Tips for Everyday Living

What can managing your Wet Age-Related Macular Degeneration (Wet AMD) look like? Check out these life and health tips to learn how you can help prioritize your vision and overall health and wellness.

**Travel Safely**
The blurriness and blind spots caused by Wet AMD can impact your ability to drive. Consider asking a loved one to help you get around. Organizations such as Rides In Sight* provide information on transportation options to people with low vision.

**Go Smoke Free**
Smoking is a risk factor for Wet AMD. Prioritize your vision and overall health by quitting today.

**Eat Well & Exercise**
Eating nutritious food, like brightly colored fruits and leafy green vegetables, and exercising regularly can be key in helping to reduce the risk of Wet AMD. Try keeping a journal to set goals and track your progress maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

**Ease Your Eyes**
Ease some of the burdens on your eyes with some simple adjustments in your daily activities and in your home:

- **Sun Protection**
  While outdoors, keep a hat with a visor and tinted anti-glare sunglasses on hand to offer your eyes protection against harmful UV light.

- **Reading Tips**
  Having trouble reading? Try using a magnifying glass, purchasing large print books or increasing the type size or contrast level on your computer, cellphone, or e-reader.

- **Use Bright Lighting**
  Consider installing bright lights throughout your home. Visit a lighting store to determine which type of bulb is best for you.

- **Use Colors & Labels**
  Organize your living spaces with labels and colors to help you more easily find items at home or wherever else you spend a lot of time.

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