Walking for as little as 30 minutes a day can have the following health benefits:\(^1\):

- Reduce the risk of coronary heart disease
- Improve blood pressure and blood sugar levels
- Maintain body weight and lower the risk of obesity
- Enhance mental well-being
- Improve blood lipid profile
- Reduce the risk of osteoporosis
- Reduce the risk of breast and colon cancer
- Reduce the risk of Type 2 diabetes

Walking is low impact; easier on the joints than running. It is safe – with a doctor's okay – for people with orthopedic ailments, heart conditions, and those who are more than 20% overweight. That quick stroll around the block seems a little more worthwhile now, doesn't it?

**Join Dr. Cook** and other people looking to improve their health at the next **Walk With A Doc**.

**Time:** Tuesday Nov 12th at 6:30pm  
**Location:** Dryden Highschool Halls  
**Who can attend:** Anyone!