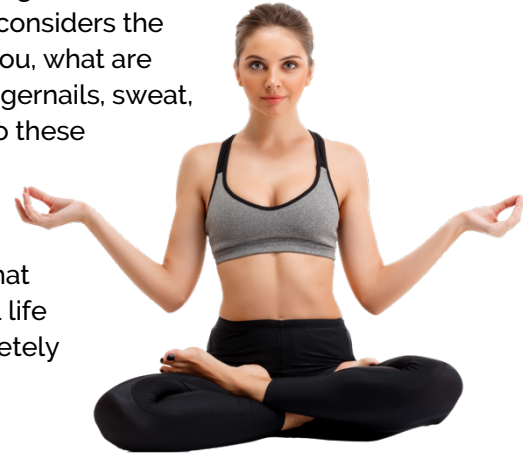


Your Ayurvedic Body Type or Dosha Assessment

According to Ayurveda, an ancient system of medicine from India, no one person is alike. We each have our own physical, emotional, mental and spiritual ways of processing and metabolizing our lives and experiences. In addition, Ayurveda carefully considers the context in which you are living your life. What season is it, how old are you, what are you eating, how are you exercising, what do your tongue, facial lines, fingernails, sweat, urine and feces tell you about the state of your health? 10,000 years ago these questions were being considered and personalized medical care was the norm. The answers to these questions have a lot to do with your energy level and desire. Libido was a factor that was closely studied and nurtured in these ancient times because it was commonly known that your level of life vitality was measured by your level of ojas, or essential life energy. Ojas is the life energy extracted from food that has been completely digested. When we have enough of this vital nectar of life we will feel balanced, blissful and full of desire and energy to passionately live a purposeful life.



The following quiz can help you assess your dosha type. (It is a good idea to take this twice.) [Click here](#) to print your Dosha Assessment or you can follow along on the screen below. Have someone who knows you well help you answer the questions and notice if your answers differ!

Please write 0 to 7 in the boxes below. "0" means it does not apply and "7" means it applies most of the time.

Vata

My physique is thin, I don't gain weight easily	
I am quick and active	
My skin is dry, more so in the Winter	
My hands and feet are usually cold	
My energy fluctuates and comes in bursts	
I usually develop gas or constipation	
I usually have difficulty falling asleep or having a sound night's sleep	
I am uncomfortable in cold weather	
My nature is lively and enthusiastic	
I have difficulty memorizing things and remembering them later	
It is easy for me to learn new things quickly, but I also forget quickly	
I am not good at making decisions	
I am anxious or worrisome by nature	
People think I am talkative and that I talk too quickly	
I am usually emotional by nature and my moods fluctuate	
My mind is restless, but also imaginative	
I have irregular eating and sleeping habits	

My Total Vata Score _____

 **Pitta**

I don't tolerate hot weather	
I sweat easily	
I cannot tolerate delaying or skipping a meal	
My hair is fine, straight, light, blond, red, graying early or balding	
My appetite is good and I can eat big meals	
My bowel movements are regular. I might have occasional loose stools, but not constipation	
I like cold drinks and such foods as ice cream	
I often feel hot	
Spicy, hot foods upset my stomach	
I consider myself efficient	
I try to be organized and accurate	
I have a strong will and my friends think I am stubborn	
I am impatient by nature	
I tend to become irritable or angry quite easily	
I try to be meticulous and am a perfectionist by nature	
I get angry easily, but don't hold a grudge	
I am usually critical of myself and others	

My Total Pitta Score _____

 **Kapha**

It is easy for me to gain weight but difficult to lose it	
Skipping meals is easy for me and does not cause any problem	
I tend to have congestion, mucous, or sinus problems	
I am a sound sleeper	
I have thick, oily, dark, wavy hair	
My skin is smooth and soft with an almost pale complexion	
My body frame is large and solid with a heavy bone structure	
My digestion is slow, so I feel full after eating	
I have a steady energy level with good endurance and strong stamina	
I am sensitive to cool and damp weather	
I tend to be slow, methodical, and relaxed	
I need to sleep a minimum of eight hours to feel well the next morning	
By nature I am calm and composed. I don't get angry easily	
I am not a quick learner but I am good at memorizing things and remembering them later	
Many people consider me affectionate, forgiving, and peaceful	
I usually oversleep and have difficulty waking up the next morning	
I am very reluctant to take on new responsibilities	

My Total Kapha Score _____

If the difference between the scores of two doshas is less than 10 points, then you might be a two-dosha constitution. For example, Vata 68, Pitta 75, Kapha 44 is a Pitta-Vata body type. This person will have some Vata attributes and some Pitta attributes physically, mentally, and emotionally. If all three doshas are within 10 points you might be a tridoshic body type.

For more specific guidance, you can book an appointment with Dr. Keesha Ewers for a more accurate and comprehensive evaluation by completing the form at the bottom of this page here:

<https://www.drkeesha.com/your-dosha-quiz>