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3 easy ways to boost your immunity

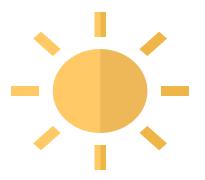
Get enough sleep



Stay hydrated

Get 15-20 minutes of sunlight on your skin every day for vitamin D







INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups frozen pineapple
- 1/2 cups frozen banana slices (or mango)
- 1 tsp fresh ginger (peel removed)
- 2 cups spinach
- 1 cup orange juice, or more if needed
- 1/2 cup water or milk (or more, if needed)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Place all ingredients in a blender^{*} and blend until completely smooth.

*If you don't have a high speed blender, I find that blending the spinach and orange juice together before adding the other ingredients helps get things nice and smooth.

Adapted from https://www.onelovelylife.com/pineappleginger-smoothie/

Foods that boost your immunity

- protein-meat, fish, eggs, lentils, beans, (needed for immune cells)
- garlic (antiviral compounds)
- foods high in vitamin C-oranges, red bell peppers, broccoli, strawberries
- foods fortified with vitamin D-orange juice, milk

