

## Bring mindfulness to the holiday season

It is normal to feel stress during the holidays. Learn how to reduce stress and practice mindfulness, and you may enjoy the holidays more.

**What is mindfulness?** Mindfulness is focusing your awareness on the present moment, without reaction or judgment. Practicing mindfulness improves relationship satisfaction, reduces stress in relationships and increases empathy.



**How to get started?** Scan the QR code to complete a brief, threeminute breathing exercise. Focusing on the breath can help you gain a sense of control over your stress. And the more control you have over your stress, the better you'll feel.

Additional free, confidential resources are available 24/7/365 through your Employee Assistance Program. Give us a call at 1-800-450-1327 (TTY 711) or visit Member.MagellanHealthcare.com (enter Principal Core) to get started.