

Aging.com Releases Their List of Top 10 Blue Zones in America

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NASHVILLE, TN, UNITED STATES, February 5, 2024 /EINPresswire.com/ --Aging.com has come out with their list of the the Top 10 Blue Zones across the country. These Blue Zones, areas with concentrated populations achieving remarkable longevity with aboveaverage life quality, include Loma Linda, CA, San Luis Obispo, CA, and



Living longer and happier in Blue Zones

Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT, Provo, UT, two cities in Colorado, and the entire state of Hawaii, among others.

These zones embody six characteristic lifestyle factors promoting longevity including natural

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In 2022, the overall American life expectancy was 77.5 years of age. America ranks 46th in the world for life expectancy compared to other countries." movement, plant-based diets, sense of purpose, the 80% rule of eating until satisfied but not full, an active community, and proficient stress management.

Among the top ranking is Loma Linda, CA. What sets Loma Linda apart is its remarkable expectancy of living nearly 10 years beyond the average American lifespan, largely attributed to daily exercise, volunteer work, and predominantly vegetarian diet. Loma Linda not only ranks at the top of the list for the US, it's also in the top 5 globally.

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San Luis Obispo, CA, another highlighted Blue Zone, boasts an extensive range of health initiatives including an improved city landscape promoting healthier living.

Notable strides were made by cities like Boulder, CO, and Provo, Utah, who use their natural environment to promote a healthy lifestyle. Fitness-focused cities coupled with the dedication towards plant-rich diets, active community interaction, and stress management have facilitated these zones to build a healthy, satisfied lifespan. Recent trends also indicate that the number of 'Blue Zones' in the US is on the rise, creating optimism for a healthier future for American citizens.

Aging.com did comprehensive research to identify these Blue Zones in America. The methodology adopted involved examining each location's accessibility to wholesome plantbased food, levels of physical activity, presence of a community, sleep patterns, and average life expectancy. Besides, statistics representing low obesity rates, high percentage of healthy eating, and minimal stress reports favored the standing of these cities. Additionally, happiness levels were evaluated based on factors such as walkability, access to nature, civic engagement, environmental cleanliness, and healthy food accessibility.

Read the full article: <u>https://aging.com/best-fitness-trackers/top-10-blue-zones-in-america</u>

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