280 Chestnut Street- Walking Routes

Indoor Walking Routes

Walking the Floors

Start at the elevator bank doors, on any floor and make a complete loop around the furthest perimeters of the public hallway.

# of Floor Loops	Distance	Time
1 st Floor		
12.5	0.50 mile	
25	1 mile	
2 nd Floor	0.50 mile	0.50 mile takes about 8 minutes to
16.5	1 mile	complete.
3 rd , 4 th , and 5 th Floors		complete.
6	0.50 mile	
12.5	1 mile	

Walking the Stairs- You can begin in any stairwell. This is a much more intensive exercise route-remember to take deep belly breaths and pace yourself.

Distance	Completed Floors/Flights	
1/8 mile	12 floors/flights	
¼ mile	25 floors/flights	

Outdoor Walking Routes

Garage Roof

Start at any point and make a complete loop around the perimeter of the garage roof.

Distance	# of Garage Loops
0.50 mile	3
1 mile	6

2 mile Mattoon St. Walk

Take Chestnut Street toward State Street.

- 1. Turn right onto Lyman St.
- 2. Turn left onto Dwight St.
- 3. Turn left onto State St.
- 4. Turn left onto Elliott St.
- 5. Turn left at church and cut through to Mattoon Street.
- 6. At the end of Mattoon Street turn right onto Chestnut Street and follow back to 280 Chestnut Street.

3 mile State Street Walk

- 1. Take a right out of the Terrace level door.
- 2. Take a right onto Chestnut Street. Chestnut Street turns into Maple Street.
- Take a left onto State Street.
- 4. Turn left onto Spring Street.
- 5. Turn left on Lyman Street and right onto Chestnut Street to return to 280 Chestnut Street.

Stay safe:

- Proceed with caution and be aware of any moving vehicles. Obey all traffic laws and walk with awareness.
- Walk with a buddy or a group.
- Wear clothes and shoes that give you freedom of movement.
- Vary your route and schedule.
- Stand clear of buses, hedges, parked cars or other obstacles before crossing so drivers can see you.
- Bring 8 ounces of water.
- Keep an umbrella handy for rainy days.
- Be careful when people stop you for directions. Always reply from a distance.
- Warm-up slowly at the beginning and cool-down and stretch at the end of your walk.

If you have a walking route to share, please contact BaystateHealth.org.

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