling; think of this as a time of renewal and restoration. At the end of the 10 (or 40) days, your body will tell you what it needs. If you feel great, just continue eating according to the detox meal plan.

If you want to add back healthy forms of dairy or gluten, then make sure you add one at a time. Start with dairy. Have something a few times a day and notice how you feel. Do you have congestion, bloating, or other symptoms? If you do, then you would mostly likely be better off without it. After three days of eating dairy, add back gluten. Have a piece of bread or some whole grain pasta, and observe carefully. Do you have joint pain, brain fog, headaches, or stomach problems? If gluten makes you sick, or even just sluggish and tired, you want to consider eating gluten free or going on a very low gluten diet. Also, you may try lower gluten grains such as rye or barley or steel cut oats.

Many people have low-grade food sensitivities, and The Daniel Plan Detox is a wonderful way to learn how these two common inflammatory foods affect you.

Adding back caffeine from coffee or tea is also optional. Notice how you feel without the caffeine. You can always have decaf. With that said, however, it is not bad to enjoy your daily cup of joe. Just be sure you don't load it up with lots of sugar or artificial sweeteners. For those who enjoy a drink from time to time, again, it can be part of a healthy lifestyle. Just notice how it makes you feel, how it affects your

sleep, energy, and mood. We are all different, and it is key to find the right balance for you.

Fill out the following medical-symptom questionnaire that assesses your overall level of well-being as well as any toxicity or inflammation. Score yourself before and after The Daniel Plan Detox, or at the end of the 40 days. You will be surprised by how much you can heal in such a short time.

## THE TOXICITY AND SYMPTOM SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE

This questionnaire identifies symptoms that help to identify the underlying causes of illness and helps you track your progress over time. Rate each of the following symptoms based on your health over the past 30 days. If you are filling out this questionnaire after the first two days of detox, record your symptoms for the last 48 hours ONLY.

#### **POINT SCALE**

O = Never or almost never have the symptom

1 = Occasionally have it, effect is not severe

2 = Occasionally have it, effect is severe

3 = Frequently have it, effect is not severe

4 = Frequently have it, effect is severe

DIGESTIVE TRACT	EARS
Nausea or vomiting	Itchy ears
Diarrhea	Earaches, ear infections
Constipation	Drainage from ear
Bloated feeling	Ringing in ears, hearing loss
Belching, or passing gas	TOTAL
Heartburn	
Intestinal/stomach pain	
TOTAL	

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EMOTIONS  Mood swings Anxiety, fear, or nervousness Anger, irritability, or aggressiveness Depression  TOTAL  ENERGY/ACTIVITY Fatigue, sluggishness Apathy, lethargy Hyperactivity Restlessness TOTAL  EYES	JOINTS/MUSCLES  Pain or aches in joints  Arthritis  Stiffness or limitation of movement  Pain or aching in muscles  Feeling of weakness or tiredness  TOTAL  LUNGS  Chest congestion  Asthma, bronchitis  Shortness of breath  Difficult breathing  TOTAL
Watery or itchy eyes	Poor memory
Swollen, reddened, or sticky eyelids	Confusion, poor comprehension
Bags or dark circles under eyes	Poor concentration
Blurred or tunnel vision (does not	Poor physical coordination
include near- or far-sightedness)	Difficulty in making decisions
TOTAL	Stuttering or stammering
HEAD	Slurred speech
Headaches	Learning disabilities
Faintness	TOTAL
Dizziness	MOUTH/THROAT
Insomnia	Chronic coughing
TOTAL	Gagging, frequent need to clear throat
HEART	Sore throat, hoarseness,
Irregular or skipped heartbeat	loss of voice
Rapid or pounding heartbeat	Swollen or discolored tongue, gum, lips
Chest pain	Canker sores
TOTAL	TOTAL
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NOSE Stuffy nose Sinus problems	WEIGHT  Binge eating/drinking  Craving certain foods	
— Hay fever  — Sneezing attacks  Excessive mucus formation	Excessive weight Compulsive eating Water retention	
	Water retention Underweight TOTAL	
SKIN  Acne Hives, rashes, or dry skin Hair loss Flushing or hot flushes Excessive sweating TOTAL	OTHER  Frequent illness  Frequent or urgent urination  Genital itch or discharge  TOTAL	
	GRAND TOTAL	
KEY TO QUESTIONNAIRE  1. Add individual scores and total each group. 2. Add each group score for a grand total.  Optimal is less than 10  Mild toxicity 10-50  Moderate toxicity 50-100  Severe toxicity over 100		

# THE DANIEL PLAN DETOX Meals that require a recipe are in **bold**; you will find the recipes on pages 304-31.

	DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3	DAY 4	DAY 5
BREAKFAST	Dr. Hyman's whole food protein shake	Avocado & veggie 2-egg omelet	1cup cooked quinoa with ½ c. unsweetened almond milk and cinnamon	Chia coconut brown rice breakfast bowl	Quinoa breakfast bake
SNACK	Mixed veggie sticks (celery, carrots, cucumber, jicama) and ½ c. artichoke hummus	½ c. mixed berries plus 25 cinnamon-toasted almonds	Blueberry, spinach, & flax smoothie	2 tbsp. <b>crunchy</b> <b>chickpeas</b> with hardboiled egg	Veggie mocktail
LUNCH	½ c. quinoa with steamed broccoli and carrots and antioxidant salad dressing	3 turkey roll ups (2 slices low-sodium, nitrate free turkey breast, romaine lettuce, & ½ c. artichoke hummus	Dr. Hyman's black bean soup	Dr. Hyman's sun-dried tomato turkey burgers	Dr. Hyman's raw kale salad
SNACK	Veggie mocktail	2 tbsp. <b>crunchy</b> <b>chickpeas</b> with hardboiled egg	1 c. steamed organic edamame in the shell	½ c. mixed berries plus 25 cinnamon-toasted almonds	Mixed veggie sticks (celery, carrots, cucumber, jicama) and 2 tbsp. artichoke hummus
DINNER	Thai-inspired stir fry with coconut rice	Crockpot beef and veggie stew	Grilled salmon with cilantro mint chutney with lemon and olive oil quinoa	Dr. Hyman's walnut pesto chicken with white beans, chopped peppers, and balsamic vinegar	Shrimp curry with snap peas and water chestnuts

	DAY 6	DAY 7	DAY 8	DAY 9	DAY 10
BREAKFAST	2-egg scramble with spinach, avocado, & tomato	Dr. Hyman's whole food protein shake	Quinoa breakfast bake	Blueberry & spinach flax smoothie	2 hardboiled eggs with 2 slices nitrate- free turkey and ¼ of avocado
SNACK	Blueberry, spinach, flax smoothie	<b>Creamy carrot dip</b> with steamed veggies	1 c. steamed organic edamame with soy sauce or tamari	<b>Garlicky white bean dip</b> with broccoli and carrots	½ cup mixed berries with 25 cinnamontoasted almonds
LUNCH	Dr. Hyman's black bean soup	Dr. Hyman's raw kale salad	3 turkey roll ups (2 slices low-sodium, nitrate-free turkey breast, romaine lettuce, & ½ c. artichoke hummus)	<b>Herbed fish salad</b> with mixed greens	Baked broccoli frittata with mixed greens and antioxidant salad dressing
SNACK	<b>Garlicky white bean</b> <b>dip</b> with broccoli and cauliflower	4 tbsp. crunchy chickpeas	Dr. Hyman's whole food protein shake	2 hardboiled eggs with salt, pepper, chili powder or garlic powder	<b>Creamy carrot dip</b> with steamed veggies
DINNER	Thai-inspired stir fry with coconut rice	Grilled fish with spicy raw slaw	Lamb kofta with cauliflower mash	<b>Chicken primavera bowl</b> and steamed green beans	<b>Greek baked cod</b> with roasted asparagus and lemon and olive oil quinoa

# SHOPPING LIST for the Daniel Plan Detox

□ 1 banana*	☐ 1 small ginger root
☐ 1 large container fresh or frozen	☐ 2 cups fresh green beans†
blueberries*	☐ 1 jicama
☐ 4 lemons*	☐ 1 package or head of kale
☐ 1 lime*	☐ 1 bunch fresh mint
☐ 1 bunch asparagus	☐ 1 medium onion
2 avocados*	☐ 1 red onion*
☐ 1 bunch fresh basil*	☐ 1 bunch parsley
☐ 2 red bell peppers*	☐ 2 medium purple or sweet
☐ 1 small beet	potatoes or 1 turnip
☐ 1 head broccoli*	☐ 1 head romaine lettuce*
☐ 1 head purple or green cabbage <sup>†</sup>	$\square$ 2 bags (8–9 oz.) of fresh baby
☐ 1 bag carrots*	spinach, or one small bunch*
☐ 1 head cauliflower <sup>†</sup>	☐ 1 pound snap peas
☐ 1 bag celery	☐ 1 cup snow peas or green beans*
☐ 1 bunch cilantro	☐ 1 package grape or cherry
2 cucumbers	tomatoes†
□ 1 bulb garlic*	☐ 1 zucchini
MEAT	'FISH
☐ 1 pound chicken breasts or cutlets*	☐ ½ pound sliced turkey breast,
☐ 1 pound lean ground turkey	nitrate-free*
or beef	☐ 1 pound hearty white fish <sup>†</sup>
□ 3–4 pounds chuck roast	☐ 1 to 1¼ pounds wild salmon
□ 1 pound ground lamb†	☐ 1½ pounds wild shrimp

EG	GS	
☐ 1 dozen cage-free or organic eggs*		
PASTAS, GRAINS, LEGUMES		
☐ 1 package quinoa	<ul> <li>1 package jasmine brown rice or black rice</li> </ul>	
FREEZER SECTION		
☐ 1 package mixed frozen berries	☐ 1 package frozen organic edamame	
CANS	/JARS	
☐ 1 can artichokes in water	☐ 1 jar kalamata or black olives	
$\ \square$ 2 15-ounce cans low-sodium beef	☐ 1 jar/package sun-dried tomatoes	
broth	☐ 1 small can tomato paste	
☐ 2 15-ounce cans black beans ☐ 1 15-ounce can white beans <sup>†</sup>	☐ 1 can/box low-sodium vegetable broth	
☐ 2 cans garbanzo beans/chickpeas	□ 1 can water chestnuts	
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CONDIMENTS/SAUCES		
<ul> <li>1 bottle unfiltered apple cider vinegar</li> </ul>	☐ 1 bottle extra-virgin olive oil (or cooking spray)	
☐ 1 bottle balsamic vinegar	$\square$ 1 small bottle rice vinegar	
☐ 1 container coconut oil or grape	☐ 1 small bottle sesame tahini paste	
seed oil	☐ 1 small bottle gluten-free soy	
☐ 1 bottle Dijon mustard	sauce or tamari	
* Marks items you will use in Days 1–5 ar	nd need to repurchase for Days 6–10	
† Indicates an ingredient that is required	d only for Days 6–10	

NUTS/S	SEEDS	
☐ 1 package ground flax meal/seeds	☐ 1 box unsweetened coconut milk*	
$\ \square$ 1 box unsweetened almond milk	☐ 1 bag unsweetened shredded	
☐ 1 bag raw almonds	coconut	
☐ 1 jar almond or other nut butter	☐ 1 package hemp seeds	
☐ 1 package chia seeds	☐ 1 small package pine nuts	
☐ 1 small package Brazil nuts	☐ 1 small package pumpkin seeds	
	☐ 1 bag raw walnuts	
MISCELLANEOUS		
☐ Cornstarch	$\ \square$ 1 container quality protein powder	
☐ Currants	☐ 1 package organic tempeh*	
	(usually in the refrigerator section)	
SPICES/HERBS		
☐ Bay leaves	☐ Dry mustard	
☐ Black pepper	☐ Garlic powder	
☐ Cayenne pepper	☐ Kosher or sea salt	
☐ Cinnamon	☐ Onion powder	
☐ Chili powder	☐ Paprika	
☐ Cumin	☐ Vanilla extract	
☐ Dried oregano		

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<sup>†</sup> Indicates an ingredient that is required only for Days 6–10



#### Garden Patch Omelet

Filled with protein and fiber, vegetable omelets are a satisfying meal day or night.

Serves 2

3 eggs

¼ teaspoon Kosher or sea salt (optional)
Dash black pepper
2 teaspoons coconut oil, divided
¼ teaspoon minced garlic
1 cup baby spinach
¼ cup bell peppers (red, orange, yellow), diced
¼ cup red onion, diced
¼ cup tomato, diced
1 large mushroom, thinly sliced

- 1. In a bowl, whisk eggs with salt and pepper. Set aside.
- 2. Heat 1 teaspoon coconut oil over medium-high heat in a sauté or frying pan that has a lid. Add garlic, spinach, peppers, onion, tomato, and mushroom. Sauté until veggies are soft, about 3–5 minutes. Remove vegetables from pan. Set aside in a bowl.
- 3. Heat the remaining 1 teaspoon coconut oil in the pan. Pour the eggs in the pan evenly. Add in the veggies on top of the egg mixture, reduce heat to low, cover pan with lid. Cook for about 2 minutes. If the egg is still uncooked, cook for another minute uncovered. Fold the omelet in half.
- 4. Serve right away.

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# Lemony Dill Chicken Salad Pita

Enjoy a slight twist on a classic chicken salad. Try this as an openface sandwich on gluten-free bread or rolled into a brown rice tortilla.

3 cups cooked chicken breast, chopped

4 small celery ribs, finely chopped

4 tablespoons red onion, finely chopped

1 generous tablespoon fresh dill, minced

4 tablespoons organic mayonnaise or Veganaise

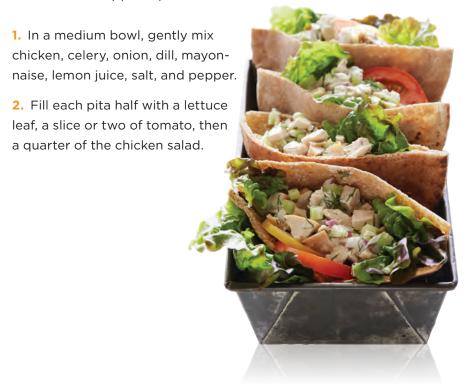
A few squeezes of lemon juice

Salt and pepper to taste (or lemon pepper)

2 large whole wheat pitas, sliced in half

Red lettuce leaves

Sliced tomato (optional)





# Chicken Noodle Vegetable Soup

Classic and comforting, nothing is better than homemade chicken soup. It can be made in about an hour, even less if you use left-over roasted shredded chicken and precooked pasta. To make this gluten-free, use brown rice pasta.

Serves 4–6

2 tablespoons oil

3 ribs celery, finely chopped

2-3 carrots, finely chopped

1 medium onion, finely chopped

3 cloves garlic, minced

2 teaspoons fresh thyme, minced (or 3/4 teaspoon dried thyme)

1 bay leaf

Kosher or sea salt and pepper to taste

2 quarts (64 ounces) low-sodium chicken broth

1 large bone-in chicken breast (or shredded cooked chicken)

1 cup whole wheat or brown rice elbow pasta

1 tablespoon fresh parsley, chopped

- 1. Add oil to a large pot over medium heat. Turn the heat down to medium low and add the celery, carrots, and onion. Cook until the vegetables are soft and translucent, 12–15 minutes. Stir in the garlic, and cook another 30–60 seconds. Add thyme, bay leaf, salt, and pepper.
- 2. Remove skin and fat from chicken breast. Cut chicken breast crosswise through the bone into two pieces. Add the broth and the chicken breast to the pot. Bring to a boil, turn down to a simmer, and cook until chicken is cooked through, about 18 minutes.
- **3.** Remove chicken from the pot. Add the pasta and simmer until pasta is tender. When chicken is cool enough to handle, shred the meat, and add back to the pot to warm.
- 4. Remove the bay leaf. Add parsley. Ladle into warm bowls to serve.

# Teriyaki Beef Stir Fry

One of the most popular Asian meals that we all enjoy is filled with broccoli, a high-fiber, high-nutrient veggie.

Serves 4

½ cup water

1/3 cup low-sodium soy or tamari sauce

2 tablespoons raw honey

½ cup fresh orange juice (or pineapple)

4 garlic cloves, minced

1 tablespoon fresh ginger, cut into long thin strips

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1 pound flank steak, cut against the grain into thin strips

2 teaspoons coconut oil

4 cups broccoli florets

1 medium onion, chopped

1½ teaspoons cornstarch

2 cups brown rice

- 1. In a small bowl, combine the first six ingredients. Pour 1/2 cup of this mixture into a plastic bag; add beef. Seal bag, and turn to coat. Refrigerate for at least one hour. Cover and refrigerate remaining marinade.
- 2. Remove steak from bag, and discard marinade. In a large nonstick skillet or wok, stir-fry beef in oil for 2–3 minutes or until no longer pink. Remove and keep warm.
- **3.** Add broccoli and onion to pan; stir-fry for 4 minutes, or until vegetables are tender.
- 4. Return beef to the pan. Whisk cornstarch and reserved marinade until smooth; stir into beef mixture. Bring to a boil; cook and stir until thickened, about 2 minutes. Serve over brown rice if desired.



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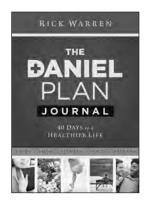
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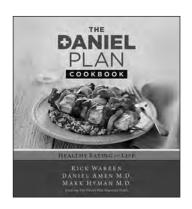


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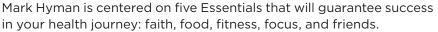
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