

## **TEAM CHALLENGE VIRTUAL INSTRUCTIONS**

### Welcome to the Step It Up Challenge

We are challenging YOU to move more! Walk, run, and hike your way around Southwestern Ontario. Taking care of our physical and mental health is more important now than ever before. Why not have a little fun along the way with a friendly competition?! It's in you to MOVE!

Although variables such as height, weight, age, gender, terrain, and speed contribute to determining actual steps, the following conversion table will be used to calculate step values for this challenge.

# TIME-TO-STEPS CONVERSION TABLE

WALK OR HIKE	TIME (MINUTES)		STEPS	TIME (MINUTES)		STEPS	RUN
<b>S</b>	10	IS	1,125	10	IS	1,750	1 9
	15	EQUIVALENT	1,685	15	EQUIVALENT	2,625	V05
A	30	TO	3,375	30	TO	5,250	
	45		5,065	45		7,875	
	60		6,750	60		10,500	

#### **Individual Submissions and Race Results**

Each day, please visit the Team Challenge website. You will be asked to click on your Team Name and submit your total steps for that day. We are working on the honor system!

The map will be updated once per week and teams can see where they stand as they travel around Southwestern Ontario. The team with the most steps and travels the farthest, wins the challenge!

For this Step Challenge, you may use any tracking device of your choice (phone app, Fitbit, Garmin, Apple Watch, etc.). If you don't have a device, you can simply track your minutes and use our handy conversion table to determine your total steps for the day. Walking, running, and hiking are examples of ways to accumulate steps.

### Challenging you to move!





Be sure to check out the Team Challenge Resource Centre for helpful tips, guides, and strategies to help you during the challenge!

\* Consult your health care professional before beginning any exercise program \*



