The Beginner's Guide to Acupressure

DIY Steps for Self-Care

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The Beginner's Guide to Acupressure adapts the most common **Traditional Chinese Medicine** acupressure techniques to create an **easy-to-use program** for people to use at home. Acupressure, rooted in the same philosophy as acupuncture, involves applying pressure with the hand or fingers to specific acupoints across the body. This pressure can help **unblock and balance your body's physiological energy flow, or qi**, restoring the energy your body needs to deal with health issues.

In this book, you'll find **140+ full-color photographs** and **step-by-step instructions** for acupressure selftreatment and learn how to use this technique for reducing symptoms of common ailments like **bloating**, **the common cold**, **constipation**, **indigestion**, **insomnia**, **sore throat**, **vertigo and more**.

Key Takeaways:

- Strategically designed for beginners interested in **DIY self-acupressure**.
- Includes easy-to-follow directions and more than **140 step-by-step photographs**.
- Includes a short history of a cupressure, Chinese medicine and associated therapies.
- Describes how to apply basic acupressure techniques to more than 40 pressure points to ease symptoms
 associated with ailments & conditions like depression, allergies, carpal tunnel syndrome,
 constipation, sciatica, the common cold and more.
- Full-color photography throughout, with sections such as **Acupressure for Conditions, Acupressure Points** and more.

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