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IMPORTANCE OF FOOD

अन्नाद् भवन्ति भूतानि!!

Wholesome food provides life to living organisms





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Pathya Ahar (Wholesome Diet)

Advised for regular consumption.

The wholesome diet promotes health, brings happiness & balances bodily humour.

- Red rice, Millet, Wheat etc.
- Green gram Chanak, Wheat Coriander, Brinjal, Grapes, Mango, Dates etc.
- Egg, Fish etc.
- Sugar, Cowmilk, Rock salt, Sesame oil, Jeera, Haldi etc.



Food grain
Pulses
Green vegetables
Fruits
Non-Veg.
Miscellaneous







X

Apathya Ahar (Unwholesome Diet)

Regular consumption of the unwholesome diet is not beneficial to the body.

- Barley
- Blackgram
- Rape seed plant
- Jack fruit
- Beef, Fat of buffalo
- Safflower,
- Saline salt, Treacle



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Incompatible Diet on account of Combination, Preparation etc.

Honey + Ghee in equal quantity
Fish + Milk





Use of Honey after heating

Milk + Citrus fruits and other sour substances

Kakmachı + Honey