

## Vaughan Vitality & Wellness Announces New Online Resource on Functional Medicine for Thyroid Health

Costa Mesa, California – Vaughan Vitality & Wellness, a leading provider of functional medicine in Costa Mesa, is happy to announce the launch of its new online resource on functional medicine for thyroid health.

Thyroid hormone production and metabolism depend heavily on specific nutrients that are frequently deficient in modern diets. Vaughan Vitality & Wellness's new online resource highlights that through functional medicine, a systems-based approach, expert practitioners can employ personalised strategies to help patients restore balance at the root level and regain lasting energy, clarity, and metabolic stability.

Some of the core areas where functional medicine can help with thyroid health, as emphasized in the new resource, include:

Addressing Autoimmune Thyroid Conditions Naturally

Hashimoto's thyroiditis affects millions of Americans and represents the most common cause of hypothyroidism, occurring when the immune system mistakenly attacks thyroid tissue. While conventional treatment focuses primarily on hormone replacement therapy, functional medicine addresses the immune system dysfunction driving the attack on thyroid tissue. The approach involves identifying and eliminating triggers such as food sensitivities, chronic infections like Epstein-Barr virus and Helicobacter pylori, and environmental toxins that perpetuate immune system overactivity.

Environmental Toxins and Thyroid Disruption

Modern life exposes individuals to numerous chemicals that interfere with thyroid function through various mechanisms, including endocrine-disrupting chemicals such as perchlorate found in drinking water, which competes with iodine for thyroid uptake. Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs) from flame retardants can mimic thyroid hormones and disrupt normal hormone signaling, while heavy metals like mercury and lead accumulate in thyroid tissue and impair hormone production.

Vaughan Vitality & Wellness evaluates patients for environmental toxin exposure through specialized testing and a detailed environmental history assessment, providing detoxification support through targeted nutrients that enhance liver function and cellular detoxification pathways. The practice also guides patients through practical steps to reduce ongoing exposure, including water filtration, organic food choices, and safer personal care products.

The new resource shows that through comprehensive nutritional testing, Vaughan Vitality & Wellness can identify specific deficiencies that may be contributing to thyroid dysfunction and works with patients to optimize their nutrient status through both targeted supplementation,

while additionally highlighting physical aspects, but also the emotional and psychological factors pivotal to supporting both thyroid function and overall well-being.

Vaughan Vitality & Wellness invites readers seeking further insight to visit its website today to read its new online resource.

About Vaughan Vitality & Wellness

Led by Dr. Kristi Vaughan, DC, BCN, IFMCP, B.S., Vaughan Vitality & Wellness provides an individualized, integrative, whole-body approach in a safe, loving environment that gets to the root cause of an individual's disease by taking a close look at genetics, biochemical factors, environment, toxins, and lifestyle.

More Information

To learn more about Vaughan Vitality & Wellness and the launch of its new online resource on functional medicine for thyroid health, please visit the website at

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